



2017 NATIONAL JAMBOREE

Central North Carolina Council, BSA

ADULT LEADER APPLICATION

The Central N.C. Council currently has been allocated 2 Troops consisting of **72** youth and **8** adult leaders and 1 – ½ Crew consisting of 18 youth and 2 adults to attend the 2017 National Scout Jamboree, which will be held at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia. The council must notify the National Office of the total number of participants we plan to send to the Summit by December 1, 2015. We will reduce the number of groups allocated if we do not have enough commitments by that date. Adult Leaders will be selected based on leadership qualifications and will be contacted by phone for further consideration by 11/1/2015. Those not selected will be notified by letter by 11/15/2015.

Financial Details - The total cost for participants (*youth and adults*) has not been determined however it is estimated that the Central N.C. Council Jamboree Contingent fee will be \$1,450 per youth prior to November 1, 2015 and \$1,600.00 for youth on or after November 1, 2015. Adult leaders fee will be \$1,000.00. This fee includes jamboree program, transportation, meals, lodging, special Central N.C. Council memorabilia items, patrol and troop equipment, and all pre-Jamboree trainings. All **youth** are required to register online at www.bsajamboree.org and submit a \$100 deposit with their application to CNCC and an additional \$150 and **BEFORE** November 1, 2015 in order to be considered for the 2017 Jamboree. Youth applying **AFTER** NOVEMBER 1, 2015 will be required to pay a \$250 deposit with application. **Adults** will be required to register at the online site and submit a \$100 deposit to the council **AFTER** being selected as contingent leaders.

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I am interested in being considered for:

Scoutmaster Assistant Scoutmaster Crew Advisor

Check all that you are interested in.

Name: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Address: _____ **City/Zip** _____

Telephones: _____ **Home** **Business** **Cell**

Step One - Please read the "2017 National Scout Jamboree Participant Statement of Understanding and Code of Conduct" on pages two. As an adult leader, will you have any difficulty living by and enforcing all parts of the statement/code to youth and adults at all pre-Jamboree and Jamboree events? _____ ("yes" or "no")

Step Two - Attach your comments to each category listed on pages 3. Write as much as you wish, the committee will read every word. No writing formalities are required other than it is requested that this page be the first page of your response and that you respond in the order designated in the questionnaire. Any additional information you want the committee to know is welcome. **ANY APPLICATION NOT FULLY COMPLETED WITH ALL QUESTIONS ANSWERED WILL AUTOMATICALLY NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

Step Three - Mail this application and your attached comments to:
Central N.C. Council, 2017 National Jamboree Committee, P.O. Box 250, Albemarle, NC 28002,

All applications must be received in the Council Office by September 30, 2015.

2017 NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE PARTICIPANT STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING:

All participants (youth and leaders) are selected by their local council to represent their local councils based on their qualifications in character, camping skills, physical and personal fitness, and leadership qualities. Therefore, all adult and youth participants and their parents or guardians are asked to read the Code of Conduct and Statement of Understanding as a condition of participation. It is with the further understanding that serious misconduct or infraction of rules and regulations may result in expulsion, at the participant's own expense, from the Jamboree or during the Jamboree tour. Each participant is responsible for his or her own behavior, and only when necessary will the procedure be invoked to send a participant home from the Jamboree.

CODE OF CONDUCT:

- 1) The units' adult leaders are responsible for the supervision of its membership in respect to maintaining discipline, security, and the Jamboree Code of Conduct.
- 2) Leaders will be guided by the Scout Oath and Scout Law and will obey all U.S., local and state laws.
- 3) Participants will set a good example by being neatly dressed and presentable. (The official BSA uniform and/or Jamboree identifying items are the only acceptable apparel as deemed appropriate for the activity.)
- 4) Participants will attend all scheduled programs and participate as required in cooperation with other unit members and leaders.
- 5) Participants agree to follow the bedtime and sleep schedule of the unit.
- 6) Participants will be responsible for keeping their tent and personal gear clean and neat. All personal gear will be labeled with appropriate name and unit information. Participants will adhere to all Jamboree recycling policies and regulations. All participants will do their best to prevent littering of the Jamboree grounds.
- 7) Participants understand that the purchase, possession, or consumption of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs is prohibited on BSA/Summit property.
- 8) Serious and or repetitive behavior violations including cheating, stealing, dishonesty, swearing, fighting, and cursing may result in expulsion from the Jamboree or serious disciplinary action and loss of privileges. The Jamboree headquarters must be contacted for the expulsion procedure to be invoked without . There are no exceptions.
- 9) Participants understand that gambling of any for is prohibited.
- 10) Participants understand that possession of lasers of any type, and possession or detonation of fireworks is prohibited unless otherwise specifically authorized by the Boys Scouts of America.
- 11) Participants will demonstrate respect for unit, Jamboree, and Summit property and be personally responsible for any loss, breakage, or vandalism of property as a result of their actions.
- 12) Neither the unit leaders nor the Boy Scouts of America will be responsible for loss, breakage, or theft of personal items. Theft will be grounds for expulsion.
- 13) Participants will obey the safety rules and instructions of all supervisors and staff members.
- 14) In accordance with U.S., local, and state laws, firearms and weapons are prohibited in the possession of all Jamboree participants unless otherwise specifically authorized by the Boy Scouts of America.
- 15) All leaders must complete Youth Protection training prior to the pre-Jamboree training and follow the guidelines therein.
- 16) Hazing has no place in Scouting; nor do running the gauntlet, belt lines, or similar physical punishment.
- 17) Patch and souvenir trading should occur only between your peers except when otherwise permitted.
- 18) Participants and staff members may only bring items specified on the equipment list provided by the Jamboree Department and National Council.
- 19) Violation of this Code of Conduct, or any conduct deemed to be inconsistent with the values of Scouting, may result in expulsion from the Jamboree at the participant's own expense; and could result in revocation of BSA membership.
- 20) All participants (with the exception of minor children accompanied by a parent or guardian) will have a current photo ID in their possession.

Central NC Council 2017 National Jamboree Contingent Leadership Questionnaire

- A. **Current Adult Scout Leadership Position** – Please tell us your current adult leadership position or positions, unit number, district, beginning date of service and any awards you have earned for this position.
- B. **Previous Adult Scout Leadership Positions** – List all your previous adult scout leadership positions, unit numbers, district, awards and beginning and ending date of service.
- C. **Future Adult Scout Leadership Positions** – What adult Scout leadership position would you want to hold after the Jamboree is concluded?
- D. **Other Leadership Positions** – If you have served as a youth leader in other organizations, list your positions and give a brief description of your duties, awards and accomplishments.
- E. **Employment** – Are you employed? ____ If “yes,” tell us who you work for, what type of employment you hold and your duties. Will your employer object to your absence for almost 2 weeks to attend the National Jamboree?
- F. **Adult Scout Training** – Please list all the adult scout training you have completed. If you have acted as a course director of Scout training please list the trainings, dates, locations etc.
- G. **Wood Badge** – Have you completed *Wood Badge*? _____. If your answer is “no,” are you willing to attend and complete all *Wood Badge for the 21st Century* requirements (Scouting highest-level *leadership* course) before the Jamboree? _____.
- H. **Camping Experience as an Adult Scout Leader** – Please detail your adult Scout leader camping experience in Council camps, Troop/Venture camping, High Adventure camps, summer camp staff, and any previous national or world jamborees.
- I. **Present Physical Condition** – Please detail your physical condition. Tell us whether you believe you have the ability to fully participate with Scouts during the Jamboree in all physical activities and if you believe you can pass the BSA medical exam. Also comment on any issues you might have with a warm/hot humid climate such as may be expected at Summit Bechtel Reserve in the summertime as well as mountainous terrain.
- J. **Youth Member** – If you were a youth member in Scouting, please detail your experience, ranks, leadership positions, awards, and camping experience in Council camps, Troop/Venture camping, High Adventure camps, summer camp staff, and any previous national or world jamborees.
- K. **Patrol Method** – Do you understand the “*Patrol Method*?” Have you been successful in implementing, maintaining and/or helping maintain and implement the *patrol method* in a troop?
- L. **Council Support**
- a. Does your unit attend Camp Barnhardt for Summer Camp? (answer yes or no)
 - i. 2015_____ 2014_____ 2013 _____
 - ii. If No, why not?
 - b. Does your unit participate in the Popcorn Fundraiser? (if possible, provide amount sold)
 - i. 2015_____ 2014_____ 2013 _____
 - c. Does your unit participate in the Camp Card Fundraiser? (if possible, provide amount sold)
 - i. 2015_____ 2014_____ 2013 _____
 - d. Does your unit host a Family Friends of Scouting presentation each year? (answer yes or no)
 - i. 2015_____ 2014_____ 2013 _____
 - e. List the Council and District Events that your unit participated in during the last 3 years?