



**2023 National Scout Jamboree
W.D. Boyce Council – Boy Scouts of America
Adult Leader Application and Contract**

**Please read all requirements and information.
Applications due to the council office by April 15, 2022.**

Personal Information: Please Print

_____ Male Female
First Name MI Last Name

_____ City State ZIP Code
Street Address

_____ Cell Phone
Home Phone Work Phone

_____ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) Age
E-Mail Address

_____ District
Unit Type (Troop, Crew, etc.) Unit Number (xxxxB/xxxxG)

_____ BSA Registration Number from Membership Card
Primary Registered Position

Applying for: ___ Scoutmaster ___ Assistant Scoutmaster ___ Venturing Advisor ___ Assoc. Advisor

You should be familiar with the job responsibilities associated with the position(s) for which you are applying. Refer to Participant Qualifications link below.

Positions Served in Scouting: Dates/Years

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Special Skills or Hobbies: _____

Total Years in Scouting: Adult _____ Youth _____

National Jamborees Attended (include year(s)): _____

Staff, Youth, or Leadership Position as related to National Jamboree: _____

High Adventure Attended: _____

Scouts BSA and Venturing Training: Indicate all that apply, (S) if Staff, indicate year(s) of participation

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|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| _____ Fast Start-Boy Scout | _____ Safety Afloat |
| _____ New Leaders Essentials | _____ Safe Swim Defense |
| _____ Outdoor Leader | _____ Wilderness First Aid |
| _____ Train the Trainer | _____ First Aid CPR |
| _____ Wood Badge (recommended) | _____ Backpack Awareness |
| _____ Philmont Training Center | _____ National Camping School |
| _____ Youth Protection | _____ University of Scouting |
| _____ Committee Challenge | _____ Scoutmaster Specific Training |
| _____ Climb On Safely | _____ Venturing Leader Specific Training |
| _____ Other: _____ | |

Indicate all that apply, provide year if applicable:

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|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| _____ Eagle Scout Award | Order of the Arrow Member |
| _____ Religious Award – Adult | _____ Ordeal |
| _____ Religious Award – Youth | _____ Brotherhood |
| _____ Explorer Awards | _____ Vigil |
| _____ Venturing Awards | |
| _____ Scouter’s Key | |
| _____ Scouter’s Training Award | |
| _____ NESAs Scoutmaster Award | |
| _____ District Award of Merit – District _____ | |
| _____ Silver Beaver Award – Council _____ | |

Other Awards, Training, or Honors:

Other Service to Youth:

Other Advanced First Aid or Medical Experience:

Short Essay: Please respond to the following question, limiting your response to less than one page. Please give information that would be pertinent to your selection as a Jamboree leader.

Why do you want to participate in the 2023 National Jamboree?

2023 National Scout Jamboree Unit Leader Qualifications

Interviews: The Jamboree Leadership Selection Committee will review your application and then we may schedule you for an interview. All applicants will receive a response. You should be familiar with the job responsibilities associated with the position for which you are applying.

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W.D. Boyce Council Adult Leader Recommended Qualifications for the 2023 National Scout Jamboree

A fundamental requirement is the willingness and ability to dedicate significant time and effort to recruit youth participants and prepare the contingent for the Jamboree.

Monthly meetings and several weekend orientations, participant training and youth leader training sessions will be conducted in order to ensure that the contingent is prepared for an experience of a lifetime. Additionally, communications, logistics, equipment planning, and project management are important factors.

PARTICIPANT QUALIFICATIONS

All Jamboree Scoutmasters, First, Second, Third Assistant Scoutmasters, Unit Care Provider, and Adult Chaperones **MUST** meet the requirements listed on the National Jamboree site under **Participant Qualifications** **HERE:**

<https://bbp8l3wv37p1tej523t47w2r-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/sites/6/2022/03/Participant-Qualifications.pdf>

JAMBOREE CODE OF CONDUCT/STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

The unit's adult leaders (Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmasters, Venturing Advisor, Venturing Associate Advisor, and Chaperones) are responsible for the supervision of the unit's membership in respect to maintaining discipline, security, and the Jamboree Code of Conduct. All Jamboree participants are expected to adhere to the **Statement of Understanding** and Leaders are expected to abide by the **Jamboree Code of Conduct**. Both of these can be found **HERE:**

<https://bbp8l3wv37p1tej523t47w2r-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/sites/6/2022/03/Code-of-Conduct.pdf>

PHYSICAL FITNESS

The Jamboree is not a physical fitness course. However, the touring, early/late hours, walking, heat, and more walking are stressful on your body. You must be able to handle this stress and keep a positive leadership attitude when working with the Scouts. Electricity for medical sleeping devices will not be available. The following statement on **Physical Fitness** details the requirements for participants and leaders:

<https://bbp8l3wv37p1tej523t47w2r-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/sites/6/2022/03/Physical-Fitness.pdf>

MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS

Completion of a complete BSA physical (including a physician's visit and statement) is required for all participants registering for the National Jamboree. In addition, the following document explains the Medical Requirements:

<https://bbp8l3wv37p1tej523t47w2r-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/sites/6/2022/03/Medical-Requirements.pdf>

UNIT CARE PROVIDER

As a member of the leadership team you may be asked to fulfill the role of Unit Care Provider. This responsibility would be in addition to other leadership duties, and is designed to provide First Aid treatment for non-critical injuries at the unit level, allowing the Jamboree Base Camp medical facilities to provide primary medical care beyond First Aid. The following Unit Care Plan document outlines the plan and training required:

<https://bbp8l3wv37p1tej523t47w2r-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/sites/6/2022/03/Unit-Care-Plan.pdf>

ALCOHOL

The current Guide to Safe Scouting states:

The following statement was approved by the National Executive Board of the Boy Scouts of America. "It is the policy of the Boy Scouts of America that the use of alcoholic beverages and controlled substances is not permitted at encampments or activities on property owned and/or operated by the Boy Scouts of America, or at any activity involving participation of youth members."

Accordingly, it is the policy of the 2023 National Scout Jamboree that:

The possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs is prohibited at The Summit.

TOBACCO

The current Guide to Safe Scouting states:

"Adult leaders should support the attitude that they, as well as youths, are better off without tobacco in any form and may not allow the use of tobacco products at any BSA activity involving youth participants. This includes the use of electronic cigarettes, personal vaporizers, or electronic nicotine delivery systems that simulate tobacco smoking. All Scouting functions, meetings, and activities should be conducted on a smoke-free basis, with smoking areas located away from all participants."

Accordingly, it is the policy of the 2023 National Scout Jamboree that:

Smoking and the use of smokeless tobacco is prohibited in all national Jamboree buildings, tents, and vehicles. While in BSA uniform and/or on duty, smoking or the use of smokeless tobacco is not permitted.

The use of tobacco by visitors or off-duty non-uniformed staff or leaders will be restricted to designated areas.

W. D. Boyce Statement of Understanding: Leaders are selected to represent the W.D. Boyce Council based on qualifications in character, camping skills, physical and personal fitness, and leadership. With completion and submission of this application, I the undersigned do hereby agree to live the Scout Oath and Law and to obey and cooperate with Jamboree leaders, to meet my full responsibility as a member of the W.D. Boyce Council Jamboree contingent, take such preliminary Jamboree training as may be required, and to wear the official Jamboree uniform.

I further attest that I have read the National Jamboree Code of Conduct, Statement of Understanding, and all other linked requirements documents above as a condition of participation, and will abide by these requirements.

It is with the further understanding that serious misconduct or infraction of rules and regulations may result in expulsion, at the participant's expense, from the Jamboree or during the Jamboree tour. I have also read the duties of the position for which I am applying and do hereby confirm that I am capable of fulfilling said duties during the months preceding the Jamboree, during the tour, traveling to and from the Jamboree, and while at Jamboree.

Payments of Jamboree registrations fees, tour or equipment costs will be made in accordance with guidelines as set forth by the Jamboree committee for contingent troop leaders. All fees must be paid on or before the dates imposed by the Jamboree committee. Failure to make payments in a timely and responsible manner shall constitute breach of this agreement and shall result in removal from the position with forfeiture of all fees previously collected.

In consideration of the benefits to be derived from participation in the 2023 National Scout Jamboree, any and all claims against the Boy Scouts of America, the W.D. Boyce Council, the United States of America, or any of the officers, employees, agents, or other representatives of any of them, or any other persons working under their direction or engaged in the conduct of their affairs, arising out of any accident, illness, injury, damage, or other loss or harm to or incurred or suffered by the applicant named herein or to his property, in connection with or incidental to the 2023 National Scout Jamboree, including preliminary training and travel, are hereby expressly waived by the applicant.

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

I have read and understand this application including the Unit Leader Qualifications and any requirements and policies linked herein. I agree to cooperate with the W.D. Boyce Council National Jamboree Committee, support the policies, and fulfill my position if selected.

Signed _____
Printed name _____
Date (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Please keep a copy of this form for your records.

Please email an electronically signed copy of this form to wdboyce.jambo2023@gmail.com OR sign and mail to:

W.D. Boyce Council, BSA C/O 2023 National Jamboree 614 N.E. Madison Avenue Peoria, IL 61603
