

## **Jamboree**

The origins of the word Jamboree is unknown. It was used in North America in the late 1800's to describe a celebration or large Party. We are unsure when our founder Baden-Powell Came across it, but it was first referenced in Scouting in 1916.

## **World Scout Jamboree**

The World Scout Jamboree or also known as WSJ is an international gathering of 40,000 Scouts and Guides from all around the world for 10 days. It happens every 4 years where a different country supported by WOSM gets to host the event. The World Scout Jamboree is an opportunity for young people and adult volunteers to make international friendships with people from diverse cultures, and take part in a safe, inclusive, and sustainable programme of activities.

## **National Jamboree**

A national Jamboree is like the World Jamboree but with less attendance and are more frequent due to less workforce to run them. There are always a couple happening all around the world every year. They still present the opportunity for young people and adult volunteers to make international friendships with people from diverse cultures, and take part in a safe, inclusive, and sustainable programme of activities.