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UPCOMING EVENTS

2018	Sept. 7–9 Gilwell Reunion 2018, Gilwell Park, Chingford
	Oct. 19–21 Jamboree-on-the-Air and Jamboree-on-the-Internet
2019	July 22–Aug. 2 24th World Scout Jamboree, USA
	Oct. 18–20 Jamboree-on-the-Air and Jamboree-on-the-Internet
2020	Oct. 16–18 Jamboree-on-the-Air and Jamboree-on-the-Internet
2021	Dates TBD World Scout Moot, Ireland
	Oct. 15–17 Jamboree-on-the-Air and Jamboree-on-the-Internet

For additional international events, please visit <https://www.scout.org> or click [here](#) for the WOSM International Events List 2018–2023.

GILWELL REUNION

The annual Gilwell Reunion is scheduled for Sept. 6–11, 2018. There will also be a Gilwell Reunion VIP event at the same time. Enjoy special accommodations, meet influential people in Scouting, and receive exclusive access to areas of The Scout Association (TSA) that are not normally accessible to the public. The theme this year is “Skills for Life,” the 2018–2023 strategy of TSA, which is their plan to prepare better futures.

Check out www.scouts.org.uk/reunion now to book tickets. If you would like to find out more about the VIP event, send an email to International@scouting.org. As more details become available, you will be included in the distribution of information.

For those unable to attend, TSA Scout Radio National Scout Active Support Unit will be broadcasting on FM radio across Gilwell Park over the weekend. The broadcast will also be streamed live online; go to www.scoutradio.org.uk/reunion and follow the links to listen in!

2021 WORLD SCOUT MOOT

What’s a Moot?

Imagine a high-adventure world Scout jamboree for young adult Scouts, but on a smaller scale. Learn new cultures and make lasting friendships while participating in a variety of activities designed by the host country. The word *moot* is Old English and means “an assembly held for discussion.” That’s Moot—a once-in-a-lifetime world Scouting experience!

This official event of the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM) is being hosted and organized by Scouting Ireland, for young people from ages 18 through 25.

Make plans to join 5,000 participants and 1,000 IST (staff) from at least 80 countries around the world at the Moot.

Check out the official Moot [website](#), which offers the most current information. The site will be updated as preparations continue.

The BSA will begin forming their contingent in late 2019. To express your interest in this event or if you have additional questions, email International@scouting.org.

WORLD FRIENDSHIP FUND

No matter which Scout camp you attend, activities you participate in, or merit badges you earn, you and your unit can make an impact this summer in the Scouting journey for youth all over the world



Tahosa High Adventure Base, Denver Area

by contributing to the World Friendship Fund. Each summer, local Scout camps collect and contribute thousands of dollars to the fund. Every penny counts!

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Contact your local council to get World Friendship Fund brochures, coffee can labels, or posters to help Scouts hold their own collection. Ask the council to order the items from the National Distribution Center via bin inventory. You will need these item numbers:

Brochure, No. 130-159

Label, No. 130-620

Poster, No. 130-609

We also can accept World Friendship Fund donations online! To donate online or to download the brochure, please visit www.scouting.org/international/world-support.

To see where World Friendship Fund donations go, check out Bryan on Scouting's blog at <https://blog.scoutingmagazine.org/2018/01/31/where-do-world-friendship-fund-donations-go/>.

COUNCIL INTERNATIONAL EVENT GUIDELINE

If your council is planning to host international Scouts as participants at a local council event, the International Department will work with your event registrar to verify that contingent leaders and International Service Team (IST/staff) members are registered and approved by their own WOSM Scout association to attend your event.

This may seem like an unnecessary step in your event planning, but it can be crucial to your event's success. At a previous large-council event, only 85 percent of the contingent leaders and 78 percent of the IST that applied were approved by their Scout association. Contact the International Department at International@scouting.org to verify the registration and approval of your international Scouts.

INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

The International Department manages the requirements for two awards, the International Spirit Award and the International Scouters' Award.

To introduce your Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Venturer, or Scouter to international Scouting, we recommend the International Spirit Award. Earning this award is a great way to gain knowledge about international Scouting while developing appreciation and awareness of different cultures and countries. For the list of requirements and the application, please visit https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/international/pdf/130-044_WB.pdf.



The International Scouters' Award encourages Scouters to broaden their involvement through participation in world Scouting activities. It also recognizes Scouters for their contributions to world Scouting.

For more information and the application, please visit www.scouting.org/international/information-sheets/22-721/.



2018 JOTA AND JOTI



Which jamboree occurs every year, has more participants than a national or world jamboree, and allows you to communicate with other Scouts from around the world? Jamboree-on-the-Air (JOTA) and Jamboree-on-the-Internet (JOTI)!



The 2018 JOTA and JOTI will be held Oct. 19–21. JOTA and JOTI are annual world Scouting events that use amateur radios and the internet, respectively, to link Scouts from around the world.

Want some more reasons to participate in JOTA and JOTI? These events can help Tigers complete part of their Family Stories elective adventure. Webelos can attend to complete part of the Arrow of Light adventure, Building a Better World. Scouts, Venturers, and Scouters can complete part of the requirements for the International Spirit Award.

Visit JOTA's webpage, www.scouting.org/jota, and JOTI's webpage, www.scouting.org/joti, to get information on how to participate, download participation certificates, find out where to order this year's patches, and MUCH MORE!

We hope you have lots of fun and success during these exciting events!

The patch images above are the official BSA designs for the 61st Jamboree-on-the-Air and the 22nd Jamboree-on-the-Internet.



BRONZE WOLF AWARD

We are pleased to report that BSA International Committee Member Kent Clayburn and BSA International Ambassador Brigitte Therivel were formally presented the Bronze Wolf Award at the BSA's National Annual Meeting closing banquet on Friday, May 25, 2018.

The Bronze Wolf Award is bestowed by the World Scout Committee to acknowledge "outstanding service by an individual to the World Scout Movement." It is the highest honor that can be given to a volunteer Scout leader in the world, and it is the only award given by the World Scout Committee. Since the award's creation in 1935, fewer than 400 of the several millions of Scouts throughout the world have received the award. You can read more about the Bronze Wolf Award at www.scout.org/BronzeWolfAward.

We offer our heartfelt congratulations to Kent and Brigitte on this accomplishment!



Kent Clayburn



Brigitte Therivel

SILVER WORLD AWARD

The Silver World Award is a distinguished service award of the Boy Scouts of America. It is presented for noteworthy and extraordinary service to youth on an international basis. Recipients must be a citizen of a country with a Scouting program that is a member of the World Organization of the Scout Movement. Registered members of the BSA are not eligible for this award.

Two individuals were recognized and presented with the award at the BSA's National Annual Meeting closing banquet on Friday, May 25, 2018: João Armando Gonçalves of Associação dos Escoteiros de Portugal, past chairperson of the World Scout Committee, and Jemima Nartemle Nartey of the Ghana Scout Association, vice chairperson of the World Scout Committee.

João and Jemima are only the 124th and 125th recipients of this award.

We were honored to recognize João and Jemima for their selfless dedication and years of outstanding service to youth.



João Armando Gonçalves



Jemima Nartemle Nartey

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FORMER BSA INTERNATIONAL COMMISSIONER ANNOUNCED AS NATIONAL BOARD CHAIR-ELECT



During the 2018 BSA National Annual Meeting, Dan Ownby was selected by the BSA's National Executive Board as the BSA National Board chair-elect. In this new position, he will step down from his roles as BSA international commissioner and chairman of the International Committee. Dan will chair the Corporate Mission and Reputation Committee.

Dan's contributions to international Scouting during his tenure as international commissioner have had

a positive impact on the BSA and world Scouting. His guidance as the International Committee chair changed the course of its governance and spurred a more active role for youth in the committee. We thank Dan for his exceptional contributions to the BSA International Committee and wish him much success in his new role as National Board chair-elect.



NATIONAL EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER ANNOUNCED AS NEW INTERNATIONAL COMMISSIONER

The Boy Scouts of America is pleased to announce that D. Kent Clayburn of Moraga, California, has been confirmed by the BSA's National Executive Board as the new BSA international commissioner. In this position, he will again be chairman of the International Committee, a role that he previously held from 2006–2010.

He has served the BSA at every level, focusing his efforts on promoting international Scouting programs that help increase membership retention and growth while encouraging Scouts to become active citizens of the world.

Mr. Clayburn held many unit and district positions before becoming a district chair, council president, area president, USFIS Committee member, and National Executive Board member of the BSA. On the World Scouting platform, he held the role of vice chairman of the Interamerican Region Committee, was elected as a member of the World Scout Foundation, and is currently serving as chairman of the World Scout Foundation Investment Committee.

He served on the staffs of six BSA national Scout jamborees and four world Scout jamborees. After serving as the deputy camp chief



during the 2011 World Scout Jamboree in Sweden, he has accepted the role of director of operations for the 2019 World Scout Jamboree North American Host Team.

A third-generation Eagle Scout, Mr. Clayburn is a recipient of the District Award of Merit, the Silver Beaver Award, the Silver Antelope Award, the Silver Buffalo Award, and the Bronze Wolf Award. He supports world Scouting through memberships in the World Baden-Powell Fellowship, the Interamerican Region Order of the Condor, and the Kandersteg International Scout Center Life Member Association.

Outside of Scouting, Mr. Clayburn is an active community volunteer. As president of the San Francisco Bond Club, he raised funds to bring financial education to both public and private high schools. He has worked with boys and girls in youth sports programs and coached high school basketball for 10 years.

A senior vice president with UBS, Mr. Clayburn holds a bachelor's degree from California State University–Chico and a master's degree in business administration from St. Mary's College, California.

Mr. Clayburn and his wife, Constance, are proud parents to their daughter Alexis and Eagle Scout son Evan.

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BADEN-POWELL WORLD FELLOWSHIP / WORLD SCOUT FOUNDATION

The 71st World Baden-Powell Fellowship Event and Investors Conference took place in Mexico City, March 21–24, 2018.

The [Baden-Powell World Fellowship](#) is a major program of the World Scout Foundation to establish an endowment fund for ongoing support of the World Organization of the Scout Movement. Membership is open to individual men and women throughout the world. Each member receives a special medallion, certificate, and lapel pin in recognition.

Members of the Honors Program who are interested in attending the 6th HP Field Visit, Sept. 27–30, 2018, in Cape Town Region, South Africa, should contact Mark Knippenberg at info@worldscoutfoundation.org for more information.



World Scout Foundation
Fondation du Scoutisme Mondial

Click here to download the [Baden-Powell World Fellowship Enrollment Form](#).

The 2019 BP Fellowship Event and Investors Conference will be held in South Korea. Watch the WSF website at <https://worldscoutfoundation.org/events> for more information.

ORDER OF THE CONDOR / INTERAMERICAN SCOUT FOUNDATION



This spring the Interamerican Scout Foundation announced their first executive director and assistant executive director.

Juan M. Pollo Salvado of Argentina was appointed executive director, and Ricardo Melendez from El Salvador was appointed assistant executive director. The Foundation serves the 34

national Scout organizations (NSOs) in the Interamerican Region, of which the BSA is a member.

If you are interested in financially supporting the advancement of Scouting in the Americas by becoming a member of the Order of the Condor, the foundation's endowment recognition program, please look for forms in the links below.

Order of the Condor brochure, English
https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/130-348_WB.pdf

Order of the Condor Commitment form, English
<https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/130-346.pdf>

Order of the Condor brochure, Spanish
https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/130-347_WB.pdf

Order of the Condor Commitment form, Spanish
https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/130-349_WB.pdf

17TH NIPPON SCOUT JAMBOREE, JAPAN



The Scout Association of Japan has invited BSA Scouts and Scouters to attend their national jamboree to be held Aug. 4–10, 2018, in Suzu, Ishikawa, Japan. We are currently working with the SAJ to approve BSA Scouts

that are interested in attending this International Scouting opportunity! Each BSA troop/crew will register directly with the SAJ and then verify their membership with our office. If you are interested in attending this event or have additional questions, please email International@scouting.org.

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INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES



The following councils do not have an International Representative (IR) on file with our department. If your council is listed below, please nominate an IR to represent your council and help share all the wonderful international opportunities that are available! To find out who your IR is, visit www.scouting.org/international/international-representative/.

CENTRAL REGION

- Blackhawk Area Council, #660
- Gamehaven Council, #299
- Glacier's Edge Council, #620
- Great Rivers Council, #653
- Great Trail Council, #433
- Mountaineer Area Council, #615
- Potawatomi Area Council, #651
- President Ford Field Service Council, #781
- Sagamore Council, #162
- W.D. Boyce Council, #138

SOUTHERN REGION

- Black Warrior Council, #6
- Central Georgia Council, #96
- Colonial Virginia Council, #595
- Georgia-Carolina Council, #93
- Mobile Area Council, #4
- Norwela Council, #215
- Pushmataha Area Council, #691
- Rio Grande Council, #775
- Sequoyah Council, #713
- South Texas Council, #577
- Tukabatchee Area Council, #5

NORTHEAST REGION

- Five Rivers Council, #375
- Garden State Council, #690
- Green Mountain Council, #592
- Jersey Shore Council, #341

WESTERN REGION

- Alameda Council, #22
- Black Hills Area Council, #695
- Great Southwest Council, #412
- Inland Northwest Council, #611
- Maui County Council, #102
- Oregon Trail Council, #697
- Pacific Harbors Council, #612
- Piedmont Council, #42
- Western Colorado Council, #64

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SCOUTING OUTSIDE OF THE U.S.

CHANGES IN SUPPORT SERVICE

If you are moving or live outside of the United States, you can continue to be a member of the Boy Scouts of America. The World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM), of which the BSA is a member, is divided into six regions: Africa, Arab, Asia-Pacific, Eurasia, Europe, and Interamerican (North, Central, and South America and the Caribbean).

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR SCOUTING OUTSIDE THE U.S.

Far East Council

For countries in the Asia-Pacific Region of WOSM

Phone—within Japan: 098-971-9014;
international: +81-98-971-9014

Address—Far East Council BSA,
Unit 35049, FPO AP 96373-5049

Web—www.fareastcouncil.org;

www.fareastcouncil.org/about/service-centers

Transatlantic Council

For countries in the Europe, Arab, Eurasia, and Africa Regions of WOSM

Phone—CIV: +32 2 717 9726

Address—USAG Brussels, Unit 28100, Box 24, APO, AE 09714

Web/email—www.tac-bsa.org

National Capital Area Council

For countries in the Interamerican Region of WOSM

Phone—301-530-9360

Address—9190 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814-3897

Web—www.ncacbsa.org/directservice

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Blog—www.worldscoutshops.com/Blog.asp?PBMIinit=1

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BSA INTERNATIONAL

In order to identify who you need to speak to regarding specific programs, see the overview of the department responsibilities below.



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- Represents the BSA in World Scouting
- Chair of International Committee
- Chair of United States Fund for International Scouting Committee



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- Director of the International Department
- Relationships with World Scout Bureau foundation and committee, WOSM regional directors, Interamerican Region Office foundation and committee
- Staff advisor: International Committee, United States Fund for International Scouting Committee



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- Camp staff programs: International Camp Staff Program, European Scout Voluntary Program, Suncheon Asia-Pacific Scout Centre staff
- International representatives
- International recognition: International Scouter's Award, International Spirit Award
- World and region conferences



International TBD

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- BSA contingents to world and region events
- JOTA/JOTI
- Messengers of Peace



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- International Camp Staff Program support
- International Department newsletter
- International Letter of Introduction
- Registration: BSA contingents to world and region events
- International recognition: International Spirit Award



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- Donations to international foundations, the World Scout Foundation/Baden-Powell Fellowship, the Interamerican Scout Foundation/Order of the Condor, other region foundations, the Gilwell Park Development Fund, and the Kandersteg International Scout Centre
- BSA donations, World Friendship Fund

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