



BULLETIN NO. 5

NATIONAL JAMBOREE BULLETIN

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## COUNCIL CHECKLIST: WHERE DO YOU STAND?

### Should Already Be Done:

- Confirmed transportation and tour arrangements.
- Finalized council fee and payment schedule.
- Designed council shoulder insignia.
- Developed promotion for summer camps.
- Contacted your regional jamboree coordinator in writing regarding hosting international Scouts.

### In Progress:

- Promote jamboree at council events.
- Promote jamboree at roundtables.
- Promote jamboree at troop meetings.
- Make individual calls to Scouts who indicate an interest in attending.
- Hold monthly committee meetings.

### Next 45 Days

- Order council shoulder insignia.
- Order custom unit numeral.
- Order equipment packages.
- Second national fee due August 1.

**COUNCILS PLEASE NOTE :** Advise your front counter personnel NOT to accept fee payments from persons serving as jamboree staff members. Staff members should use a Staff Registration Transmittal form, which can be downloaded [here](#) and send their fee payments directly to the national office.

## SECOND PAYMENT

2nd Jamboree Fees Due by August 1, 2004.

The second early bird payment of \$250 per participant or \$10,000 per troop is due on or before August 1, 2004. After August 1, the jamboree payment is \$275 per participant or \$11,000 per troop. An invoice will be sent to your council office in June.

# Special Patch for Jamboree Troops

## 2005 National Scout Jamboree Emergency Preparedness Award

Is your jamboree unit prepared? Are your Scouts mentally and emotionally prepared to act promptly and take care of themselves in an emergency?

In our world of man-made and natural phenomena, it is a challenge to be prepared for emergencies. The 2005 National Scout Jamboree Emergency Preparedness Award was planned to foster the skills to meet this challenge in our youth and adult members. It will prepare them to help prevent and respond to emergencies, and aid in recovery while traveling to and from the jamboree or during the jamboree.

As units across the country begin to plan their jamboree experience, it is important that they emphasize emergency preparedness training and have a plan for response that will help protect the unit and those around them. After the jamboree, this training will continue to contribute to the well-being of these members and their families and neighbors.

### Award Requirements

All youth members must have earned the First Aid or the Emergency Preparedness merit badge.

The jamboree unit, including its adult leaders, participates in emergency preparedness training conducted by community emergency agencies (fire department, local or state emergency management agency, police department, etc.).

Prepare and share with all unit members a written emergency preparedness plan for your unit's jamboree trip.

Prepare a jamboree travel emergency kit.

Hold unit sessions on the jamboree emergency preparedness plan.

For more detailed information and a copy of the application and brochure explaining the award, call 972-580-2228. The application and brochure will also be available on this Web site in the near future. Because of the importance of this effort and to encourage participation, Great American Custom Insurance Services is funding the cost of award patches.

### The Award

When a jamboree unit has fulfilled the requirements, a completed application is submitted to its council between September 1, 2004, and July 1, 2005. Councils will forward the applications to Risk Management S402 at the Boy Scouts of America. Applications will not be accepted at the jamboree site.

The patch may be worn on the right pocket of the uniform and is specifically for the 2005 National Scout Jamboree. A patch for each member of the jamboree unit will be mailed to the jamboree Scoutmaster.



## Jamboree Supplies

### Equipment and Tentage Package Plans

The 2005 National Scout Jamboree Package Plans order form is available to help jamboree planning committees determine tentage and unit equipment needs for their local council contingents.

Place your order as soon as possible to make sure you receive shipment prior to your pre-jamboree training encampment. Order by October 31, 2004, and receive free freight on tent packages.

For more information, council advisors may call 800-323-0732.

### Procurement & Food Services Group

Plans are well underway to ensure a great jamboree dining experience. Whether you are in a troop or subcamp site or dining in a staff dining hall, we are sure you will be delighted!

Dedicated volunteers and starting early have been real key ingredients to our 2005 Jamboree

Procurement/Food Services Group. Many individuals have applied and been accepted to work the Procurement/Food Services Group but more are needed in all areas. We are particularly looking for individuals with forklifting experience and shipping and receiving and transportation skills specific to the warehousing industry. Interested individuals may e-mail [jalline@netbsa.org](mailto:jalline@netbsa.org).

### Looking for Security?

Neal Johnson, chairman of security and parking for the 2005 National Scout Jamboree, and Bill Steele, director, are in need of a few good individuals with specialized law enforcement skills, along with individuals willing to work in general parking interfacing with the 25,000 daily visitors at the jamboree. It is a great opportunity to present a positive Scouting image to the general public. Staff applications are available online at [www.scouting.org/jamboree](http://www.scouting.org/jamboree).

### Program Highlight: Arts & Sciences

View an announcement about the 2005 Arts & Sciences Expo  
<http://www.scouting.org/jamboree/bulletin/miscart/2004-06-01.pdf>

Additional information is available in Appendix E of the Troop Leaders Guide  
<http://www.scouting.org/jamboree/guidebooks/67-155/index.html>



during the Boy Scouts of America's National Annual Meeting in Chicago this past May. Warren is the national Scout jamboree Procurement/Food Services Group duty officer, a section 1 Southern Region adviser for the Order of the Arrow, and member of the Andrew Jackson Council. Kaylene is the jamboree dining hall chairman and vice president of program of the Susquehanna Council.