

Scouting Around the World



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National Capital Area Council International Committee

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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: September 15, 2016

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B-P Bits:



1929 WJ Arrow Park: "There are about a thousand things that you Scouts can show to Scouts from other lands when they come here for the jamboree. You see, Scouting began in England, so they all look to English Scouts to show them how it ought to be done. Therefore you will have to be very smart and good at your work in order to give them the right idea. ... Then there is the question of hats. Well, it's this way: if a Scout is smart he dresses smartly; if he is a slacker he lets his dress and appearance be slack. Nowhere is it more noticeable than in his hat and the way he wears it. So keep your hat in good shape which will show that you are in good shape yourself."

Collectors' Corner: Boy Scout Music Theme











1912 Sheet Music

BSA Merit Badge

UK/Canada

Cigarette Card









BSA Position

CD of WJ Songs

Postcard

Rushden UK Scout Band Photo

24th WORLD SCOUT JAMBOREE GUIDELINES FOR REGISTRATION: Guidelines for a World Scout Jamboree are that no contingent is allotted more than 10 percent of the expected attendance. As the host, the BSA cannot represent more than 20 percent of the total attendance at the jamboree. We are awaiting the allocation from the 2019 WSJ Host Team for the number of people, considering our collaboration with Scouts Canada and Scouts Mexico, for the BSA contingent. We expect the interest to be greater than our allocation. The allocations to youth will be our highest priority. The Host Team is a separate department from the International Department at national. The team is led by Executive Director Marty Walsh. Be sure to indicate your interest by signing up on the BSA contingent website at www.scouting.org/worldjamboree. For more information about the 2019 WSJ Host Team, see www.2019wsj.org.

SCOUTING IN: SLOVENIA



Zveza Tabornikov Slovenije Scout Association of Slovenia





The World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM) was founded in 1920 with 30 national Scout organizations. One of the founding countries was the Kingdom of Yugoslavia. Scouting was officially established in Slovenia in October 1922, when a large number of Scout groups established the Scout Parish for Croatia and Slovenia, founded in Osijek. The *Slovenia Scout Region* was established in early 1923 in Ljubljana. The first Slovene Scout and Guide camp was organized during the summer of 1923 at a Slovene alpine resort. Scouting in Slovenia was officially dissolved on June 10, 1941 because of World War II. Just prior to the dissolution, there were 1,380 members of the Slovene Scout Organization.

Scouting in the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia was coopted by the Tito government in 1950, at which time WOSM membership was forfeited. In 1951, individual Scout associations were founded in all then-Yugoslav republics, as branches of Savez Izviđača Jugoslavije. The first was *Zveza tabornikov Slovenije* (ZTS) in Slovenia.

Slovene Scouting also continued in exile, at first in refugee camps, and afterwards in Argentina and Canada.

The Catholic Scout Movement began to spread all over Slovenia when Peter Lovšin, became acquainted with the Scout Movement. He decided to begin apolitical Scouting in Ljubljana. On March 31, 1990, the *Združenje slovenskih katoliških skavtinj in skavtov* (ZSKSS) was founded and officially recognized in 1992.

In 1994, ZTS became the 138th member of WOSM. ZSKSS received full membership in WAGGGS in 1999. *Associazione Guide e Scouts Cattolici Italiani* and Scout Associations in Poland, Spain, Austria, and Ireland have been actively involved in the growth of Scouting in Slovenia.



<u>August 17 at 11:02am</u> - The World Organization of the Scout Movement - WOSM - recognizes and welcomes Myanmar Scout, the National Scout Organization of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar. WOSM currently has a total of 164 National Scout Organizations in more than 220 countries and territories in the world.

Read more at https://www.scout.org/node/210546.