

## **2010 National Scout Jamboree**

### **ADULT APPLICATION FOR UNIT LEADERS**

#### **WHAT IS A NATIONAL JAMBOREE**

A national jamboree is an encampment of Scouts and unit leaders with the purpose of providing a dramatic demonstration of Scouting's ability to develop world brotherhood, a spirit of friendship, and a source of understanding among young people through fellowship, activities, and adventure. Most of the participants will come from the Boy Scouts of America although most of the countries with Scout associations will be represented.

#### **2010 NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE**

The 2010 National Scout Jamboree will celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America. It will be held in the later half of July and will bring together more than 40,000 Scouts, leaders and staff for 10 days. Our contingent will include several additional days for touring historic spots in and around the Washington D.C. area, so the entire trip will cover 15 or more days.

#### **WHERE IS THE JAMBOREE?**

The jamboree will take place in Caroline County, Virginia on a portion of the U.S. Army installation Fort A.P. Hill. This area is roughly one hour south of Washington D.C., just outside of Fredericksburg, VA.

#### **HOW DO I APPLY?**

Each troop will have 3 adult leaders over age 21 and one youth leader between the age of 18 and 21. Adults who are interested in serving as one of the leaders for our contingent need to complete this application and submit it to the council office. No funds are due until after the leaders are selected toward the end of 2007. In addition to this application form you should also review copies of the Time Commitment, the Code of Conduct, and the Adult Leader Job Descriptions.

#### **UNIT LEADER REQUIREMENTS**

All jamboree units are organized as provisional units. The following qualifications must be met.

##### **Scoutmaster**

- Be at least 21 years of age
- Have served as a Scoutmaster for at least one year during the three-year period prior to the jamboree

- Have completed basic training for Scoutmasters
- Have completed the 60-minute Youth Protection Training
- Participate in the pre-jamboree training experience
- Have filed a Personal Health and Medical Record (class 3) before pre-jamboree training
- Be approved by our local council

##### **First Assistant Scoutmaster**

- Same qualifications as Scoutmaster

##### **Second Assistant Scoutmaster**

- Be at least 21 years of age
- Have served actively in an adult troop position for at least one year during the three-year period prior to the jamboree
- Have completed the 60-minute Youth Protection training
- Participate in the pre-jamboree training experience
- Have filed a Personal Health and Medical Record (class 3) before pre-jamboree training
- Be approved by our local council

##### **Third Assistant Scoutmaster**

- Be between 18 and 21 years old by the start of the jamboree
- Have served actively in a troop leadership position
- Have completed the 60-minute Youth Protection training
- Participate in the pre-jamboree training experience
- Have filed a Personal Health and Medical Record (class 3) before pre-jamboree training
- Be approved by our local council

#### **TRAVEL, COSTS & PAYMENT SCHEDULE**

All leaders will travel with the contingent as part of the tour that is arranged by our council jamboree committee. Cost for leaders will be determined once the final tour plans are made, but is expected to be at least \$2,500.00 This fee will cover the majority of all costs, including additional expenses such as required uniforms, contingent t-shirts, caps & patches. Once the fee is established a payment schedule will be determined.

#### **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT**

**All applicants must read the statement on page 2 carefully before signing in the appropriate area on the application form.**

## **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT**

**If selected, I agree to live by the Scout Oath and Law, to obey and cooperate with all jamboree leaders, to be a goodwill ambassador for the Buffalo Trail Council and the state of Texas, to meet my full responsibilities as a member of the Buffalo Trail Council contingent, to take such preliminary jamboree training as may be required, to wear the official National Scout Jamboree uniform, and to follow the Code of Conduct. (A signed copy of the Code of Conduct must be submitted to the council office with the leader application form.)**

**I certify that I have now or will attain the age and the qualifications that are required of all adult leaders, as such age and qualifications are listed on this application.**

**I further agree to submit evidence of fitness to make this trip on the Personal Health and Medical Record Form, signed by a licensed health-care practitioner, and that I will obtain immunizations required by the health services of the jamboree. I understand the medical record form for the jamboree is a special issue form that will be provided to me through the council jamboree committee.**

**This application includes my request for personal accident and sickness insurance to be purchased in my behalf. The cost of this insurance is included in the jamboree fee. It is understood that payment of claims by the insurance company or companies is contingent upon prompt reporting of claims, if any, by the applicant.**

**I understand that the jamboree will be covered by news media and filmmaking or broadcasting companies, and I hereby consent to the use of my voice and/or photograph in the news coverage, filmmaking, or similar projects approved by the Boy Scouts of America.**