



Scouts SA

Canoeing Action Newsletter

(Organisation and Events)

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Training

Many of the standards and requirements that Scouts have been directed by in the past are now legislated.

Whilst much of the training and skills are similar to previous requirements in Scouts SA the paper work is different and falls in line with the Scouts Australia requirements.

The Bad News

We have been advising you of the above information for some time (years!) and those leaders who have not upgraded their qualifications **will be unable to act as qualified (endorsed) Canoe or Kayak Scout Leaders after 31st December 2015**. If you are unsure of your status please contact BC Canoeing bc.canoeing@sa.scouts.com.au.

The Good News

On the weekend of 7th – 8th November members of the canoe team will be available to assist you to upgrade your qualifications, Saturday will be at the Glenelg Adventurous Activities Centre and Sunday will be at Garden Island. You will be required to attend both days.

If you wish to accept this offer:-

- Please contact Jeff Playfair bc.canoeing@sa.scouts.com.au ASAP.
- You will need to bring a current log of your activities (past 3 years), a copy of your leader history from MyScout and any supporting photos or documentation. Please note that camps whether canoeing or not can be included as we are looking at your Canoeing/Kayaking skill sets as well as your communication, navigation and camping skills.

Remember our youth are always looking for adventurous activities to participate in.

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