

Webinar Q&A
November 18, 2015

1. Will there be a troop equipment list provided by National published as well? **A list will be available in the council planning guide. This will be sent to all councils once it is available.**
2. If a council's wait list becomes sufficiently large (beyond the original contingent reservation), can a council request an additional troop? **Absolutely, make the request! We will do our best to accommodate any and all additions, based on availability.**
3. What happens to the billing process if a Council adds any additional Troops later in the billing process? **When and if additional troops and/or crews are added to a Council's contingent, an adjustment bill will be generated to bring the payment(s) up-to-date for the total commitment.**
4. If my council is committed to at 1/4 crew how does the payment schedule work? **First, to clarify any confusion please note that for Jamboree purposes a Venturing crew is 40 people. Partial crews (patrols of 10) are available, at .25, .5, and .75, in addition to the full crew allotment of 40.**
 - **A deposit of \$1,750 per Venturing crew patrol (\$175 per person) is due to the National Council on or before January 31, 2016. (A late fee of \$500 per Venturing crew patrol (\$50 per person) will be assessed on February 1, 2016.)**
 - **A payment of \$4,000 per Venturing crew patrol (\$400 per person) is due to the National Council on or before July 31, 2016. (A late fee of \$500 per Venturing crew patrol (\$50 per person) will be assessed on August 1, 2016.)**
 - **A final payment of \$4,000 per Venturing crew patrol (\$400 per person) is due to the National Council on or before January 31, 2017. (A late fee of \$500 per Venturing crew patrol (\$50 per person) will be assessed on February 1, 2017.)**

The complete schedule for both troops and crews is included in the Council Planning Guide.

5. When will the campership application be available? **The campership process and application will be online sometime in January 2016.**
6. Is there going to be a Jamboree Duffel Bag this Jamboree? **The contents of the Jambo 17 Kit have not yet been determined.**
7. What entertainment options are being explored for the opening show and main show? **Fireworks? All entertainment and shows are currently TBA. Once finalized, the information will be announced. This probably will not be available until mid-2017.**

8. Are their updates to Leader Cell phone charging? **We are currently working to increase the capacity for cell phone charging within the Base Camps.**
9. Could you give some more explanation about the food process? **We will be having a webinar in the fall of 2016 to better explain how the participant meal process will work for the jamboree. As a prelude, we are adopting a Grocery Store model that has been successfully used at many World Scouting Jamborees. There will be stores in each Base Camp where selected Scouts will be given an allotment of tokens, points, etc. to shop for food based on preplanned meals that the Troop / Venturing Patrol would like to consume that day. More information to follow later in 2016.**
10. What transportation options are being provided for 2017? **Information on the transportation will not be available until sometime in 2016.**
11. Can we propose a service project in WV that we would like to do on the way to Jamboree? **Join us for the April webinar where we will discuss the day of service and the process for doing one of the Pre Jamboree Projects. For the pre Jamboree projects our goal is to have at least 1 project in each county. A large factor in the placement of troops to pre jamboree projects will be where the troop is traveling from and placing them on a project convenient to the troops travel route.**
12. How can I get more promotional materials? **All promotional materials are available online at the following link: <http://www.summitbsa.org/events/jamboree/council-toolkit/>**
13. Do we need to have a man and a woman for each patrol of 8 venture scouts or will we meet this commitment by mixing in male and female leaders from all four patrols? **It is important that all youth protection requirements are being met prior to arrival at the Jamboree. This includes appropriate two-deep leadership. Guidelines, FAQs, and other information can be found at the following link: <http://www.scouting.org/Training/YouthProtection.aspx>**

If a patrol arrives that has female crew members but does not have female leadership, we will make sure that the youth protection standards are being met while on-site.
14. How are you going to handle medical forms? **The process on how to submit BSA Health & Medical Records for the Jamboree will be announced in the summer of 2016.**
15. What are the staffing needs at this point? **Staff is needed in all areas. The staff description list can be found**
16. Are the medical standards going to be the same as the last jamboree? **Physical fitness and health standards are available at the following link: <http://www.summitbsa.org/events/jamboree/participants/>**
17. Is it possible for a contingent doing service in WV the day before to get in to the Summit on Tuesday night? **No. Early arrivals are not permitted.**