

Position Description
AJ2022 General Manager – Food Safety

Title	General Manager – Food Safety
Reports to	Director – Catering
Direct Reports	Catering Team Members as appointed
Appointment Term	April 2020 to July 2022
Measurement	Membership, Quality, Delivery, and Participation
Position Type	Voluntary

Scouts Victoria is a Child Safe organisation. Scouts Victoria is inclusive of all, regardless of gender, sexuality, race, religion, or abilities, and does not tolerate any form of harm, abuse or neglect.

The role is to provide leadership and guidance to a team of people as selected by the incumbent and approved by the Chief Director to facilitate the success of the 26th Australian Jamboree (AJ2022).

This position reports to the Director - Catering and is expected to successfully manage the listed functions both leading up to, during and after the Jamboree. It is part of the Catering Directorate and it is expected that the incumbent will have significant interplay with external companies, the Victorian Branch, other Branches and National Scout Organisations on matters involved in the areas of responsibility.

The incumbent will be a trusted senior member of the AJ2022 team who will be empowered to achieve the outcomes of the role.

This recognizes the requirements inherent in the duty statement to meet and liaise with a range of stakeholders.

Scouts Victoria aims for best practice while meeting obligations to Scouts Australia (National), Asia-Pacific Region of WOSM (APR) and World / WOSM (The World Organisation of the Scouting Movement).

Primary Responsibilities

Provide leadership and guidance to a team of Leaders, Youth and other volunteers to operate a highly successful Food Safety Team to facilitate the success of the 26th Australian Jamboree (AJ2022).

Ensure, where possible, that authentic youth member voice is incorporated into the work of the Management Team.

Be accountable for all aspects of the Food Safety Team, including planning, operations and delivery,

including the financial results of the event; taking into account risk management and workplace health and safety matters and program delivery standards.

Ensure that the financial aspects of the Jamboree are operated in accordance with the Scouts Australia – Policy for the Conduct of Major National Events and the Scouts Australia Major Event Guidelines – Jamboree.

Provide a quarterly briefing to the Chief Director and Director - Administration Services AJ2022 in a face to face meeting at the Victorian Scout Centre, or online as required from time to time.

Prepare a comprehensive final financial report at the conclusion of the event suitable for submission to the BEC/NEC.

Attitude, Skills and Knowledge Required

1. Attitude

- Be enthusiastic with a strong commitment to Scouting Principles and the importance of the Scout Method in the role.
- Participatory leader that enthuses others and leads by example.
- Be inclusive in Leadership style encouraging teams to excel and empowering youth to participate.
- Availability and commitment to the time required to deliver the duties outlined in this position description.
- Strategic thinker with an ability to articulate visions, strategies and plans.
- Ability to recognise and implement change based on previous lessons-learned pertaining to major events (not just Jamboree) hosted in Victoria.
- Flexibility in approach and an ability to work under pressure is essential.

2. Skills

- Be able to lead, communicate with and motivate youth members, adult Leaders and volunteers using a variety of methods.
- Demonstrate planning and delegation skills.
- Demonstrate risk management, work health and safety (WHS) and ScoutSafe skills.
- Maintain confidentiality with sensitive and personal information.
- Understand financial reporting and be able to provide accurate and informative reports to the Jamboree Executive Council from time to time.

3. Knowledge

- Hold a Leader of Adults Woodbadge / Certificate of Advanced Leadership or be working towards it.
- Have a sound knowledge and strong commitment to the purpose, objectives and philosophy of the Scout Movement, its policies and procedures and have a clear understanding of the methods that distinguish it from other youth organizations.
- Experience in café/restaurant or event style catering is essential.
- Food Safety Supervisor certificate is essential
- Experience in contract management and negotiation is an advantage.

Specific Duties

- Build and lead an experienced team of volunteers involved in the effective management, development and delivery of the Food Safety Team for AJ2022.
 - Work with other General Managers in the Catering Directorate to ensure there is an appropriate Food Safety plan for the delivery, storage, supply and preparation of all food onsite.
 - Ensure compliance with all applicable Government laws and regulations regarding food safety, handling and service.
 - Provide training as appropriate on the Food Safety plan to members of the Catering team, and food safety information to people involved with handling food beyond that.
 - Monitor and rectify any food safety issues onsite.
- Youth involvement in the planning and conduct of the Team.
- Promoting positive relations between Scouting and the community at large, including sponsors, suppliers and Authorities.
- Developing and maintaining productive communication channels within the Branch and externally to ensure customer needs are anticipated, supported and delivered.
- Effectively resolving problems and disputes as they arise.
- Continuously improving operations and activities to achieve the Association's goals and objectives.
- The identification and development of aspiring and potential young leaders as future senior leaders in the Movement.
- Ensure compliance with all applicable Government laws and regulations that will apply to the Jamboree. Where required, meet with and actively communicate with any government and other applicable authorities and agencies.
- Other duties as required to deliver AJ2022 or as requested by the Administration Services Director, Chief Director, their delegate or the Branch Executive Committee.

To apply for this position, please send a copy of your resume and a brief document (no more than 1000 words) outlining how you are the best person for the role, to jess.rutherford@aj2022.com.au

Successful applicants will be required to attend an online interview with the Director – Catering, Chief Director and Business Manager.

Should you have any questions about this job description, or require further clarification about anything, do not hesitate to contact Jess Rutherford on the below contact details.

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