



Somerset
Outdoor Learning – Colo River

Proud to support



2018 Duke of Edinburgh Adventurous Journeys at Somerset

Somerset is a proud supporter of the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award.

We have been facilitating Adventurous Journeys for more than 20 years.

As a Registered Provider we take pride in delivering an integral section of the Award and in upholding its' integrity.

Our groups are accompanied by one of qualified and experienced Leaders for the entirety of the Journey.

Prior and during each Journey our Leaders offer learnings on map reading and navigation, gear selection, campcraft, safety, first aid, etc appropriate to the level and mode.

Key points relevant to each AJ, such as, canoeing strokes, water safety, etc are also covered.

Please find our Open dates, our New Bronze SG Weekend and more below.

2018 Holiday Open Entry Adventurous Journey Dates

Term 1 – April Holidays

Bronze Hike

All-in-One	Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th April
Preliminary Training and Practice	Monday 16 th – Wednesday 18 th April
Qualifying	Thursday 19 th – Friday 20 th April

Silver Pack and Paddle

All-in-One	Sunday 15 th – Friday 20 th April
Practice	Sunday 15 th – Tuesday 17 th April
Qualifying	Thursday 26 th – Saturday 28 th April

Gold River and Ridge

Practice	Thursday 26 th – Sun 28 th April
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Gold Pack and Paddle or Hike*

Qualifying	Thursday 26 th – Sun 28 th April
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Gold Urban Odyssey

Practice	Monday 16 th – Thursday 19 th April
Qualifying	Tuesday 17 th – Friday 20 th April

Term 2 – July Holidays

Bronze Hike

All-in-One	Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th July
Preliminary Training and Practice	Monday 16 th – Wednesday 18 th July
Qualifying	Thursday 19 th – Friday 20 th July

Silver Pack and Paddle

All-in-One	Monday 16 th – Saturday 21 st July
Practice	Monday 16 th – Wednesday 18 th July
Qualifying	Thursday 19 th – Saturday 21 st July

Gold River and Ridge

Practice	Tuesday 17 th – Friday 20 th July
Qualifying	Tuesday 17 th – Friday 20 th July

Gold Urban Odyssey

Practice	Monday 9 th – Thursday 12 th July
Qualifying	Tuesday 17 th – Friday 20 th July

Term 3 – October Holidays

Please note - These AJs will appear online and be open for registration on 15th April

Bronze Hike

All-in-One	Tuesday 2 nd – Saturday 6 th October
Preliminary Training and Practice	Tuesday 2 nd – Thursday 4 th October
Qualifying	Thursday 11 th – Friday 12 th October

Silver Pack and Paddle

All-in-One	Sunday 7 th – Friday 12 th October
Practice	Tuesday 2 nd – Thursday 4 th October
Qualifying	Thursday 10 th – Friday 12 th October

Gold River and Ridge

Practice	Tuesday 2 nd – Friday 5 th October
Qualifying	Tuesday 9 th – Friday 12 th October

Gold Urban Odyssey

Practice	Tuesday 2 nd – Friday 5 th October
Qualifying	Tuesday 9 th – Friday 12 th October

Term 4 – December Holidays

Please note - These AJs will appear online and be open for registration on 15th July

Silver Pack and Paddle

Qualifying	Monday 10 th – Wednesday 12 th December
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Gold River and Ridge

Qualifying	Tuesday 11 th – Friday 14 th December
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Gold Urban Odyssey

Practice	Monday 10 th – Thursday 13 th December
Qualifying	Tuesday 11 th – Friday 14 th December

School Specific Adventurous Journeys

School Specific Booking

We also run school-specific AJs during the Term - either on weekdays or weekends.

These school-specific AJs have a minimum requirement of 22 students and are subject to date availability.

Please contact us for more information if this may suit your needs.

Not quite enough numbers for your own booking?

New Idea! Bronze Small Group Weekend

We often have enquiries from schools who would like a school specific expedition but don't have the minimum numbers... we are trialling a new idea in 2018! – a weekend set aside for small groups - you can just bring a group of 10-13 and join in. [We will plan to run a Qualifying Hike in November]

Bronze Practice Hike with Prelim Training Friday 4 th – Sunday 6 th May 2018 \$250		
Fri Evening	!	Supper provided
Approx 7pm Arrival	!	Prelim training session
Saturday	!	Breakfast provided
	!	Prelim training session including gear, rucksack check and pack
	!	Hiking
Sunday	!	Hiking
Approx 2pm Finish		

☞ Please call or email Gen for more information, or to express your interest.

☞ schools@campsomerset.com.au | 9483 9350

Do you require further information?

- ☞ Please refer to our Expedition Overviews for more detailed information on each AJ
<http://www.campsomerset.com.au/duke-of-edinburgh.html> > Further Duke of Ed Information
- ☞ Would you like to visit our camp? Just Ask!
- ☞ Our new Brochure – take a look [Click here](#)
- ☞ Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require any information from us such as Risk Management, staffing queries, route plans, etc, etc
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New! River and Ridge

- ! To make it simpler for Gold students to complete their AJs within the same mode, we are changing to *River and Ridge* AJs as a Gold option for 2018. These will be the alternate to our Urban Odysseys.
- * Please encourage any students who need to complete their Gold Qualifying AJ as a Pack and Paddle or Hike to register for the April Hike or PP AJ to get this completed.

