



Live Scouting's Adventure 2017 National Scout Jamboree

July 19-28, 2017

Summit Bechtel Family National Scout
Reserve, Glen Jean WV

Adult Contingent Member Information and Application

The National Scout Jamboree is the BSA's biggest event attracting nearly 40,000 Scouts and Scouters from around the world. The PA Dutch Council is able to send a limited number of participants.

Contingent Capacity:

- Two Boy Scout Troops made up of 36 Scouts and 4 Adults
- One Venturing Crew made up of 8 or 9 Venturers and 1 or 2 Adults

Adult Jamboree participants are selected by the Council Jamboree Committee after a review process and interview. Application does not guarantee selection as a Jamboree adult leader. An expectation of Jamboree leadership is that they will help actively recruit youth participants to fill contingent spaces.

Participant Eligibility Requirements

Boy Scouts Leaders

- Be a currently registered adult leader of a Boy Scout Troop or Varsity Team. Jamboree Scoutmaster candidates must be currently serving as a Scoutmaster or Varsity Coach.
- Scoutmaster and 1st Asst. Scoutmaster candidates must be at least age 21 by the first day of the Jamboree. 2nd Asst. Scoutmaster candidates must be at least age 18 by the first day of the Jamboree. 3rd Asst. Scoutmaster candidates must be at least age 18 by the first day of the Jamboree by not age 21 by the last day of the Jamboree.
- Have completed all required training for your registered position and either have/or will have completed Wood Badge (practical portion) prior to July 19, 2017.
- Complete Youth Protection Training within one year of the first day of the Jamboree.
- Be approved by the local council.
- Meet all BSA medical screening and BMI requirements.

Venturing Leaders*

- Be a currently registered member of a Venturing Crew actively serving as a Crew Advisor or Associate Advisor.
- Be at least age 21 by the first day of the Jamboree.
- Have completed all required training for your registered position and either have/or will have completed Wood Badge (practical portion) prior to July 19, 2017.

- Complete Youth Protection Training within one year of the first day of the Jamboree
- Be approved by the local council.
- Meet all BSA medical screening and BMI requirements.

*Allowing female Venturers to attend the Jamboree will be contingent upon the application and selection of a female Venturing advisor so that Venturing Youth Protection standards can be maintained.

Jamboree Cost

The estimated Jamboree contingent member cost is **\$1,340**. The Council Jamboree committee does their best to deliver value when planning for the Jamboree, however, there are costs that are beyond the control of the PA Dutch Council. For example, transportation contracts cannot be signed until much closer to the actual Jamboree departure date and prices may change. Costs also may be affected if the Jamboree contingent of 2 Troops and 1 Venturing Crew is less than full.

Participants will be provided a payment schedule and payment coupons. It is important that this schedule be followed so that the Council can meet its financial commitments related to the Jamboree.

Refunds

Planning the Jamboree is very detailed. Payments for the Jamboree, transportation and related costs are made months before the actual trip and are often non-refundable. Due to this, if for some reason you find that you are no longer able to attend the Jamboree, notice must be made in writing to the Council Service Center. Fees you have paid will not be refundable unless we have a replacement. It is not your responsibility to find a replacement and spaces cannot be promised to others. Replacements will be found from an established waiting list if one exists. Deposits are non-refundable under any circumstance with the exception of those placed on a waiting list for whom Jamboree space cannot be secured. We appreciate your understanding.

Jamboree Unit Meetings and Shakedown

The Council Jamboree Committee will meet regularly to plan the Jamboree trip. Contingent Leaders input is important in this process. In addition, once formed, each Jamboree unit will schedule regular meetings to plan for various aspects of the Jamboree and to keep Scouts and parents informed. Attendance at these meetings is highly encouraged.

Prior to the Jamboree the council will conduct a shakedown. This event is to provide Jamboree units with required pre-Jamboree training and to prepare participants for the Jamboree experience. The exact date, times, and location will be provided at a later time. Attendance at the Jamboree Shakedown is mandatory.

Jamboree Codes of Conduct

Both a 2017 Jamboree and PA Dutch Council Code of Conduct will be provided outlining participant expectations and requirements. Above all else, the Scout Oath and Law guide Jamboree participation. Failure to follow the rules outlined in each Code of Conduct may result in a participant being dismissed from the Jamboree contingent and the Jamboree at their own expense. Dismissal is not grounds for a refund.

2017 National Scout Jamboree Adult Registration Form

Registration as a Jamboree Adult Leader will be a three-step process:

1. Fill out the form below and submit it to the PA Dutch Council Service Center.
2. If selected as a Jamboree Leader, register online for the Jamboree at <http://www.summitbsa.org/events/jamboree/jamboree-registration/>. Print your confirmation and submit it with Step 2.
3. Submit a \$250 deposit made out to PA Dutch Council =668NJ 630 Janet Ave. Suite B114, Lancaster, PA 17601.

Adult Information:

Full Name: _____ Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Registered Position: _____ Circle One: Troop Crew Number: _____

I am applying for the following Leadership Position (Check One): _____ Scoutmaster _____ 1st Ast. SM
_____ 2nd Ast. SM _____ 3rd Ast. SM _____ Crew Advisor _____ Assoc. Crew Advisor

Please Review and Initial Your Understanding of Each Statement Below:

_____ I understand that application is not a guarantee of selection as a Jamboree Contingent Leader. If selected I will complete Registration Step # 2 and will send my \$250 non-refundable deposit for Registration Step #3.

_____ I will meet the eligibility requirements including required BSA registration, training, age and medical requirements as outlined for the Jamboree.

_____ I will meet my financial obligations as a member of the Council Jamboree Contingent.

_____ I agree to abide by the 2017 Jamboree and PA Dutch Council Codes of Conduct and understand that violation of these guidelines may result in my dismissal from the Jamboree at my own expense.

_____ I have read and understand the refund policy as outlined for the Jamboree.

_____ I will attend and participate in Jamboree Unit Meetings, the Jamboree Shakedown and Jamboree Committee meetings as required.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____