



The Bharat Scouts and Guides

National Headquarters

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To
All the State Secretaries,
State Associations of
The Bharat Scouts and Guides,
INDIAN UNION.

Circular No. : 45 / 2015
Dated : 08th April, 2015

SUB.: 13TH NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL VENTURE – INFERNO 2016.

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to inform you that the Scouts New Zealand invites and extends a warm invitation to Venturer Scouts to join us for their National Scouting event in January 2016. The Venture includes an initial period of 5 days for expeditions to be undertaken at challenging and active sites and bases on both land and water. The second phase of the Venture will be based at the site for this event close to the city of Rotorua, and at the centre of the thermal activity area of New Zealand.

Details as follows:

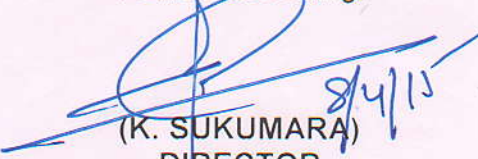
Event	: 13 th New Zealand National Venture – INFERNO 2016
Dates	: 03 rd to 14 th January 2016
Venue	: Lakes Ranch, Tikitere, 15 Kms from Rotorua, New Zealand
Arrival & Departure	: All Venturers are requested to arrive by the afternoon of 3 rd January 2016, as the expeditions commence from the morning of 4 th January. If arriving earlier, accommodation can be arranged at nearby campsites.
Eligibility	: Venturer (Senior Scouts) aged 14 – 18 years
Expeditions	: Activities planned for this period of the Venture include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hiking and sailing• Hiking around Lake Waikaremoana• Kayaking in the Waimarino area• Enjoying the sun, surf, and sand at Bay of Plenty beaches• Exploring the Coromandel Peninsula region• Diving at Whitianga / Tutukaka• Canoeing on the Whanganui River• Exploring the Rotorua region• Completing the Tongariro circuit
On the Activities	: In the second phase of the Venture a wide range of on-site and off-site events in and around Rotorua of an individual choice – adventurous (or not !) as you like, with time to socialize, spend time at the Rover Café, and when the sun has set awesome night entertainment.

Equipments	: Venturers will need to bring their own personal equipment, including sleeping bag (bedding), eating utensils, wet weather gear, and strong footwear for the expedition phase. Venturers from overseas will share a tent with a N Z Venturer that will be provided along with cooking equipment. Overseas Venturers to note that suitcases are not suitable for the expedition phase. (Secure storage facilities will be provided for personal gear not required during the expedition phase).
Registration Fee	: Base Venture Fee - \$NZ 700 i.e. INR Rs. 32,868/- (Approx) including all accommodation, meals and on-site activities Leaders - \$NZ 300 i.e. INR Rs. 14,086/- (Approx) Expedition Fee - This will vary depending on the expedition selected and will range from \$NZ 300 i.e. INR Rs. 14,086/- (Approx) to \$NZ 950 i.e. INR Rs. 44,602/- (Approx) depending on the level of activity and special gear and equipment required.
Caution Money	: Rs. 5000/- , Non-refundable; if selected and not participated. <i>Demand Draft in the name of "Bharat Scouts & Guides", payable at New Delhi</i>
Airfare	: Approximate Airfare from Delhi – Rotorua – Delhi will be INR Rs. 1,10,000/- inclusive of VISA Fees.
Application Forms	: The application can be downloaded from the Venture Website: www.inferno2016.com or check – www.facebook.com/inferno2016
Last Date of Application	: As the quota is limited, selection will be on the basis of "FIRST COME FIRST SERVE" The applications of the participating candidates should reach to National Headquarters, New Delhi on or before 31st August 2015 .

You are requested to encourage your Scouts as per the eligibility criteria mentioned above and send their applications in the prescribed Performa (enclosed) to the National Headquarters, Bharat Scouts & Guides, New Delhi latest by **31st August 2015**.

Thanking you,

Yours in Scouting,


(K. SUKUMARA)
DIRECTOR

Encl.:- As above

C.c to: - All the Office Bearers of the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters.