The Singapore Scout Association National Programme Council

Akela Award

Pre-requisite – Holder of Gold Arrow Award.

Outdoor Challenge

Take part in an `outdoor challenge' with a Leader and other Cub Scouts. Do at least four activities:

- 1. Spend at least two nights in a tent;
- 2. Plan and go on a hike with your Six for at least 10 km on foot;
- 3. Cook a simple meal using natural fuel;
- 4. Take part in a wide game or a standard obstacle course;
- 5. Set up a Basha (shelter) or a two-man hiker's tent;
- 6. Complete a simple orienteering course;
- 7. Wade or swim across a small stream or breadth of a swimming pool wearing a life vest.
- 8. Or any other suitable activity agreed with your Leader.

Adventure Challenge

Choose and take part in two adventure activities with the Leader.

All Rounder Skill Proficiency

Attain at least 4 Proficiency Badges of your choice (excluding those already used for Gold Arrow).

Sharing Together

Take part in three meetings of older Cub Scouts & Leaders, share ideas for future Pack meetings, events & help make some plans for one of them.

Helping to Lead

Take a **LEADING PART** in two Pack activities

TEAM CAPTAIN

Act as a Key Player/Captain for a school sports team or another team of your choice. • HQ/DISTRICT/AREA

Represent your Pack at a National, Area or District event such as a competition, quiz, Sixers' Meeting or any other suitable event.

• CAMPING

Be a tent leader or take on a special responsibility at a camp.

PACK SHOW

Take a leading role in a Cub Scout Pack Show either front or back stage.

• CUB SCOUT PACK

Visit another pack to tell about Cub Scouts and assist help run a game at a Cub Scout meeting.

ACT OF WORSHIP

Help plan and take part in an Act of Worship or Scout's Own Service.

CONSERVATION

Help other Cub Scouts carry out a Local Conservation project.

GAMES

Organise and help run some games on a Cub Unit night or Pack meetings or gathering.

OVER TO YOU

Take a leading part in any other suitable activity decided between you and a Leader.

Interview by District Commissioner

Cub Scouts who had completed all of the above requirements are required to be interviewed by their District Commissioner.

Recommendations and Approvals

Upon recommendations of District Commissioner, the District Commissioner must submit the Cub Scout Record Book to the Scout Headquarters for approval of the Akela Award. After approvals by the National Cub Scout Commissioner and National Programme Commissioner, then, the Cub Scout will be presented and awarded the Akela Award.

Presentation of Ceremony

The Scout Headquarters will organise a presentation ceremony for the Akela Award and present the Cub Scout, the Akela Award Badge.