



Position Vacant

Keirawarra District Commissioner



About the role

An exciting opportunity has become available to join the South Coast and Tablelands Region Senior Leadership Team as Keirawarra District Commissioner. We are seeking applications from suitably experienced people who will provide outstanding leadership and support to Scout Groups within the Keirawarra District.

The Keirawarra District covers the geographical area between Helensburgh in the north and Figtree in the south, and is currently operating with the following 10 Scout Groups:

1 st Austinmer	1 st Balgownie	1 st Bulli	1 st Figtree
1 st Helensburgh	1 st Keiraville	1 st Mt St Thomas	1 st Russellvale
1 st Thirroul	1 st West Wollongong		

The District Commissioner is primarily responsible for the delivery of the Youth Program and development of Scouting within the District. This role leads the improvement of Scouting in the District, in conjunction with the support of Group Leaders, District Leaders, Adult Supporters and the broader community.

The District Commissioner promotes and helps coordinate Scouting activities, provides support for Group Leaders in the establishment of Group operating standards, recruitment and selection of Leaders, supports the training and development of Leaders, upholds Scouting policies and rules, coordinates administration and property matters, and monitors the retention and advancement of youth members and adult Leaders.

To apply

If you believe you meet the requirements of this senior leadership position, please submit your application addressing the selection criteria in a cover letter (maximum of two pages), outlining your qualifications, skills and experience to the Region Commissioner via email: phil.crutchley@sctscouts.org.au. Please ensure to include a resume with your application.

Applications close: 7pm, Wednesday 21 August.

Applicants are encouraged to read the Position Description prior to applying. Position Descriptions can be found on the Region website. For any questions or further information, please contact Phil Crutchley, Region Commissioner, via email: phil.crutchley@sctscouts.org.au or Grant Whitehorn, Deputy Region Commissioner HR & Communications, via email: grant.whitehorn@sctscouts.org.au

All expressions of interest will be treated confidentially.

Yours in Scouting,

Phil Crutchley
Region Commissioner
South Coast & Tablelands Region
Scouts Australia (NSW)

Selection Criteria for Keirawarra District Commissioner

Each of the following essential criteria must be addressed in your application:

1. Demonstrated sound knowledge and strong commitment to the philosophy and objectives of the Scout Movement, its policies and procedures and a clear understanding of its unique role from other youth organisations.
2. Demonstrated enthusiasm in being able to motivate and build team cohesion among both youth and adults.
3. Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively with all levels in Scouting and with the Community at large.
4. Demonstrated experience of working within a team environment.
5. Hold a Leader of Adults (LOA) Wood Badge or be prepared to complete a Leader of Adults Wood Badge within twelve months of appointment.
6. Have a sound knowledge of the delivery of the Scout Program.