

## Matthew Enger

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**Sent:** Sunday, 17 June 2007 2:06 PM  
**To:** scout-notices@3descouts.org.au  
**Subject:** [Scout-notices] Challenge Camp / Scouts next week  
**Attachments:** T2 - Gilwell Map.pdf; ATT00027.txt

Just a reminder to those not attending the challenge camp, there will be no scouts next week.

People we know are attending (in no particular order)

Francis – Paid  
Paul  
Sam  
Mitchell – Paid  
Johnathan – Paid  
Glen – Paid  
Nicole – Paid  
Rebecca – Paid  
Minh – Paid  
Jessie – Paid  
David  
James

If your name is listed above and you have not paid, payment was due last Friday. I need to have your money into the scout account and cleared in order to pay for food, gas for cooking and camping fees this coming Friday.

### Friday:

We are meeting at the hall at 5:30pm this Friday. One member from each patrol will do the shopping, the other members will assist with packing of the equipment. We aim to leave the hall at 6:30pm, so it is imperative that we have your co-operation on the Friday night to get this done smoothly.

If you do not make it to the hall by 6:30pm you will need to make your own way to Gilwell. The map is attached.

### Friday Dinner:

There is no dinner provided for Friday night. We will stop at McDonalds on the way up and we recommend you bring \$5 with you in order to purchase your food.

### Gear List:

I have put together a gear list below, this is a minimum:

- Sleeping Bag
- Stretcher / Lilo
- Blanket to go over stretcher/lilo to insulate between sleeping bag and bed.
- Blanket to go over top of sleeping bag
- Beanie
- Hot water bottle (recommended)
- Sleeping gear – recommend tracksuit pants, socks and warm t-shirt (long sleeve is better). Also recommend beanie.
- Lots of socks

- Clothes to wear during day – keep in mind they may get muddy especially if it is wet, avoid jeans as if they get wet they will make you cold. x 3.
- Wet weather gear
- Hat
- Suncream
- Towel and shower gear
- Toiletries
- Warm clothing
- Dilly Bag – cloth bag with your plate, bowl, cup, knife, fork, spoon, teaspoon and tea towel in it
- 2 pairs of shoes
- Warm clothes to wear during gauntlet. You will get wet and muddy so wear old clothes.
- Several strong plastic bags to put wet gear into.
- Sense of humour
- Aeroguard
- Torch
- Personal First Aid Kit
- Did I mention warm clothing?

### **Menu / camping gear list:**

I will check over the menu on Friday, keep in mind that it will need to be healthy and include vegetables. I recommend a warm desert as well such as fruit cake and custard. Patrol leaders should review the list they have and make sure it is suitable before Friday.

Camping gear list will need to be on a separate piece of paper from menu for people packing trailer. I recommend that it be adjusted to be a tick list so that the people packing can tick off what they are taking.

We will provide each patrol with a lantern (electric) and a gas stove for cooking. If you require a BBQ you will need to source one from within your patrol members as well as a gas bottle for it.

### **Contact while on camp:**

Mobile phone coverage at Gilwell is patchy at best. If you do need to contact anyone we highly recommend you either sms myself (0406 532 792) or email [m.enger@xi.com.au](mailto:m.enger@xi.com.au) which is linked to my mobile phone and I should receive it eventually.

### **Transport:**

Assistance with transport will be required. Every parent is required to make themselves available to provide transport in at least one direction in order to allow us to share the load equally.

Can the following parents assist with transport to Gilwell: Francis, Mitchell, Minh (If Mark is able to assist on Friday night then 2 cars will be fine, we just don't know at this stage)

Can the following parents assist with transport back from Gilwell: Nicole, David/James

For those picking up at Gilwell, we aim to have everyone ready for pickup at Gilwell at 1:30pm.

Kids will be ready for pickup at scout hall at 4:00pm.