



# Forth Region Scouts Scotland 24th WSJ 2019 Application Form



**Beyond Borders,  
Beyond Limits,  
Beyond Expectations**

Applicant Details	XX
Name	
Date of Birth (You must be born between 22 July 2001 and 21 July 2005)	
Gender (Male/Female)	
Scout Group or Explorer Unit, and Scout District (and if applicable where you are a Young Leader)	
Parent/Guardian Contact Details	XX
Home Address <i>with Postcode</i>	
Name(s)	1 2
Home & Mobile Phone(s)	H M M
Email address(es) <i>please print for clarity</i>	1 2
Additional needs or other considerations for your daughter /son including medical and dietary  We actively encourage young people with individual needs to be considered for selection for the Jamboree.  No young person is expected to receive less favourable treatment based on their beliefs, ability to pay, sexual orientation, ethnic background or health requirements  A Unit comprised of young people with a wide range of different and complementary skills will ensure the best possible experience for all.	

This page to be filled in by the applicant	
How long you have been Scouting and tell us briefly the main reason why you have stayed involved?	
What are some of the Scouting Awards you hold that most represent your Scouting, e.g. Challenge Awards, Nights Away, Zodiac, Awards, YL Missions?	
Please give brief details of any Scout events you have been on of 4 days duration or more, and of any previous International (Global) activities.	
Tell us briefly about your best Scouting experience in the last 2 years and why it was good?	
What are your interests outside of Scouting, e.g. Sports teams, Hobbies and interests, Musical instruments played, Awards, Service?	
Please tell us what help, training or experience you might need in preparation for WSJ in 2019	
Please tell us why you want to go to the WSJ in 2019, what you would like to get from it and how this could help you in your future Scouting and life	

<p><b>Declaration by Scout, Explorer Scout or Young Leader</b></p>	<p>I wish to apply for a place in the Forth Region Jamboree Unit to attend the 24th World Jamboree in North America. In signing this form, I confirm that I understand and agree to the following:</p> <p>I understand that if my selection is accepted, my parents will be liable for the Jamboree costs through direct payments and/or fund-raising.</p> <p>I confirm my commitment to being an active member of my local scout section and to attending training weekends and other activities that are organised by the Unit and that any failure to do so may result in me being asked to withdraw from the Jamboree Unit.</p> <p>If I am not yet in an Explorer Scout and/or Young Leader Unit, I will transfer from my Scout Troop around the time of my 14<sup>th</sup> Birthday and remain active in regular Scouting.</p> <p>Signature of applicant: _____</p>
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<p><b>Parent or Guardian's agreement</b></p>	<p>I support my daughter/son in applying for a place in the Forth Region Jamboree Unit attending the 24th World Jamboree in North America.</p> <p>In signing this form, I confirm that I understand and agree to the following:</p> <p>I understand that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• if successful, I will be liable for the expected £3850 total Jamboree cost through payments and/or fund-raising and meeting the payment schedule (See the 'Forth Flyer WSJ24' Information document on financial support)</li> <li>• My daughter/son will remain active in local Scouting and if not yet done so they will transfer from their Scout Troop to an Explorer Scout and/or Young Leader Unit around the time of their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday.</li> <li>• I will be an active member of the parent fund raising team, to which Forth Region will, where practical, offer support.</li> </ul> <p>I confirm my commitment to ensure that my son/daughter attends WSJ training weekends and other activities that are organised by the Unit to their satisfaction and that any failure to successfully participate in these may result in them being asked to withdraw from the Unit.</p> <p>Signature of Parent / Guardian and date:</p> <p>_____</p>
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**PLEASE GET THIS FORM SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT'S LEADER**

<p><b>Scout Leader's or Explorer Leader's signature and date</b></p> <p>We will be in touch with the applicant's Leaders and District for confidential supporting comments on the applicant</p>	
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**SEND THE COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM (pages 1-3) BY POST TO:**

**Colin Robertson  
Forth Region Scouts  
9 Melfort Drive,  
Stirling,  
FK7 0BD**

**Forms MUST be returned NO LATER than 19th November 2017 AND INCLUDE two passport sizes photo's or small prints of the applicant.**

**Further information:**

**Subject to there being a manageable number of applications, it is expected that all applicants will be invited to a local week-end selection event starting and/or finishing at The Craigs or The Barrwood on 25/11-26/11/2017 and including an overnight indoor sleep-over locally. There will be a small charge to cover costs. It is essential to attend this one-time event to be considered for selection. Confirmation and joining instructions will be sent to your contact e-mail(s) by 21st November. There will be more information at the end of the selection event. If your daughter/son is then offered a place you may decide to accept it or not.**

**Should your son/daughter not be successful in gaining a place on WSJ24 then please maintain their interest in Scouting. There is usually interest from many applicants and places in the Unit are usually over-subscribed. The selection is neither a test of their Scouting skills nor a judgement on them as individuals. Selection is to create a team from all the eligible age year groups who can individually benefit and collectively work together. Equally attending WSJ24 is not an end in itself to Scouting value. Please make it clear to all applicants that Scouting will continue to offer a fully worthwhile sectional programme to meet their needs through to age 25 and that other future International opportunities will always be available to all members.**

**Contact me for any further queries or discussion of financial support by email to [colinrobertson46@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:colinrobertson46@tiscali.co.uk) or by phone on 01786 474634 or 07851 079095**

**Colin Robertson  
Forth Region (International)**

For more information on the WSJ see the following links and follow Forth Region Scouts website, e-news and social media for updates

<https://ukcontingent.co.uk/jamboree-2019>

<https://www.2019wsj.org/>

<http://www.frscouts.org.uk>