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Patrol Leaders Training Course (PLTC) Gauteng Region

Dear First Class Scout,

Gauteng Region is pleased to inform you that we will be running a PLTC course from Friday 24 to Sunday 26 March 2023 at Gilwell Scouting Centre in Florida Lake, Johannesburg.



Please be aware that PLTC will only run if there are a sufficient number of participant and staff applications.

The PLTC is designed to provide intermediate Patrol Leader training to PLs and APLs and is an optional requirement for First Class in the Scout Programme.

PLTC should ideally be attended by PLs and APLs who are about to or have just embarked on their First Class. The course focuses on leadership opportunities and experiences, as well as camp, hike and project planning, among other skills and theory.

The details for PLTC are:

When: Friday 24 to Sunday 26 March 2023

Times: 18:00pm Friday – 15:00pm Sunday

Venue: Gilwell Scouting Centre, Florida Lake

Cost: R450

Cost Includes: Badge, Meals & Venue fees

RSVP: By Tuesday 21 March 2023

To book your course, follow the link below to complete the online application form and email proof of payment to kyle.beningfield@scouts.org.za

<https://forms.gle/E1ohnmEPHEcmqm7F8>

Please be aware that you will need to upload the PLTC 23-1 Signature Form (with all three signatures) and a fully completed and signed Parent Consent Form.

The bank details are:

SA Scout Association, Gauteng Training

Nedbank Braamfontein Branch

Code: 195005

Account: 1950400077

Ref: PLTC First name + Surname (e.g. PLTC Joe Smith) or PLTC Group Name(e.g. PLTC 1st Gilwell) for group deposits

Please be aware that this course is aimed at 14 to 17 year old Scouts who have completed the Discoverer Personal Development Theme badge and are working towards their First Class.

Please note that space is limited to 32 participants and booking works on a first come first served basis. If any part of the application or consent form is not completed, or proof of payment is not provided, the application cannot be processed.

Places on course cannot be reserved and will only be processed with fully completed applications.

If you are booked and cannot make it, please notify us immediately so that your spot can be given to the next Scout in line.

If you do not receive an email confirming your place on course, then you are not on course. **Please do not arrive on Friday 24 March 2023 without receiving the confirmation email.**

In alignment with recent Government regulations, SCOUTS South Africa has decided to lift all current Covid-19 restrictions. This means that masks are no longer mandatory but may be worn if a person prefers to wear one.

Likewise, there will also be no more occupancy restrictions for campsites and indoor or outdoor gatherings and events.

We still ask that where possible, participants bring their own tent as we cannot guarantee scouts from the same district/troop will be in the same patrol.

Yours in Scouting,

Kyle Beningfield
Course Leader

Kit List:

- Full uniform
- Camp uniform
- One-person tent
- Rain jacket
- Sleeping bag and mat
- Mess kit
- Toiletries
- Medication with instructions (if relevant)
- Torch with spare batteries
- 2m stave + 4m rope
- Hat & Sunscreen
- Notebook + pen/pencil
- Water bottle
- Mask
- Sanitizer