



Scouting Around the World

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National Capital Area Council International Committee

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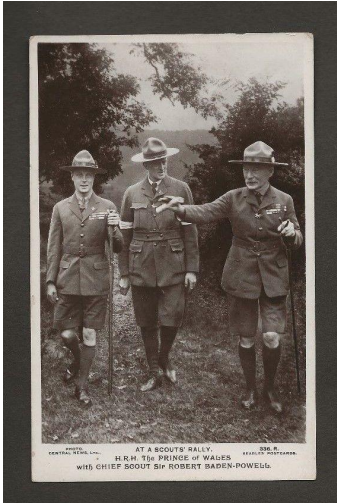
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The International Committee meets the third Thursday, every other month at the Marriott Scout Service Center, 7:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m.

Upcoming meeting date: DINNER 22 August 2019

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1920 A motto from the Prince of Wales: "The Prince of Wales is, as you know, making a great name for himself in each part of the Empire as he visits it, by his jollity and his Scout Smile. In addition to that, he has a wonderfully happy knack of saying things that mean a lot and are useful to remember. Shortly before he went abroad he paid a visit to Eton College, where he inspected and addressed the Boy Scouts. There are no fewer than 250 Boy Scouts among the boys of Eton. And this is what he said to them: "Live not for yourselves but for your country, which is the same thing as playing not for yourself but for your side." There is a motto for you, Scouts, wherever you may be, and I hope you will remember it and will carry it out in all that you do. It has been given to you by our Chief Scout for Wales and our future King.

Collectors' Corner: Beagle Scout Snoopy



Scouts in Myanmar Join Other Youth Organizations To Clean Up Yangon



Nearly 100 Rovers and Scouts banded together in the early morning of May 1 to clean up a garbage-filled back street in downtown Yangon.. "The environment is an important part to a Scout's life and training, and we have been connecting with the environment, learning from nature and taking positive action for the local and global environments. As the world continues to face a lot of environmental challenges, as Scouts, we are dutybound to contribute to prevent any further damages to the global environment,"

Scouting in Jordan



Old emblem



New emblem

Scouting was founded in Jordan in 1954 and became a member of the World Organization of the Scout Movement in 1955. Guiding started in 1938 and became a member of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts in 1978. It serves roughly 16,000 Scouts and 10,000 Guides. The Scout slogan is, "the Scout movement participates in development and works to serve society." Scouts and Guides participate in the painting of schools, building walls, laying floors in public places, conducting literacy campaigns, harvesting crops, visiting the poor, sick and aged. Although the Association is for both boys and girls, the programs are separate and there are no mixed units. The Scout Motto is *Kun Musta'idan* translating as *Be Prepared*. The noun for a single Scout is *Kashaf*.

In addition, there are American Boy Scouts in Amman, linked to the Direct Service branch of the Boy Scouts of America, which supports units around the world.



United States Ambassador to Afghanistan John R. Bass received a couple of Scouts from the Afghanistan National Scout Organization who came to visit the US Embassy in Kabul on April 12 to promote peace and to celebrate the support of the United States for the Afghan Scouts. The Scouts planted some seedlings at the Peace Garden with Ambassador Bass, played team-building games, made origami, and had a demonstration by the Embassy's Fire Department.

HOW TO TELL THE STORY: It's amazing how we can surprise people in an after-dinner conversation when we reveal what Scouts really are. And one of our sad institutional weaknesses is that we have not been able to let society know who we are and what we do.

- Mom, you will notice the transformation of your child both at school and at home, there will be a clear "before and after" Scouting.
- Dad, the presence of the Scouts in the life of your son will make him independent, self-aware, make decisions and begin a leadership career from a tender age.
- Dear government, Scouting is capable of delivering committed citizens for all those tasks that you cannot cope with.
- Respectable entrepreneur, hiring a Scout is a true guarantee of respect, leadership, honesty, creativity and teamwork.
- World, we are that social medicine that we are missing to keep this house called earth alive.

ONE MESSAGE

To attract attention, sell a dream, create an emotion and desire, brands must tell us a story; Scouting has one and it is formidable.

- Scouting is the largest youth movement in the world- It was originated in England in 1907.- Currently 169 countries have their National Scout organization.- We are 50 million Scouts in the world.- In history, more than 500 million people have been Scouts.- An Educational Project with a Scout Method.- Our Vision: Build a better world.- Our Mission: Educate young people to play an active role in society.- We are environmentalists, messengers of peace and we are always ready to serve others.