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International seminar on Environment Education and Biodiversity
Cibubur Training Centre Camp, Jakarta, Indonesia
04 - 07 June 2011

Information for Participants

Aim

To support NSOs with the delivery of environmental education programmes using experiential education and to implement projects on biodiversity. Also, to celebrate the World Environment Day the 5th of June.

Objectives

At the end of four days, the Seminar participants will be able to -

- To discuss and share the experiences on environmental education activities at all levels of the organization;
- To know that environment education plays an important role in the Scout program;
- To develop strategies on how to deliver environment education at all levels of the organization.

Theme

Biodiversity conservation for better future

Participants

Key Leaders and full time executives from National Scout Organization in-charge of Youth Programme.

24 overseas participants and 25 local participants are expected to attend the seminar.

Working Language

The working language of the Seminar will be in English. National Scout Organizations will be requested to select participants who are able to understand and take an active part in discussions in English.

Venue

Cibubur, Jakarta, Indonesia Located about 20 km south of Jakarta, about an hour and a half drive from the International Airport, linked, and split in two sections, by the Jakarta-Bogor highway. The eastern part of the camp, a vast area of about 200 hectares which comprises The camp site area, a large open air stadium, a small airstrip, and a youth hostel. While western area of the toll road, about 24 hectares has a Youth Recreational Area and the National Training Center located at the northern part of the area.

Date and Duration

The event will start on Saturday, 04 June 2011 and will end on Tuesday, 07 June 2011 (four full days for the Seminar, including a half day educational tour).

Seminar Fee

The Seminar Fee is US\$150.00, which include inland transportation between the airport and the seminar venue, food (from dinner of 03-Jun-11 until breakfast of 08-Jun-11).

Those who have any special food requirements please inform in advance.

Visa

Please inquire locally if you require entry visa to Indonesia. If yes, please inform Gerakan Pramuka with your passport details well in advance to send an invitation or other documents as may be required by you for visa application.

Visa is not required for ASEAN member countries (Brunei Darussalam, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand) and also Hong Kong and Macau.

Arrival and Departure

Participants are expected to arrive by Friday, 03 June 2011 and may leave anytime on Wednesday, 08 June 2011, if desired.

Please make sure that you have submitted your travel itinerary to Gerakan Pramuka by **15-May-11**, with a copy to the World Scout Bureau/APR office.

Just in case you are not met at the airport, please call on the following Scout leaders at their mobile numbers, as follows:

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Please wear at least a Scout scarf (neckerchief), when you arrive at the airport.

Climate

All through the year, the climate enjoyed by Jakarta remains hot, very hot in fact, due to Indonesia's closeness to the equator. Jakarta average temperature in June can range from 24 to 31° C. High humidity levels can make the weather and climate of Jakarta feel a little sticky, and so light. Although temperatures in Jakarta rarely fluctuate more than just a few degrees, it is completely different story when it comes to rainfall.

Attire and Dress Code

Attire for the seminar will include Scout Uniform for Opening and Closing Ceremonies and formal functions. Smart casual clothes may be worn for other sessions. For image building purposes, you may also be requested to wear the uniform when you go out for educational tour.

Foreign Exchange

The local Indonesia currency is called "Rupiah" (Rp). USD1.00 is equal to about **Rp.8.600,00** (or very close to it).

Since you will be transferred from the airport directly to the seminar venue, it is highly recommended to change your U.S. Dollars at the airport.

Time Zone

The local time of Jakarta Indonesia is 7 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (UTC/GMT +7 hours). Check you time zone [here](#).

Electricity

Electricity in Indonesia is **220V**. **Type C** plug is commonly found in residences and hotels. Some outlets are a combination of Type A and C and can accept either type plug electrical wall sockets.

Type A is with a flat blade attachment plug, sometimes with round grounding pin.



Type C (European 2-pin) Round pin



attachment plug.

Accommodation and Meals:

Meals will start at dinner of 3 June until breakfast of 8 June 2011. Participants will be accommodated in twin sharing basis.

Additional expenses, as well as hotel expenses, for any arrival before the seminar or for late departure will be the responsibility of the concerned participant.

What to bring:

High heat and humidity require packing enough clothing to always appear clean and fresh. Bring breathable clothes since it is always humid in this destination.

Lightweight clothing is worn all year, like light cotton shirts or t-shirts and bring your personal stationeries. Other optional equipment includes, still and video cameras, small gifts to exchange with the host. Some badges for swapping.

Further Information:

If you wish to get more information the Seminar arrangements please contact:

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