



# ERMINGTON JOEYS

MONDAY – 6.30 – 7.30 PM

## TERM 3 – 2017 ENVIRONMENT CHALLENGE

[www.ermingtonscouts.asn.au/joeys.html](http://www.ermingtonscouts.asn.au/joeys.html)

Date	DAY	WK	ACTIVITY/THEME	ADDITIONAL INFO	KOALA
24 Jul	Mon	1	Under the Sea		Cheng
30 Jul	Sun	1	National Tree Day	Come and plant some trees	E1 due 24 Jul
31 Jul	Mon	2	Prepare for Mob Holiday	Decorate a Dilly Bag	Guo
7 Aug	Mon	3	Open Night	Circus Night	McCredden Ni
12-13 Aug	Sat-Sun	3	Joey Mob Holiday - Eco Warriors	With Winston Hills at Ingleside	E1 due 31 Jul
14 Aug	Mon	4	NO JOEYS TONIGHT		
21 Aug	Mon	5	Mad Scientist Night		Henstock
27 Aug	Sun		Fertiliser Drive	Help needed - this is a major fundraising activity for our Group	
28 Aug	Mon	6	Bring Your Dad Night	Or another adult if Dad cannot make it.	Sultana
4 Sep	Mon	7	Fun with Balloons		Zwatzka
11 Sep	Mon	8	Spring has Sprung		Collins
18 Sep	Mon	9	Spies Like Us		Roles
<b>First Joey Meeting in Term 4 is on Monday 9th October</b> <b>Term 4 - Upcoming Events</b> 21 Oct - St. Mary's Rydalmere Fete - Activity Day 25-26 Nov - Group Family Camp at Camp Ku-Ring-Gai (near Windsor)					
<b>Ermington Joeys Weekend Activity</b>			<b>No Joeys</b>	<b>District Joey Event</b>	<b>Group Event</b>

### Bring To Joeys

Please bring along a labelled water bottle each week. We do lots of active games at Joeys, and at times we need to stop for a drink of water. Bringing along your own water bottle saves us time - as there is no waiting to use the one bubbler, and there are no cups to wash up at the end of the night.

Please make sure that closed in shoes are worn to Joeys at all times (no sandals, thongs or Crocs).

### Koala - Parent Helper Roster

Koala is a Joey parent/responsible adult helper. We roster parents onto specific nights. During your turn as Koala you will join the parade circle at opening and closing and will assist the Leaders to run games and activities. It is not all hard work - we have lots of fun as well. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

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**Don't let the kids have all the fun - we are looking for more adults to train as Leaders.  
No special skills required - training is provided.**

## Joining Joeys

Joeys is for girls and boys aged 6-7 years. Come along for a free 4 week trial and see just how much fun you can have. Joeys are welcome to Bring a Friend along to our Monday meetings at any time. See one of our Leaders for more information on Joeys.

## Opening Parade

We do endeavour to start on time, and your arrival 5 mins before is appreciated. All Joeys must be escorted to and from the hall by their parent/responsible adult. Opening parade will be held at 6.30pm sharp. Closing parade will be held at approximately 7.25pm to ensure that we have time for the ceremony, flag parade, awarding of badges, and note presentation.

## Activity Notes (E1 Forms)

For activities away from the hall we require you to return the Activity Notification Form (E1) by the closing date. Activities run at District/Region level have strict closing dates which are not flexible. To attend you must return the E1 by the closing date listed on the E1. **These notes are emailed out and uploaded to the Joey page of our website.**

## Promise Challenge Award

The Promise Challenge Award is the highest award in Joey Scouts. If you are 7 ½ you can start to work towards this badge. Come and see us if you have any questions about the award. A copy of the requirements is available on our website, or see your Leader.

## Fees Due in Week 2 of Each Term

*We have a sliding scale for normal term fees due:  
\$100 – for the 1<sup>st</sup> child, \$90 – for the 2<sup>nd</sup> child, and \$80 – for the 3<sup>rd</sup> and subsequent children.  
New members - \$125 is due prior to investiture instead of the normal term fee.*

Fees can be paid by cash or cheque (payable to 1<sup>st</sup> Ermington Scouts) to your section Leader, or via direct credit:

**ACCT NAME:** 1st Ermington Scouts  
**BSB:** 032 280  
**ACCT #:** 180 160

Please use your surname as a reference so that we can allocate payments to the correct account.

<b>Sandy Knox</b> <b>Platypus</b> Joey Scout Leader (JSL) 0421 651 447	<b>Xavier Calder</b> <b>Kangaroo</b> Assistant Joey Scout Leader (AJSL)	<b>Rebecca Knox</b> <b>Dingo</b> Assistant Joey Scout Leader (in Training)
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I promise to do my best To love my God And be helpful	A Joey Scout Cares A Joey Scout Shares