

Our National Jamboree Rules

1. General Principles

Camp and trips are the highlights of the scouting year. To ensure that the National Jamboree 2026 “unwritten” also becomes a positive and unforgettable experience for everyone, there are camp rules.

Participation in the National Jamboree is only possible if these camp rules are accepted. In addition, all participants must accept “My Rights on Trips and Camps” as well as the terms of participation.

Naturally, we comply with applicable laws and regulations, in particular the Youth Protection Act.

We treat each other with respect, consideration, and responsibility.

Actions that contradict this principle, as well as abusive behavior, bullying, racism, etc., will not be tolerated.

At the National Jamboree itself, as well as during hikes and excursions outside the campsite, we encourage all participants to wear traditional scouting clothing or uniform.

2. Site control

Authority over the campsite lies with the National Jamboree leadership. Instructions from the National Jamboree leadership and their designated staff must be followed.

3. Duty of Supervision

Responsibility for supervising participants lies with the respective group leaders. They are responsible for ensuring compliance with the camp rules.

4. Quiet Hours

General quiet hours are from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Even though a certain level of nighttime noise at the National Jamboree cannot be completely avoided, we all share responsibility to ensure that participants, staff, guests, and animals in the adjacent forest can sleep.

Group and subcamp leaders are responsible for enforcing quiet hours. Anyone who feels disturbed should report it to their group leader and not address the conflict directly.

5. Oases

Participants aged 14 and over may visit oases until midnight. From the age of 16, there is no time limit.

6. Alcohol

We handle alcohol consumption responsibly.

Alcohol may only be served in the oases, and there only from 11:00 p.m. to 2:00 or 3:00 a.m., exclusively to persons over 16 years old. The first and last night of the camp are alcohol-free.

Only beer, wine, and sparkling wine may be served and consumed. Spirits, mixed alcoholic drinks, and beverages with an alcohol content of more than 15% are not permitted.

Alcohol must not be served to visibly intoxicated persons or to persons who do not handle it responsibly.

The National Jamboree leadership and their representatives may confiscate and destroy alcohol that violates laws or camp rules.

7. Smoking

Smoking is only permitted in designated smoking areas on the campsite. The consumption of cannabis is prohibited.

8. Handling Fire

Fires may only be lit on fire tables or in fire bowls, not in dug fire pits. The turf must not be charred.

Fires in the forest, closer than 15 meters to the forest edge, or inside sleeping tents are prohibited. Open fires must never be left unattended. Suitable extinguishing materials (e.g., water) must be available.

9. Sustainability

As scouts, we pay attention to cleanliness, treat the campsite facilities with care, try to avoid waste, follow waste separation rules, and use resources responsibly and sparingly.

10. Vehicles on the Campsite

Private motor vehicles are not allowed to drive on the campsite during the camp.

11. Animals at the Camp

For safety and hygiene reasons, bringing dogs or other pets is not desired.

Exceptions are only possible for central camp staff, with prior approval from the camp leadership and under certain conditions.

12. Campsite Boundaries

The boundaries of the campsite can be found on the camp map.

Areas outside the campsite are not under the responsibility of the National Jamboree. Any damage that occurs there is not covered by the camp.

13. Swimming

The public outdoor pool on site can be used free of charge during opening hours.

Participants under 16 may only visit the pool under the supervision of a group leader.

14. Exceptions

These camp rules cannot cover all individual cases. Therefore, the National Jamboree leadership may allow exceptions or establish additional rules if necessary.

15. Violations

Violations of the National Jamboree rules may—at the discretion of the National Jamboree leadership—lead to exclusion from the camp. Criminal offenses will be reported.

16. Photo and Video Recordings

Taking photos or videos in shower and bathing areas is strictly prohibited for everyone present.

The use of drones is only permitted for the media team and SOS.

During the National Jamboree, a designated media team will take photos and videos. These are for documentation as well as internal and external reporting. Please inform the media team directly if you do not wish to be recorded.

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