



**BULLETIN NO. 11**

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### **COUNCIL CHECKLIST: WHERE DO YOU STAND?**

#### **Should Already Be Done**

- Confirmed transportation and tour arrangements.
- Designed council shoulder insignia.
- Contacted your regional jamboree coordinator in writing regarding hosting international Scouts.
- Created "2001 National Scout Jamboree" event in PAS.

#### **In Progress**

- Plan a distinctive gateway for your troop site(s).
- Hold monthly committee meetings.
- Recommend candidates for regional and central jamboree staff.
- Order council shoulder insignia.
- Order custom unit numeral.
- Order equipment packages.
- Order jamboree flags.
- Gather information for kosher menu request.
- Begin entering contingent information in the PAS event module.

### **JAMBOREE OFFICIAL CATALOG**

The 2001 National Scout Jamboree Official Merchandise Catalog will be available to all registered jamboree participants and staff in February 2001. In order to provide everyone with an equal opportunity to get what they want, the Supply Division will begin taking orders March 1, 2001.

A list of available jamboree items will be posted on [www.scoutstuff.org](http://www.scoutstuff.org) in December 2000.

### **NONRESTRICTED "MEET ME AT THE HILL" MERCHANDISE AVAILABLE NOW**

For those jamboree buffs who want something immediately to promote the jamboree, the Supply Division offers a special selection of items under the theme "Meet Me at the Hill." These items are *not* restricted to participants and staff, so everyone can enjoy a little jamboree spirit. You can even order custom patches, T-shirts, and other items with this logo *now*.

### **LUNCH KIOSKS "NEW" FOR 2001**

The hot, sticky Virginia winds of change have blown in a cool, fresh idea for the 2001 National Scout Jamboree. Imagine after a fun-filled morning at the action center with the sun starting to sizzle, you stop by a conveniently located kiosk and pick up a lunch with a fresh sandwich, ice-cold drink, and chilled fruit or dessert.

After two years of testing and with the help of Scouts and leaders at the Robert E. Lee Council in Richmond, Virginia, a plan has taken shape that will provide a fresh lunch between the hours of 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Eleven strategic sites have been identified as kiosk locations.

The concept is a cooperative effort between the Food Service Group's Special Food Service headed by chairman John Rodriguez, director Jerry Dehoney, kiosk manager David Dobbs, assistant kiosk manager Joe Farrell, and other key staff.

Lunches will be packed in Richmond and will arrive at night on refrigerated trucks that will be stationed next to the kiosks. The kiosks will be 30 x 40 awning style tents with counter access for serving on three sides. Kiosks will have signs for easy identification and will be noted on the map contained in the *Scout Guide* to be mailed in the spring of 2001.

Scouts and leaders will be issued tickets for the lunches. The tickets (similar to a plastic key tag) will be attached to key ring lanyards and designed to twist off for rapid lunch issue. They are color-coded for each day starting on July 24. Scouts and leaders pick up their lunches independently.

**Only on July 23**, your day of arrival, lunches will be picked up in lots of 40 for the entire troop. The second assistant Scoutmaster will coordinate with the troop quartermaster to pick up lunches. Notification requirements will be given at a later date.

**Note: In the *Troop Leader Guide*, it stated that the lunch on the day of arrival would be issued from the camp commissary; this will now take place at a kiosk or refrigerated truck near your subcamp.**

The Food Service Group is very excited about the opportunity to provide a fresh new concept in feeding at the 2001 National Scout Jamboree.

## **NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE STAFF OPPORTUNITIES**

One of the best staffs at the jamboree still has quality positions available. The Dining Halls staff supports the "front end" of the operation, while a contract catering company prepares the food.

Richard Christian, director, and David Briscoe, chairman, will be giving excellent leadership and providing time for their staff to see the sights and sounds of the jamboree.

Dining Hall staff have traditionally been able to provide a great service to the jamboree and have plenty of time off. If you or someone you know would like to apply for a rewarding position, just fill out a staff application available at the council service center. In the position area, be sure to write in "Dining Halls."

It is important to remember that applying does not guarantee a position. If an application is selected for a position, then a letter of appointment will be mailed.

## **HEALTH AND MEDICAL RECORD**

The 2001 National Scout Jamboree Health and Medical Record forms will be mailed to councils during the month of November. The form is No. NSJ-34412-01 **for youth and adults** and is the only form that will be accepted. **In section I of the form is a box to denote staff or participant.**

The Health and Medical Record can be completed anytime after December 1, 2000.

**Note: Medical information must be loaded into a database in advance of the jamboree at the national office. The database will support an improved identification system. Please make a copy to bring to the jamboree and return the originals by May 1, 2001, marked "Personal and Confidential," to:**

**Boy Scouts of America  
Jamboree Medical Officer, S212  
1325 West Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, TX 75015-2079**

In section V there is a place for information to be recorded if needed during the 30 days prior to the jamboree. This will need to be recorded on the copies made by the council to alert the medical staff upon check-in at the jamboree site.

### **FEBRUARY PAYMENT**

Just a reminder that the third and final payment of \$225 is due to the Jamboree Division on February 1, 2001.

### **JAMBOREE TIP**

Century Primus, the company that will be helping with troubleshooting patrol stove installations at the jamboree, has a suggestion. It may be worthwhile for each patrol to bring along a milk crate in its equipment. The crates can be used to help stabilize the 20-pound propane fuel cylinder used for cooking.

### **ANOTHER GOOD IDEA: "ADOPT-A-TENT"**

How to keep the costs of jamboree equipment as low as possible is probably a concern of many councils. One council met its concern by having troops or individuals put money toward the post-jamboree purchase of the jamboree tents. They call this the "Adopt-a-Tent" program. It becomes a win-win situation as the council recoups a good portion of the equipment money, it knows up front that the tents are sold, and the purchaser gets a nearly new tent at a reduced price.

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