



HIGHLIGHTS

- 39th World Scout Conference Brazil 10 – 14 January 2011.



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The World Scout Conference, which takes place once every 3 years held in Brazil from 10 – 14 January 2011. This 39th iteration of the World Organization of the Scout Movement's (WOSM) international event gathered 952 participants representing National Scout Organizations from 119 countries. The Delegation of Pakistan Boy Scouts Association was headed by **Lt Gen S P Shahid, HI (M), (Retd)**, Chief Commissioner, PBSA. Following Executives also attended the Conference as delegates. **Mr. Muhammad Shuaib**, International Commissioner, PBSA, **Mr. Muhammad Saqib Aziz**, Balochistan BSA, **Maj Gen Tariq Hameed, HI(M), (Retd)**, National Commissioner, Governance and Management, PBSA **Capt. (Retd) Engr. Ali Yameen Qureshi**, National Secretary, PBSA. Following attended the Conference as Observer:-

- Mr. Syed Mahmood Hashmi (NHQ, PBSA)
- Muhammad Haneef Pathan (PIA BSA)
- Mr. Tahir Mahmood (Balochitan)
- Mr. Abdul Karim Khiazai (Balochistan)
- Mr. Sabir Hussain Niazi (Balochistan)
- Mr. Sami Raza Baig (Balochistan),
- Mr. Wajid Iqbal (KPK)
- Mr. Hassan Qureshi (PIA)
- Ms. Naseem Akhtar (AJK)
- Ms. Rukhsana Munsha (AJK)
- Raja Irfan Khan – Youth Participant (AJK)
- Mr. Tariq Javed Abbasi – Youth Participant (AJK)

One of the major outcomes of the Conference was the election of the new committee members who will now serve as part of the World Scout Committee. Amongst the 6 newly elected committee members



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for the first time in its history the organization has elected a member under the age of 30 to its Committee.

Mr. Simon Rhee from Korea was also inducted as Chairman World Scout Committee during the Conference. After many years of defining and redefining its cause the 39th World Scout Conference will be remembered for having come to a consensus on the definition of the cause of Scouting which is, Education for life. As an educational Movement, the World Organization of the Scout Movement aims to educate young people by teaching them life skills (soft skills) through experiential, involving, exciting activities through pedagogical tools.

11th World Scout Youth Forum from 3 – 6 January 2011 - Brazil

World Scout Youth Forum usually held before the World Scout Conference and 11th forum was organized at Blumenau, Brazil from 2 – 6 January 2011. Pakistan Boy Scouts Association was represented by Raja Irfan Khan and Tariq Javed Abbasi from AJK BSA.

Theme of the Youth Forum was “Paddle your own Canoe”, i.e. Empowering young adults. Bother the Youth delegates from Pakistan attended the World Scout Conference at Curitiba, Brazil.

4th National Desert Hike for Rover Scouts from 17 – 22 January 2011 Cholistan, Bahawalpur.

4th National Desert Hike for Rover Scouts was held in Cholistan from 17 – 22 January 2011. Syed Manzoor Hussain Shah was the Hike Leader while Mr. Muhammad Jameel assisted as Dy. Hike Leader. 28 Rover Scouts from all over Pakistan participated. Theme of the Hike was “Save Wild Life”.

Participants covered more than 60 Km in the Desert and visited Nawan Kot, Toba Chachrian, Pondhri, Mammuwali, Kwantiwala Toba and Fort Darawer. Closing Ceremony was held at Fort Darawer on 22 January 2011. Mr. Zahid Mahboob, Acting Director,

- Annual Integration Tour Islamabad & Lahore of Matta scouts Open Group – Swat



Up Coming Events (National)

- National Workshop on Building Management Capabilities from 17 – 21 February 2011, Islamabad.
- Course for Leader Trainer (CLT) from 22 February – 1st March 2011, Islamabad.
- Committee NSO Visit Documentation from 2 – 10 March 2011

Up Coming Events (International)

- 22nd World Scout Jamboree – Sweden from 27 July to 7 August 2011.
- Leader Trainer Course – Australia from 22 – 26 April 2011.
- 15th Australian Venture, Carrick, Tasmania- Australia from 03 – 14 January 2012.

Training & Programme & Mr. Asad Majeed, SDO Cholistan Development Authority presented Certificates to the Hikers being the Chief Guest. Rover Scout Mr. Awais Basharat from AJK BSA was declared the Best Hiker and a Special Shield was presented to him. Mr. Ikram Ullah Khan, Chairman Cholistan Development Authority facilitated the Hikers during hike route.

Annual Integration Tour Islamabad & Lahore of Matta scouts Open Group – Swat

The Matta Scouts Open Group Swat organized Annual Integration Tour to Islamabad and Lahore from 5 – 10 January 2011. In this tour 30 Boy Scouts participated under the Leadership of Haji Muhammad Musa Khan, Group Scout Leader. The participants visited National Headquarters, PBSA, Shah Faisal Mosque and Pakistan Monument at Islamabad.

On 7th January they reached Lahore and stay at Provincial Scout Headquarters of Pakistan Railway Boy Scouts Association. They visited historical places of Lahore.

PICTURE GALLERY

