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To All District Commissioners ,

Circular No.10/2020

19th Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Photo Contest (2020)

"Scouting is open and accessible to all, reflecting better the composition of our communities and the different societies!"

We are pleased to announce that the 19th Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Photo Contest - 2020 is now open. This year's theme is "Diversity and Inclusion in Scouting."

Diversity and Inclusion is one of the Strategic Priorities of the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM) under Vision 2023. Over the years, WOSM has made efforts to make Scouting inclusive by valuing the diversity of local and national communities. Scouts and young adults in Scouting have been involved in significant projects that are making a great impact in their communities and raising Scouting's profile in this area. Through photos, we are giving life to the work that Scouts are doing across the world.

**Diversity.** The concept of diversity encompasses recognising people as individuals, understanding that each one of us is unique, and respecting our individual differences. Recognising diversity in Scouting involves valuing and having regard for everyone, and using those differences to create cohesive and diverse local, national and global communities.

**Inclusion.** Inclusion implies valuing diversity of individuals, giving equal access and opportunities to all and having each person involved and participating in activities to the greatest extent possible.

**Submission**

Interested Scouts are requested to submit their entries duly endorsed by the District Commissioner and selected entry will be tendered to APR. All entries will be judged independently by a carefully selected competent pool of internationally acclaimed photographers.

**GENERAL GUIDELINES**

- Photos must have a title and should reflect the theme, "Diversity and Inclusion in Scouting."
- Resolution 300ppi if entry is in digital copy
- Size 8R (8" x 10") (203 x 254mm) if printed copy
- Any entry less than the required resolution and size will not be accepted, as the winning entries will be used in regional publications
- ANY LEVEL OF SCOUTS AND LEADERS CAN SEND.
- Deadline of submission of entries is on **10 March 2020**. Please send your submission of entries on or before the deadline to reach the National Headquarters.
- Each photo must have an Entry Form properly filled out, endorsed, and attached to the photo

At the end of the competition, six winners will be selected: one (1) Gold, two (2) Silvers, and three (3) Bronzes. The Awards will be presented at a major regional event to be announced later, and the winning entries will be featured in regional publications, including the 2021 APR wall calendar and posters.

Thank you  
Yours in scout service,

  
Kapila Kalyana Perera  
International Commissioner

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Chief Commissioner / All Commissioners at National Headquarters  
Media Commissioner - for publication of Web, FB, etc...

# ENTRY FORM

19TH APR SCOUT PHOTO CONTEST (2020)

TITLE OF ENTRY			
NAME			
GENDER	AGE	POSITION IN SCOUTING	
DISTRICT			
SCHOOL			
CONTACT DETAILS			
EMAIL			

Signature Of Applicant	Signature of Principal	Signature of District Commissioner
Date	Date	Date