

COUNCIL PAK #6, September 2003

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Hi There:

In order to facilitate quicker communication, we've put together an electronic Council Pak to help provide some answers as well as a heads up on what we're working on.

Please note: We are currently working on a replacement for BP&P. The new document will include Bylaw #2, and Scouts Canada's Policies and Procedures. The Procedures will include the Duty of Care document and an updated version of the former Camping/Outdoor Activity Guide (now referred to as the Camping/Outdoor Activity Procedures).

The document, once completed, will be made available on our Web site and in three ring binder format.

Included in this Pak are:

- ◆ New Group Committee Resource material including Group Commissioner information and job descriptions.
- ◆ Updated VRAD material reflecting the deletion of the three month probation period.
(Please note: These documents will be made available in French as soon as possible.)
- ◆ A copy of the response that Jennifer Austin, Director of Communications, has crafted re registration fees and increases. Please note we are suggesting that we refer people with questions to Scouts Canada's Program Standards on the Web indicating what a parent can expect their child/youth to receive and also to the fund-raising material on the site to help offset costs.
- ◆ An update "What's New" from Julian Celms and Ian Mitchell, Program Division.

Good Scouting,

Ross Francis

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