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COUNCIL CHECKLIST: WHERE DO YOU STAND?

Should Already Be Done

- Confirmed transportation and tour arrangements.
- Ordered council shoulder insignia.
- Ordered custom unit numeral.
- Ordered equipment packages
- Ordered jamboree flags.
- Created "2001 National Scout Jamboree" event in PAS.
- Medical forms distributed to Scoutmaster(s).
- Final payment of \$225 sent to the Jamboree Division on February 1, 2001.

In Progress

- Plan a distinctive gateway for your troop site(s).
- Hold monthly committee meetings.
- Plan prejamboree training.
- Gather information for kosher menu request.
- Enter contingent information in the PAS event module (names and addresses of leaders and Scouts).
- Prepare for prejamboree training.
- Scouts and leaders have physicals and originals mailed (in bulk) to

Boy Scouts of America
Jamboree Medical Officer, S212
1325 West Walnut Hill Lane
P.O. Box 15279
Irving, TX 75015-2079

before May 1, 2001, for final approval.

FINAL PAYMENT DUE FEBRUARY 1

The final payment (\$225 per Scout and leader) of the 2001 National Scout Jamboree fee is due in the national office by February 1, 2001. Use a Transmittal Form, No. NSJ-107-01, when making this payment. Please remember to record your council name and number on the top of the form.

PLEASE NOTE

In the *Subcamp Operations Guide*, page 23, it states "In 2001, we will have a pre-packaged meal on each of the arena show nights and day of departure."

The arena show night meals will be easy to prepare and quick to clean up, but will not be pre-packaged. The departing meal will be pre-packaged, but the brand name is undetermined.

JAMBOREE TROOP PREJAMBOREE TRAINING

Prejamboree training for Scouts and leaders will be conducted by the council jamboree committee and jamboree unit leaders under the direction of the council jamboree training chairman. When there is a multicouncil troop, the region will assign the training responsibility.

It is recommended that the training be held in June 2001. It will include:

- Camping three days and two nights (48 hours).
- Setting up troop sites by jamboree standards.
- Using the equipment that will be used at the jamboree.
- Practicing camping and cooking skills of the type scheduled for the jamboree.
- Practicing activities and contests related to the jamboree.

The training plan should be adapted to local conditions.

The prejamboree training experience provides for members of council provisional units to get acquainted and - if not done previously - elect their leaders and prepare youth and adults for a happy, safe, and healthy jamboree.

For further information on prejamboree training, see your Council Jamboree Guide, page 15.

JAMBOREE CATALOGS AND ONLINE ORDERING

Later this month, jamboree catalogs will be mailed to all assigned staff and registered council participants. Participants who were correctly registered on January 15 will receive a catalog in the mail with a personal identification number (PIN) that will allow them to order jamboree merchandise online beginning March 1.

Phone calls received in the Jamboree Division regarding participants who were not registered and did not receive a PIN will be directed back to the local council to check their registration in the PAS jamboree event.

The national office will periodically check the PAS jamboree event for new registrations. The new registrants will be sent a postcard with a PIN for online ordering. These individuals will need to pick up a catalog from their local council. Councils will be sent a bulk shipment of jamboree catalogs.

JAMBOREE NAMEPLATES

The official uniform nameplate is approved by the jamboree committee for wear by Scouts, leaders, and staff participating in the 2001 National Scout Jamboree.

While the nameplate is an optional item, it is recommended that all contingent members wear a nameplate on their official jamboree uniform.

The nameplates can be ordered as follows:

- Name only on one line, No.26521, \$4.50
- Name on first line and jamboree position on second line, No.26522, \$6.00
- Name on first line, jamboree position on second line, and jamboree department on third line, No. 26523, \$7.50

The nameplates must be ordered on special order forms that will be available in February as part of the presale order packet. (See sample forms in this *Bulletin*. Ivory forms are for participants; white for staff.) Due to time needed for engraving, all nameplates will be shipped separately from any other merchandise ordered. Dates of availability are March 1, 2001 to June 1, 2001; however, it is recommended that orders be placed on or before April 16, 2001, to ensure delivery prior to the jamboree.

Any questions regarding the 2001 National Scout Jamboree nameplate should be directed to Clinton Bugg at 1-800-323-0732, extension 411.

AGE REQUIREMENTS

Policies for participants and staff as to age requirements are established by a number of services and groups conducting the jamboree. In turn, their recommendations are approved by the 2001 National Scout Jamboree Executive Committee composed of key volunteers. It is our longstanding policy not to make exceptions to these policies.

SPECIAL GUESTS RECEPTION

As your council makes plans to participate in the 2001 National Scout Jamboree, you may want to consider planning a visit by your executive board, key contributors, and prospects. Numerous councils have planned visits at past jamborees and have experienced positive results.

The Scheduled Guests Reception service can provide for transportation to and from area airports for council groups, and help arrange for meals and tours while at the jamboree site. Your group will want to stop by the Scouting history area near the main parking lot.

Please call Mark Moshier at 972-580-2208 or e-mail him at mmoshier@netbsa.org to begin planning your participation, or use the form in this *Jamboree Bulletin*.

Don't let another four years go by! The national Scout jamboree is a showcase event for Scouting. A visit to this event will galvanize support for Scouting and your council with supporters.

PAS "NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE"

Most councils have established the 2001 National Scout Jamboree in the PAS event module. This information is the vital link to a myriad of functions from medical to being able to order jamboree merchandise online.

The 2001 National Scout Jamboree events will be read frequently before and during the jamboree to enable almost real-time data. Councils will be expected to maintain the information in the jamboree events as required. If a participant plans to go to the jamboree but unforeseen circumstances require sending a substitute person, that information can be conveyed immediately and the rosters can properly reflect the changes.

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