

## BASIC UNIT LEADERS TRAINING COURSE INFORMATION SHEET



The Basic Unit Leaders Training Course is designed to prepare adult volunteers to deliver the Youth Programme to young people in the scout movement. This includes Pre-Cub (5 – 8 year old’s), Cub Scout (9 – 11 year old’s), Scout (12 – 18 year old’s), and Rover Scout (18 – 26 year old’s) sections. To provide understanding and methods necessary to run effective programs is the major emphasis of the course.

Participants will learn the organization and administrative aspects of their respective unit as well as the program structure for weekly meetings, advancement, youth leadership training, and outdoor programs.

The course is designed in a more learner-centric model of acquiring knowledge of scouting leadership. It enables participants to extract the most information in a given period of flexible time, to present the information in their own ideas, and to apply that information in practical areas.

### Key dates:

<b>Deadline for Application</b>	14 <sup>th</sup> March 2023
<b>Course Start Date</b>	18 <sup>th</sup> March 2023
<b>Online – On-demand learning completion deadline (All Sections)</b>	28 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
<b>Module Discussion sessions (except for Pre-Cub Section)</b>	29 <sup>th</sup> April – 13 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
<b>Module Discussion sessions (Pre-Cub)</b>	29 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
<b>Residential Training – camp (Not for Pre-Cub Section)</b>	19 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2023 26 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup> May 2023 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2023
<i>Following are tentative dates, participants are only required to attend one residential camp</i>	

### Course Fee:

<b>Pre-Cub Section BULTC</b>	MVR 150/-
<b>Cub Scout, Scout and Rover Section BULTC</b>	MVR 500/-

*\*Fee collection will be carried out via bank transfer. Details will be shared with final participants attending the Course.*

**Eligibility Requirement:** Commitment to work as an Adult Member of the Scout Association of Maldives and function as an Adult Leader in a Registered Scout Group.

### Course modality

This course is split into three parts:

1. On-Demand Learning: duration of 1 month

Participants will have to register for this part via an online form. In this phase participants will be given access to course content settled in Canvas LMS. This content will contain reading materials, and choice quiz assignments. This part is completed individually so all submissions

should be their own work. The Course Director will guide participants through this process. Module facilitators will also be available if participants have questions based on information in given modules.

2. Discussions: duration of 2 weeks (tentative)

Participants who successfully complete all modules in Self-learning phase will be allowed to register for discussion sessions via an online form. This part will focus on participant discussions and presentations to key areas and questions of the respective module to generate ideas of effective program delivery and basic problem-solving. These sessions can be held via face-to-face with joint groups, or virtually.

3. Residential Training: duration of 1 weekend

Participants who successfully participate in discussion sessions will be allowed to register for Residential Training via an online form. Participants will experience a camp of two-days one night. Activities will be based on modules that cover in the course and the camp downscaled to be more learner-effective.

A detailed course schedule will be provided to participants. Once participants complete all three parts of the course, the completion certificate will be issued to them.

For more information, please reach out to Mohamed Azan Abdulla, National Commissioner for Adult Support via 7902326.