



Venturer Scout Award Scheme Examiner Endorsement

Y9

March 2015

Use of this Form – All sections to be completed

This form is to be used by Venturers to obtain endorsement of an Examiner as required for the Venturer Scout Award Scheme
 Venturers must keep a completed copy of this form to accompany the Y8 - Application for Presentation of the Queen's Scout Award
 The Program Adviser - Venturer Scouts should maintain a list of contact details for endorsed examiners

Venturer Scout Personal Details

Surname		Name	
Address			
Suburb		Postcode	
Phone		Mobile	
Email		Venturer Unit	

Venturer Scout Leader Details

Surname		Name	
Phone		Mobile	
Email			

Award

Select the Queen's Scout Award level for which this application applies

Expeditions	<input type="checkbox"/>	OR	Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>							
Environment	<input type="checkbox"/>	OR	Service	<input type="checkbox"/>							
Ideals	<input type="checkbox"/>	OR	Expressions	<input type="checkbox"/>	OR	Lifestyles	<input type="checkbox"/>	OR	Pursuits	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Venturer Award	<input type="checkbox"/>	Expeditions									
Endeavour Award	<input type="checkbox"/>	Activity Area									

Activity Details – Date from start of planning through to completion of activity

Expected Start Date		Expected Finish Date	
Brief Outline of Intention			

Examiner Details

Surname		Name	
Address			
Suburb		Postcode	
Phone		Mobile	
Email			
Examiner Qualifications / Experience relevant to the activity			
Examiner (print name)	Signature	Date	

GUIDELINES FOR EXAMINERS

Training in the Venturer Scout Section of Scouts Australia provides an Award Scheme for young people in the 14 to 18 year age group. Venturer Scouts can gain these Awards by reaching a level of improvement or achievement in a number of 'Activity Areas'.

Venturer Scouts are free to choose their own topics from within the set guidelines of each of these activity areas. It is not intended that a fixed pass level should be set for any of the activities undertaken under the Award Scheme but rather that the Venturer Scout should show some worthwhile improvement in the performance or understanding of the subject. It will be appreciated that there may be a wide difference in the level of understanding or ability shown by individual Venturer Scouts and this factor should be taken into consideration in the final assessment.

Before the Venturer Scout commences the activity, the Examiner and the Venturer Scout will together reach agreement on the level of achievement or understanding of the subject which is to be attained. In setting these objectives the Examiner should be satisfied that the agreed task will be a reasonable challenge to the Venturer Scout.

Time requirements for a particular activity area are indicated in the Venturer Scout Record Book. However, it must be emphasised that the important factor is the achievement of the pre-determined objectives, and the times stated are mentioned only as a guideline to assist in the setting of these objectives. Generally speaking, Venturer Scouts should not be failed outright in their attempt to qualify but should continue the task under guidance of the Examiner until the desired result is achieved.

The Venturer Scout must decide whether or not he or she wishes to continue beyond the achievement time.

Finally, the examiner will assess the work completed, the effort expended and the improvement or achievement which the Venturer Scout has attained.

Before Start of Activity - Signatures

Venturer Scout (print name)	Signature	Date
Unit Council (Name and Position)	Signature	Date
Venturer Scout Leader (print name)	Signature	Date

Examiner Endorsement by Program Adviser – Venturer Scouts

I endorse the examiner for this activity and will retain a record of their contact details for future use.

Name	Position	Signature	Date

Additional Information (if required)