



**Kandersteg**  
International  
Scout Centre



**KISC**  **100**

1923 - 2023

# WELCOME TO KISC 100



*Kandersteg International Scout Centre (KISC) - your World Scout Centre - will celebrate 100 years in 2023. We are planning a special series of events to help mark the 100th birthday of KISC. We invite all Scouts and Guides around the world to help us celebrate this unforgettable year, called KISC 100.*



**Jack Higgins - KISC Director**

As the Director of the World Scout Centre, I'm so excited to welcome thousands of Scouts and Guides in 2023. KISC has grown incredibly since Baden-Powell founded it in 1923 and 100 years later, we're still living the dream that he imagined. I invite all Scouts and Guides to share the magic of KISC with us by celebrating at one of our KISC 100 events.



**Alhassan Soltan - 2023 Project Director**

I'm leading an amazing group of volunteers to bring a unique experience that happens once every 100 years to all scouts and guides. We are working at the moment on bringing innovative and inclusive ideas to ensure that everyone from all countries can enjoy the magic of KISC. See you all in 2023!

## A 100 Year Journey

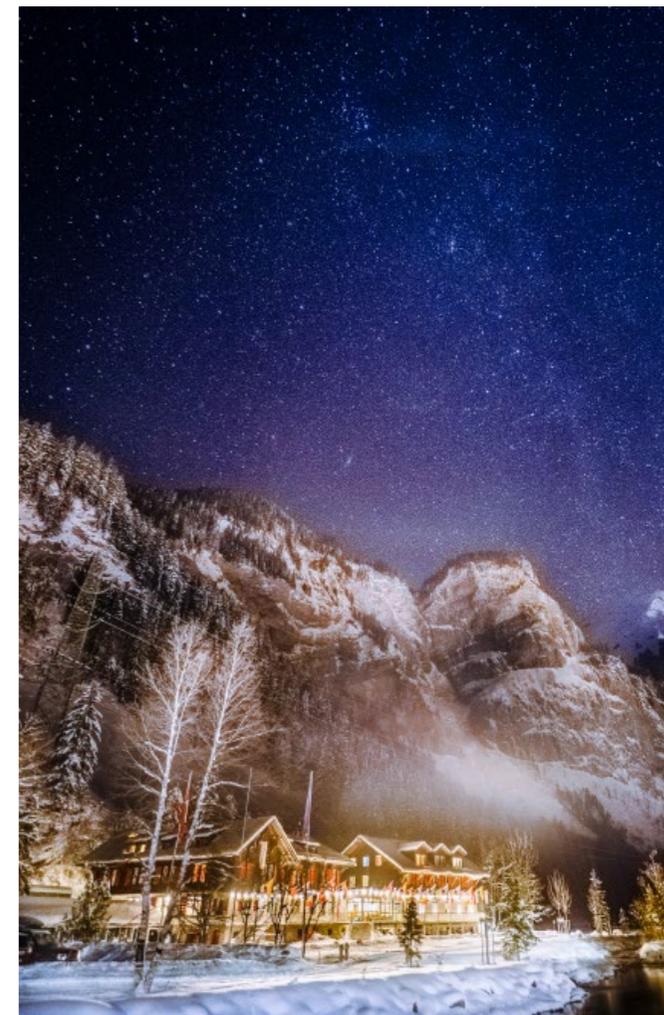
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In 1923 a disused chalet in Switzerland on the banks of the river Kander was purchased for a "permanent Scouting Jamboree" by Baden-Powell and the life of Kandersteg International Scout Centre began.

Over a million Scouts and Guides have visited KISC since its foundation and have lived its values on their return home to make their world a little better than they found it.

Throughout 2023 we will be celebrating 100 years of KISC inspiring young people to create a better and more peaceful world, through a series of events and activities which bring young people together from around the globe.

We have a range of events that will enable you to join in the centenary celebrations.



# KISC 100 EVENTS

Visit [2023.kisc.ch](https://2023.kisc.ch) for more information

28 DECEMBER 2022 - 2 JANUARY 2023

Welcome to the Centenary



19 - 26 FEBRUARY 2023

KISC Joti



26 MAY 2023 - 28 MAY 2023

Members' Centenary Weekend



27 JULY 2023 - 8 AUGUST 2023

Kander 100



28 DECEMBER 2023 - 2 JANUARY 2024

See you in 100 years



**Welcome to the Centenary** - The Centenary year will start with an unforgettable opening ceremony. With each country flying their flag, a parade will mark the beginning KISC 100 and celebrate the world of scouting that we have built together.

**KISC Joti** - This online event will be a symbol of diversity, inclusion, and accessibility. It will bring the magic of KISC virtually, reaching countries and Scouts we've never been able to engage with before.



**Members' Centenary Weekend** - KISC is not just a Scout Centre in the Swiss alps. It is an association with people from all corners of the world who support us. We will be communicating details of this event directly to members of the KISC Association. Networking, socialising and celebrating will all be key parts of the programme.

**Kander 100** - Kander 100 is a once-in-a-lifetime camp for young people from around the world and is the highlight of the KISC 100 Centenary celebrations; a camp bringing together Scouts and Guides in the heart of the Swiss Alps.



**See You in 100 Years** - A chance to welcome the next 100 years of the Permanent Mini Jamboree. Every celebration must come to an end, but the closing of the year will not be a Goodbye, rather a "See you soon" to everyone who visited and supported throughout the year. More information will be shared in late 2022.

# WELCOME TO THE CENTENARY



28 December 2022 -  
2 January 2023

**Celebrate the beginning of KISC's Centenary year with us. Our exciting programme and unforgettable opening ceremony will make this event unmissable.**

Are you ready to celebrate? 'Welcome to the Centenary' is our first 2023 event and bookings are available now! If you want to be there to kick off our biggest year of events, then you won't want to miss this. This New Years' event is the perfect opportunity to get together with your friends or make new ones. What are you waiting for? Save your spot in the event [through this booking form!](#) If you have any questions, kindly send an email to [2023@kisc.ch](mailto:2023@kisc.ch).



## The activities can include:

- Snow shoeing
- Igloo building
- Ice skating
- Oeschinensee gondola
- Sauna
- Evening sledding
- Horse riding in Interlaken
- Ski race
- Sledding in Adelboden

The Ceremony will include a parade to the village, to celebrate our diverse nationalities. You'll be able to share a drink with your friends at the leaders bar, as we welcome in a new year.



*My mountain says: 'Look wider; look higher; look further ahead, and a way will be seen'.*

Robert Baden-Powell

## Pricing

We want KISC to be accessible to as many people as possible, that's why we follow WOSM's guidelines on fees. This means if you're from a category A, B or C country you can get a discount of up to 75% on your accommodation. To find out which category your country belongs to, check out [www.scout.org](http://www.scout.org).

Anyone opting to book **"indoor accommodation"** will be allocated to one of the following buildings based on the most suitable allocations:



Old Chalet



Sunneblick



Tower



	A	B	C	D
Indoor Full Board	535	560	585	610
Kanderlodge Full Board	540	580	620	660

**All prices are in Swiss Francs (CHF)**

Catering includes all inclusive brunch on 1 Jan 2023, special Dinner on 31 December and all other meals provided.

# MEMBERS' CENTENARY WEEKEND



26 May - 28 May 2023

**You're invited to our special Members Centenary weekend to renew old acquaintances and remember past visits.**

It's also the occasion to build new friendships and experience the KISC magic again. You will be able to see the inspiring stories in the speakers' corner, explore new interests and be part of KISC's history

## Programme

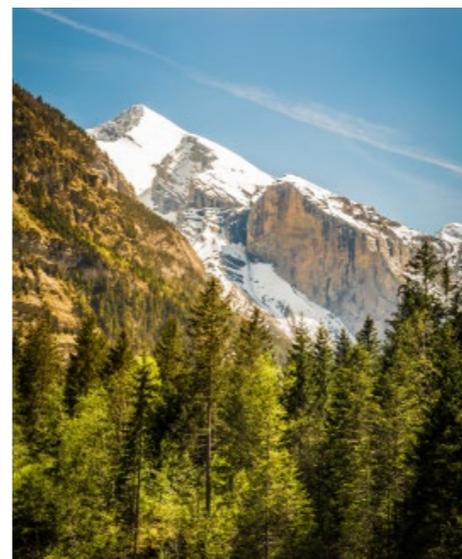
Our exciting programme includes:

- Glacier lake trip
- Workshops
- Inspirational speakers

And much more. Visit the website to see the full programme

## Special Accommodation

Prices for Campervan or Glamping in front of the chalet can be given on demand - just email [2023@kisc.ch](mailto:2023@kisc.ch)



	A	B	C	D
<b>Campsite Full Board</b>	164	166	168	170
<b>Indoor Full Board</b>	165	170	175	180
<b>Kanderlodge Full Board</b>	169	176	183	190

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# KANDER 100

28 July - 7 August 2023

**Kander 100 is a once-in-a-lifetime camp for young people from around the world and is the highlight of the KISC 100 Centenary celebrations; a camp bringing together Scouts and Guides from 100 countries in the heart of the Swiss Alps.**

We will inspire, challenge, and educate young people through high adventure, international friendship, and sustainable development.

The camp will take place over 10 days, from 28th July to 7th August. In a world faced with critical challenges, Kander 100 will show the world what is possible when young people live and work together without borders.

We offer a Programme that is adventurous, educational and enjoyable.



## Be close to the mountains

KISC's location offers endless possibilities for adventurous activities, nature discoveries and trips. Challenge yourself and enjoy spectacular mountain areas!



**High  
Adventure**

## Meet the world in the Alps

Kander100 is an ideal place to create international friendships and to bridge cultures, interests, opinions, religions, countries and continents.



**International  
Friendship**

## Take care of our environment

At KISC, we focus on improving one's ecological behavior and on giving young people tools to take action for the environment.



**Eco  
Adventure**



*Soon the fire of friendship spreads from one to another, and bonds are tied which last a lifetime, and everyone on returning home is richer for memories and dreams of Kandersteg.*

Robert Baden-Powell

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Other Kander100 accommodation:

Schweizerhaus

Villa Forree

YMCA

**Food supply:** This means that we will provide you with the ingredients and the recipe to be able to make your own food. A great option for those staying on the campsite or in one of our group buildings.

**Camping:** This type of accommodation requires you to bring tents and any other needed equipment for camping. You can rent camping equipment and tents at the center but we have a very limited number.

 Country Fee	 Catering	 Camping	 Indoor	 Kanderlodge
<b>A</b>	Full Board	670	695	730
	Food Supply	520	545	580
	Self Catering	290	315	350
<b>B</b>	Full Board	695	745	810
	Food Supply	545	595	665
	Self Catering	315	365	435
<b>C</b>	Full Board	720	795	895
	Food Supply	570	650	745
	Self Catering	340	420	515
<b>D</b>	Full Board	745	850	980
	Food Supply	595	700	830
	Self Catering	365	470	600

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