



Queensland New Youth Program Implementation

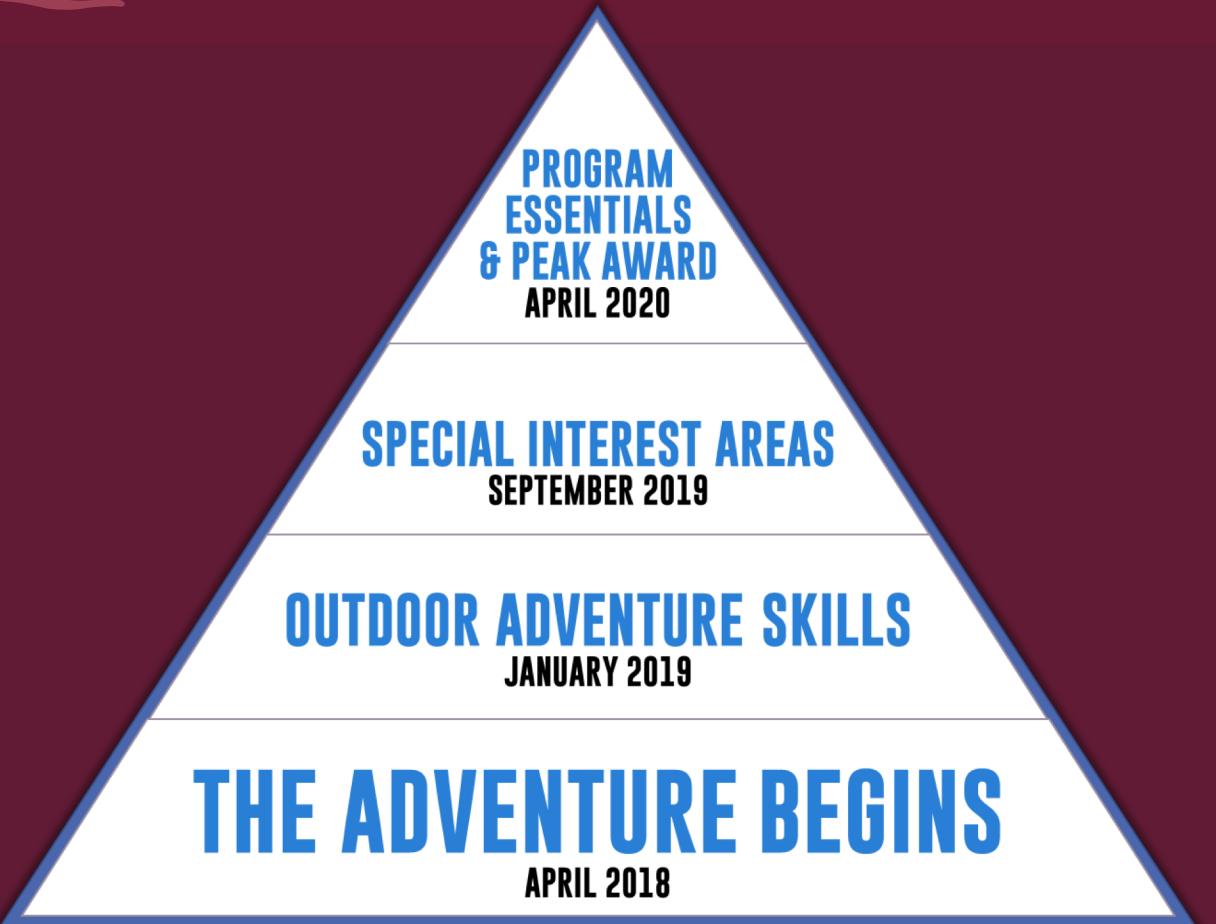
Transition Guide for Venturer Scouts





Queensland New Youth Program Implementation (QYIP)

April 2018	The Adventure Begins
January 2019	Outdoor Adventure Skills Areas introduced - Benchmarking of skills
September 2019	Special Interest Areas introduced
April 2020	Milestone & Challenge Areas (Program Essentials) introduced
December 2022	No further peak awards issued on current Award scheme



LAYERED IMPLEMENTATION MODEL
ONE STEP AT A TIME



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QYIP Timeline

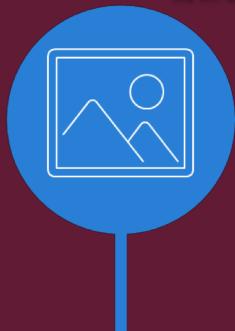
NEW YOUTH PROGRAM QUEENSLAND IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE

AS AT JAN 2019 – THIS MAY BE UPDATED AS TRIALS CONTINUE

2018

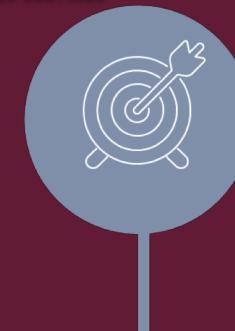
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INTRODUCE
THE ADVENTURE
BEGINS



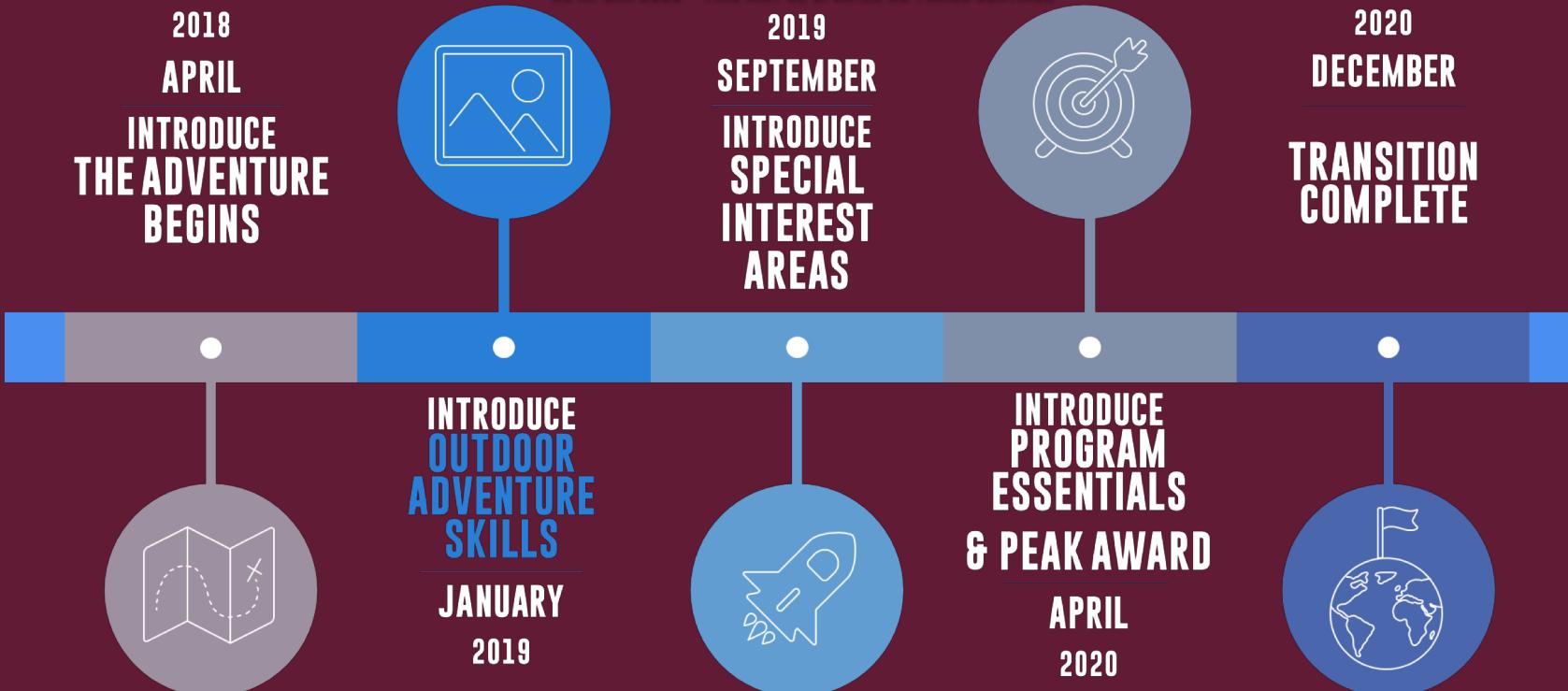
2019

SEPTEMBER
INTRODUCE
SPECIAL
INTEREST
AREAS



2020

DECEMBER
TRANSITION
COMPLETE





What Does QYIP Mean For Me?

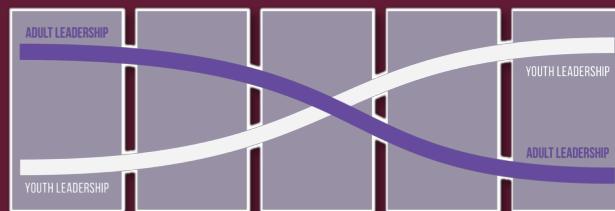
- Queen's Scout Award stays as the **peak award** name
- This can be achieved under current scheme until **Dec 2022**
- You may choose to **transition** to the new program from **Sep 2019**, or remain in the current program
- If you choose to **transition**, you will be given **credit** for your current badge work
- Fundamental principle is:

NO YOUTH MEMBER WILL BE DISADVANTAGED

Transitioning to New Youth Program

You have already started with **The Adventure Begins**

- Law and Promise
- Youth Leading / Adult Supporting
- Unit Councils
- Plan>Do>Review>



The Adventure Begins

Apr 2018



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The Adventure Begins

Outdoor Adventure Skills

- Introduced in January 2019
- Being pioneered in Queensland
- Benchmarking through September 2019
 - This will qualify you for OAS badges, when they become available
 - Runs in parallel with current Award scheme
- Nine skill areas
 - Three CORE – these are focus of current benchmarking
 - Six NON-CORE – more specialist outdoor activities
- Nine Stages in each skill area
 - Stage 1 is starting point for everyone
 - Stage 5 is expected minimum for Queen's Scout Award
 - Higher stages may qualify for VET achievements

Outdoor
Adventure Skills

Jan 2019

Apr 2018



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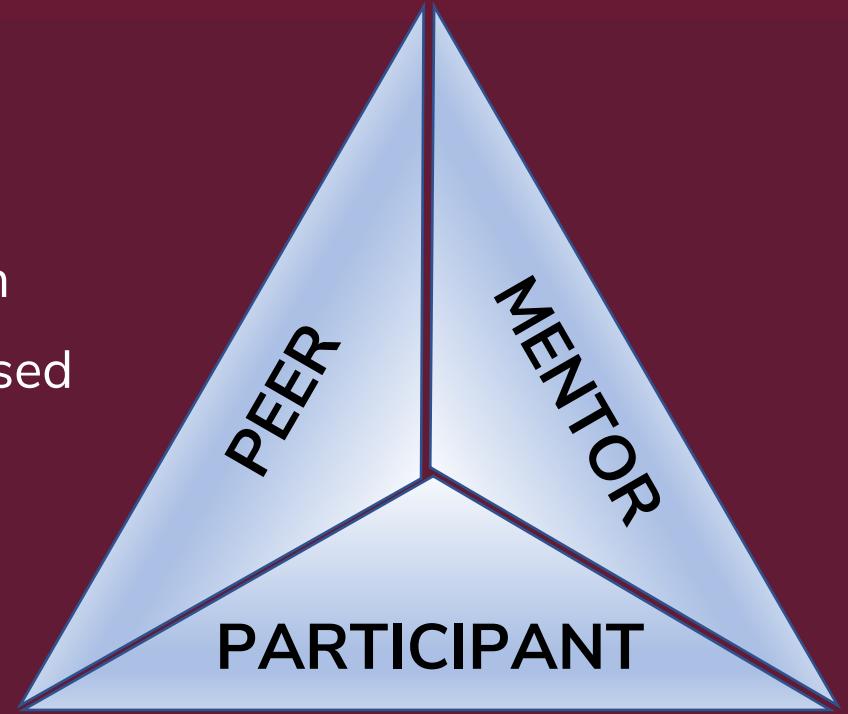
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Outdoor Adventure Skills

Apr 2018 Jan 2019

OAS Benchmarking

- This is a **GROUP** exercise
- Requires a **Mentor**, **Peer** and one or more **Participants**
 - **Mentor** would usually be a Leader, with suitable skills for the OAS Area
 - **Peer** is anyone, preferably another youth member, who has completed a stage at least two higher than stage being assessed
 - **Participants** are those being assessed
 - **Current badges** can be **recognized** as competency (but still peer-assessed)
- Two up / two down
 - Look to engage other Sections, Groups, Districts, Regions etc...
 - Higher stages may require **Guides** or even **Instructors**

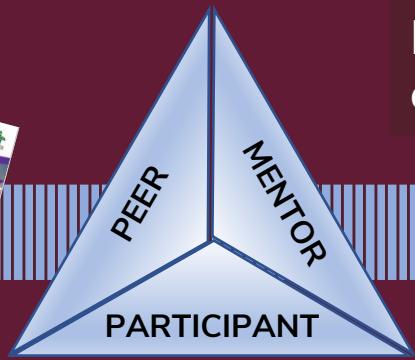




OAS Implementation

The Adventure Begins

Outdoor Adventure Skills



All members continue with current Award Scheme

Benchmarking

Badges can be earned but not part of current Award scheme – until September!

BENCHMARKING

Expected Completion

Apr 2018 Jan 2019

Sep 2019



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Outdoor Adventure Skills

Apr 2018 Jan 2019

Special Interest Badges



- Special Interest Areas
 - Adventure & Sport
 - Arts & Literature
 - Creating a Better World
 - Environment
 - Growth & Development
 - Innovation & STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics)
- Planned to be introduced in Sep 2019
 - Timing subject to current trials of NYP elements across Australia
- Formal beginning of New Youth Program
 - From this time onwards, youth members may choose to begin with, or switch to, NYP

Special Interest Badges

Sep 2019



After Sep 2019: Stay or Switch?

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Outdoor Adventure Skills

Special Interest Badges

START or CONTINUE WITH CURRENT SCHEME
or TRANSITION

NO DISADVANTAGE

TO NEW

SCHEME



Milestone & Challenge Areas

Apr 2018 Jan 2019 Sep 2019

Apr 2020



Milestones & Challenge Areas (Program Essentials)

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Outdoor Adventure Skills

Special Interest Badges

- MILESTONES
- For an activity in one of the **Challenge Areas**:
 - ONE: **Participate**, partial Assist, some Lead
 - TWO: Significantly **Assist** and partial Lead
 - THREE: **Lead**
- CHALLENGE Areas
 - Community
 - Creative
 - Outdoor
 - Personal
- Planned to be introduced in April 2020

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Milestone & Challenge Areas



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Queen's Scout Award in NYP

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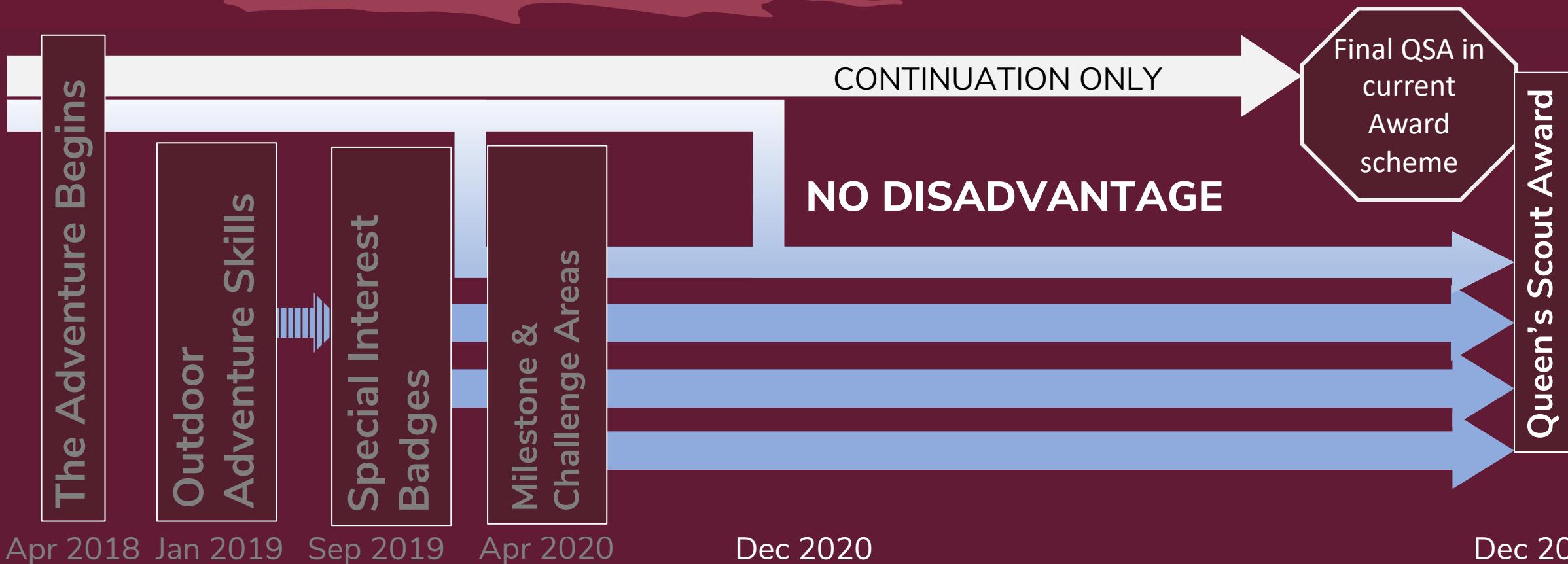
You will have achieved:

- Milestone 3
- Up to Stage 5 in the Core Areas of the Outdoor Adventure Skills
- Twelve progressions (or level-ups) across all OAS. Four of these progressions must be at Stage 4 or above.
- Four Special Interest Badges
- Adventurous Journey
- Leadership or Personal Development Course
- Personal Reflection





After April 2020





Which pathway should I choose?

- This is an individual choice, and remember the fundamental principle

NO YOUTH MEMBER WILL BE DISADVANTAGED

- Notwithstanding, here are some recommendations

BEFORE Sep 2019

- Start with the current award scheme
 - Even if you are currently linking up from Scouts or joining Venturer Scouts

AFTER Sep 2019

- Stick to the current award scheme if:
 - You're close to completing your Queen's Scout Award
 - You believe the current award scheme can completely satisfy your Scouting journey requirements
 - You are convinced you will complete your QSA prior to Dec 2022
 - You can continue to also earn OAS Stages in addition to the current award scheme, but they will not contribute to your peak award.
- Transition to the new youth program if:
 - You have particular interests outside of the current award scheme
 - You want flexibility to achieve your Queen's Scout Award beyond Dec 2022
 - Your current view is that you do not want to achieve your Queen's Scout Award

The New Youth Program will provide you with lots of new exciting Scouting opportunities

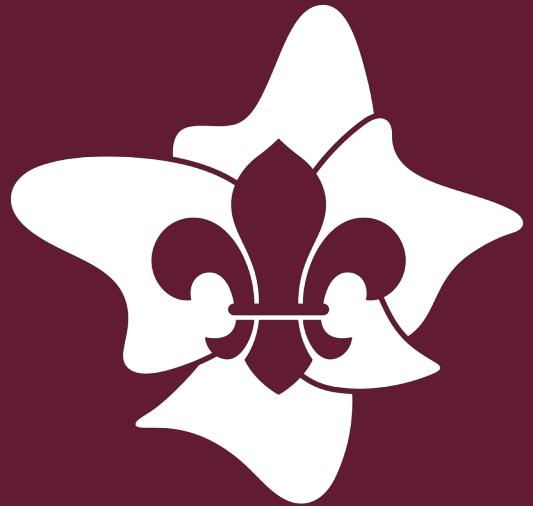


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Questions?

QYIP Website

<http://nypqld.scoutsqld.com.au>



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