

Essex International Jamboree

27th July to 3rd August 2024



*A Celebration of
Girlguiding and Scouting*



Looking for your next international experience?

Bookings are open to attend Essex International Jamboree 2024 (EIJ2024) there's plenty of time to register your group or apply to be staff. We will continue to accept bookings until we are full. If you have never been to Essex International Jamboree (EIJ), put simply, it's an enormous camp for Scouts and Guides from around the world; it lasts 1 week, but takes years to plan. It's a famous event in the Scout and Girlguiding world and is renowned for being one of the best jamborees.

The event is held in a huge field every four years at Boyton Cross near Chelmsford, Essex, which is only 40 miles from London and its major transport hubs.

This 120-acre green field is transformed by 1,500 volunteers into a fully operational tented village. By this we mean it has all the facilities you'd expect - water, showers, toilets, electrics, communications, food distribution, health and welfare services and even a beach!

On Saturday 27th July 2024, our Jamboree will open again to 10,000 Scouts and Guides from all over the world to camp together for a week of fun, discovery and adventure, embracing the spirit of Girlguiding and Scouting.

We have a varied and exciting selection of activities including a range of adventurous, creative and cultural activities following the Scout and Guide programme, as well as opportunities to meet new friends from around the world.

In the evening, the Jamboree becomes even more vibrant with lots of different entertainment venues and activities.

EIJ2024 promises to be an unforgettable experience, providing skills for life, building new friendships, and memories to last a lifetime.

We already have bookings from many overseas groups and volunteer staff, so it truly is an international experience.

If you are short of equipment or other experienced leaders, we can support groups by buddying you up with other groups to support with leader ratios and equipment. We also offer lots of help and advice in regular newsletters and webinars.

Our Jamboree requires an army of volunteers to provide an amazing experience for all our participants and leaders. By joining our staff team you will be part of a unique experience and the heart of this is having fun. You will meet people from many different backgrounds with a multitude of experiences and make friendships that will last a lifetime. It's a fantastic opportunity and one never to be forgotten.

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