



Circular No: **04/2026**

25th January 2026

To All District Commissioners,

15th Malaysia Scout Jamboree – Malaysia (29th August to 5th September 2026)

We are pleased to inform you that the International Division of the Sri Lanka Scout Association is now calling for applications to participate in the 15th Malaysia Scout Jamboree, scheduled to be held from 29th August to 5th September 2026 in Bandar Cassia, Seberang Perai Selatan, Penang, Malaysia.

Youth participants (Scouts) must be between 13 and 17 years of age at the time of the event (born after 29th August 2008 and not later than 29th August 2013). Adult Scout Leaders and members of the Contingent Management Team (CMT) must be 18 years or older (born on or before 29th August 2008).

Please note that this is a physical, in-person event. All participating Scouts and adult leaders are required to bear the cost of airfare, Jamboree participation fees, visa fees, and any other related expenses. The responsibility for booking air tickets and obtaining the relevant visa rests entirely with the individual participant. The Sri Lanka Scout Association will not be responsible for airfare arrangements or visa processing. Further details are provided in the annexure attached to this circular.

Eligible and interested applicants are requested to complete the Overseas Events Application Form, duly recommended by the Group Scout Leader/School Principal and District Commissioner. Completed applications should be sent by registered post to: Sri Lanka Scout Association, 65/9, Sir Chittampalam A. Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02. Please indicate “15th Malaysia Scout Jamboree” on the top left corner of the envelope. All applications must reach the National Scout Headquarters on or before 13th February 2026.

We kindly request you to disseminate this information among Scouts and Scout Leaders within your respective districts.

Thank you.

Yours in Scout Service,

Dr. Asanka Eriyawa
International Commissioner

Manoj Nanayakkara (AAL)
Chief Commissioner

**Copies to: President, Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer of the Committee of the Council
All NHQ Commissioners**

15th Malaysia Scout Jamboree – Penang, Malaysia (29th August to 5th September 2026)

Event Details	
Event name	15 th Malaysia Scout Jamboree – Penang, Malaysia
Event details	<p>Scouts Association of Malaysia (PPM) in collaboration with the Pulau Pinang State Scout Council, will be organising the 15th Malaysia Scout Jamboree 2026 in conjunction with the celebration of Diamond Jubilee of Malaysian Scout Jamboree</p> <p>“Tracing the Legacy, Shaping the Future” is the Jamboree theme.</p>
Dates	The 15 th Malaysia Scout Jamboree will be held from 29 th August to 4 th September 2026.
Event Venue	Bandar Cassia, Seberang Perai Selatan, Penang, Malaysia
Eligibility of Participants	<p>Youth Participants (Scouts) must be between the ages of 13 and 18 at the time of the event (born after 29th August 2008 and not later than 29th August 2013).</p> <p>Adult Scout Leaders and Contingent Management Team (CMT) members must be 18 or older (born on or before 29th August 2008). Adult Scout Leaders and CMT members should have a valid warrant for the year 2026.</p>
Adherence to Ministry of Education requirements	<p>Scouts from government schools are advised to form patrols consisting of nine Scouts (which may include members from different schools) along with one Adult Scout Leader who must be a government school teacher.</p> <p>In the case of semi-government and private schools, the same composition must be adhered to.</p> <p>Please note that this is a mandatory requirement for the selection of Scouts, in accordance with Ministry of Education guidelines. Scouts who are unable to meet this requirement will not be eligible for inclusion in the contingent.</p>

Event Costs	
Event Fee / Registration fee	250 USD for Youth Participants, Adult Scout Leaders and CMT (USD = United States Dollar)
Airfare	Approximately LKR 120,000.00 from Colombo to Penang International Airport Malaysia Please note: All prices are highly subject to significant changes due to airfare fluctuations.
Visa fee + Visa handling fee	Visa Fee: LKR 10,000.00, for Sri Lanka according to the official portal of Immigration Department of Malaysia to obtain an e VISA. Visa Handling Fee: LKR 5,000.00, payable through a travel agent. Applicants must possess a valid passport at the time of the interview, with validity up to at least 31 st March 2027.
Travel and medical insurance	Participants are required to obtain travel and medical insurance covering the entire period of their stay outside Sri Lanka (approximately LKR 5,000). Please note that this medical insurance does not cover pre-existing health conditions.
NHQ Administration fee and Overseas Jamboree fund	LKR 5,000 (non-refundable): This fee covers the SLSA scarf, SLSA shoulder patches, Sri Lanka flag for the uniform, and all administrative work at the National Scout Headquarters (NHQ).
Additional costs / Post Jamboree Tour	Participants will be responsible for any additional costs related to transportation, food, and accommodation before and after the event. The estimated cost of the post-Jamboree tour is approximately USD 150.
Contingent merchandise	The contingent T-shirt, contingent bag, contingent water bottle, and contingent badge will be produced, and each participant is required to purchase and pay for the contingent merchandise.
Training camps	The costs of the training camps must be borne by the participants.
VISA and Air ticket disclaimer form	All participants must sign a disclaimer and acknowledge that they are personally responsible for obtaining their visa and arranging their air tickets. The Sri Lanka Scout Association (SLSA) will not be responsible for these, as visas are issued by the embassy based on the individual circumstances of each participant. However, SLSA will assist participants by providing guidance and supporting documents for obtaining visas and arranging air tickets.
Surety bond	Not required

Application Process	
Application pathway	Application to be endorsed by relevant Group Scout Leader/ Principal and District Commissioner
Application download	Applications for Youth Participants (Scouts) Click here Application for Adult Scout Leaders, CMT and IST Click here
Deadline for applications	Should reach National Scout headquarters on or before 13 th February 2026
Postal Address	Application should be sent through registered post to: Sri Lanka Scout Association, 65/9, Sir Chittampalam A. Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02. Please indicate “15 th Malaysia Scout Jamboree” on the top left corner of the envelope
Application method (Email to)	Not accepted.
Application method (physical handover)	Not accepted.
Selection method	Interview by a panel
Interview date, time, venue	Will be notified soon through your working WhatsApp number
Conditions	SLSA reserves the right to withdraw permission to participate, cancel the selection, alter any conditions at its discretion.