NICES 2025 Nederweert International Camp for European Scouts





Participant conditions

Definition of participants: this term indicates youth members, staff and supporting staff of Scout troops, age minimum 14 years, who have registered for NICES 2025.

1. General conditions

- 1.1. NICES will be held in the municipality of Nederweert. The event will commence on Saturday 26 July 2025 and will end on Tuesday 5 August 2025.
- 1.2. All participants must be at least 14 years of age at 26 July 2025. It is not allowed to bring along children under the age of 14.
- 1.3. All participants must be registered members of Scouting.
- 1.4. Participating in NICES 2025 happens at your own risk, unless the NICES organisation is to blame for negligence.
- 1.5. The house rules of NICES are inseparable from these participant conditions. By agreeing to these conditions, one also agrees to the house rules.

2. Registration and cancellation

2.1. Registration

- 2.1.1. Registration for NICES is possible per day, as a group or individually.
- 2.1.2. Registration for NICES happens through the online registration form on the website, either as an individual or as the contact person for a group.
- 2.1.3. After completing and submitting the online registration form, the participant / group contact receives a registration form, a registration number and an invoice per email.
- 2.1.4. By paying the registration fee, the participant / group contact agrees to the registration and these participant conditions.
- 2.1.5. The person registering a group is also the contact person for that group. He/she is responsible for this registration, for supplying correct information to the group and for payment of the fee(s) required for the registration of the entire group. I.e. the contact person is responsible for collecting the registration fees from the individual group members registered by him/her.
- 2.1.6. By paying the registration fee, the group contact states that he/she is authorized to act on behalf of the group members.
- 2.1.7. The group contact must register the individual group members on the registration form's participant list.
- 2.1.8. The final registration date for groups at NICES is 1 March 2025, provided that the maximum number of participants hasn't been reached at that date.
- 2.1.9. Registrations of additional members for an already registered group after 1 March 2025 are possible. A new registration form must be submitted for this. Such additional registrations will only be accepted if the maximum number of participants for NICES 2025 has not yet been reached.

2.2. Check upon arrival

- 2.2.1. Upon arrival at the NICES site, personal data will be checked against the data that's available to the organisation team through the registration. You may be asked to show a legally valid ID. Full payment by the group or individual participant will be verified.
- 2.2.2. After this check, every particiant receives a wristband that will serve as your proof of entrance to the event site. This wristband must be worn during the entire event.

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2.3. Changes to registration

Until 1 March 2025 a registration can be changed by the participant / group contact free of charge.

2.4. Cancellation of participation

- 2.4.1. In case of cancellation before 1 March 2025, any payments already made will be refunded with the exclusion of the € 25,- registration fee.
 - The registration fee is owed as a compensation for expenses that have already been made.
- 2.4.2. In case of (partial) cancellation from 1 March 2025 up to and including 15 May 2025, 30% of the participation fee is owed.In case of (partial) cancellation after 15 May 2025, 100% of the participation fee is owed. I.e. in that case no refund will take place.

2.5. Cancellation of the entire event

- 2.5.1. In case the NICES organisation decides to cancel the entire event, any payments already made will be refunded, including the registration fee.
- 2.5.2. In case cancellation proves necessary, the organization will announce this as soon as possible. However, the possibility remains that cancellation by order of (local) authorities due to health reasons will only become clear at a late stage.

3. **Participation fee & payment**

- 3.1. The participation fee for NICES is € 33,00 (thirty-three Euro) per person per night.
- 3.2. For a limited number of registrations, a **temporary discount applies to those who register for the entire camp period**. Until this number of registrations is reached, participants will get the last night for free if they register for the entire camp period. So be quick with your registration.
- 3.3. The registration fee is € 25,- and it's due within 2 weeks after registering. All payments must be done by the participant / group contact to the IBAN that is made known to the participant by the NICES treasurer.
- 3.4. 30% of the participation fee is due before 1 March 2025.
- 3.5. The remaining part (70% of the participation fee minus the registration fee) is due before 15 May 2025. I.e. at that date, the entire fee must have been paid.
- 3.6. For additional participants added (to an already registered group) after 1 March 2025 and before 1 May 2025, 30% of the participation fee is due within 2 weeks. The remainder must be paid together with the remaining fee for the rest of the group.
- 3.7. Fees for registrations after 1 May 2025 (including additional participants for an already registered group) must be credited to the IBAN of Stichting NICES within 2 weeks after registration.
- 3.8. Other forms of payment (e.g. credit card or cheque) are not accepted.
- 3.9. If –according to financial records– payments are still due when arriving at NICES, the concerning participants are required to pay their remaining fee in cash before entering the event site.
- 3.10. The participation fee does not include:
 - Transportation (of participants and their luggage/materials) to and from the NICES camp site. In consultation this may be possible against reimbursement of the transportation expenses.
 - Breakfast, lunch, dinner as well as consumptions (drinks/snacks) available at the event site.

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4. Damages, liability and insurance

- 4.1. All participants are required to have health insurance. Any medical costs that are not covered by the participant's insurance, will be borne by the participant him/herself.
- 4.2. For Dutch participants, the collective (secondary in nature) accident/liability insurance of Scouting Nederland applies. Loss of or damage to materials or personal luggage are not covered by this insurance. If desired, luggage/travel insurance can be arranged via the national service centre of Scouting Nederland. Information on this can be found on Scouting Nederland's web site, www.scouting.nl.
- 4.3. NICES cannot be held liable for loss, theft or damage to participants' belongings during the event or during travel.
- 4.4. NICES cannot be held liable for personal injuries sustained during the event or during travel.

5. Other conditions

- 5.1. Audio-visual materials provided to NICES during NICES 2025, may be freely used for publicity purposes without requiring additional permission from -or financial compensation toparticipants.
- 5.2. In order to make NICES 2025 a success, house rules are necessary. Naturally all participants are expected to abide by these rules. The organisation reserves the right to sanction or remove a participant from NICES 2025 if these rules are violated. In such a case the participant cannot claim a refund of the participation fee. The house rules are found on the NICES 2025 website and are part of these terms and conditions. In cases not covered by these conditions, the NICES organisation team's decision is binding.
- 5.3. By registering and taking part in NICES, the participant is assumed to be aware of all conditions pertaining to NICES. By taking part in NICES, the participant explicitly agrees to said conditions.
- 5.4. Besides the regular communication channels, communication may also take place via email and messages via mobile phone (in case of SMS free of charge for the receiver) to provide information about NICES. The participant agrees to receiving messages on cell phone and email.
- 5.5. NICES reserves the right to use participants' email addresses even after NICES 2025, for the purpose of informing participants about (future editions of) NICES.
- 5.6. Every participant is expected to keep abreast of all information concerning NICES, spread via newsletters, the web site, mobile channels, etc.
- 5.7. NICES may, on certain occcasions, refuse personal photo/video/audio material being made.
- 5.8. The design and ownership of all products, activities and programmes designed by a participant to serve NICES, will be transferred by said participant to NICES.

 The developed designs, products and programmes may not be used by individuals without prior consent.
- 5.9. Price changes and publication errors reserved.
- 5.10. In case of any difference (due to translation errors or otherwise) between this text and the original Dutch text, the latest version of the Dutch text takes precedence.