

## 2009 Camporee Job Descriptions

Hello Fellow Patriots Path Scouters!

With the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary coming up, our Council will be putting together a Council wide Camporee during the weekend of October 2-4, 2009. We expect somewhere between 5000 and 7000 Scouts to participate.

For this to happen we are looking for Scouters like yourself to be part of fantastic event as one of our staff members. Here are some of the job descriptions:

### 1. Program Areas -

- a. Disability Awareness program area that is involved with what would it be like to have disabilities involved with the 5 senses; sight, hearing, smelling, touch, and taste.
- b. Buckskin Games program area that is involved a set of competitive activities that men participated in during the early 19th century. The games feature instruction in and firing of muzzle-loading guns, a tomahawk throw, a knife throw, a bucking bronco event, bullwhip cracking, and branding.
- c. Conservation - Nature program area that is involved with nature and conservation related topics which include "Leave No Trace" Philosophy.
- d. Physical Fitness program area that is involved with physical skill sets, races, mountain bike racing, and Iron man course.
- e. Exhibits program area that is involved with and setting up static and interactive exhibits which exhibit the theme of the History of The Boy Scouts of America.
- f. Skill-O-Rama program area that is involved with the "show and do" and the "hands on" of Boy Scout skills both old and new. This includes cooking, pioneering, semaphore, first aid, backpacking, and camping.
- g. Service to Community program area that is involved with those services that are involved with the betterment of the community. Involved with this area are members of the Salvation Army, Red Cross, AmeriCorps, and Community of Emergency Response Teams (CERT).

### 6. Finance

- a. Trading Post - cashier, inventory, stocking
- b. Camporee Program Booklet - selling ad space which will help offset the costs of the camporee.
- c. Booth Sponsor - setting up multiple sponsors for each of the program areas to help offset the cost of the camporee.
- d. Corporate Sponsor -in getting corporations to sponsor the Camporee. Again, this will help to offset the cost of the camporee.

### 7. Support/Physical Arrangements

- a. Sussex sub-Camp setting the subcamp for campers which includes supporting all Health and Safety policies as outlined in the Guide to Safe Scouting. Also part of this

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responsibility is setting up and running special contests with their responsible subcamp such as best Patrol Flag contest, chili contest, and inspection of campsites.

- b. Black River sub-Camp setting the subcamp for campers which includes supporting all Health and Safety policies as outlined in the *Guide to Safe Scouting*. Also part of this responsibility is setting up and running special contests with their responsible subcamp such as best Patrol Flag contest, chili contest, and inspection of campsites..
  - c. Musee sub-Camp setting the subcamp for campers which includes supporting all Health and Safety policies as outlined in the *Guide to Safe Scouting*. Also part of this responsibility is setting up and running special contests with their responsible subcamp such as best Patrol Flag contest, chili contest, and inspection of campsites.
  - d. Fishawack sub-Camp setting the subcamp for campers which includes supporting all Health and Safety policies as outlined in the *Guide to Safe Scouting*. Also part of this responsibility is setting up and running special contests with their responsible subcamp such as best Patrol Flag contest, chili contest, and inspection of campsites..
  - e. Raritan Valley sub-Camp setting the subcamp for campers which includes supporting all Health and Safety policies as outlined in the *Guide to Safe Scouting*. Also part of this responsibility is setting up and running special contests with their responsible subcamp such as best Patrol Flag contest, chili contest, and inspection of campsites.
  - f. Watchung Mountain sub-Camp setting the subcamp for campers which includes supporting all Health and Safety policies as outlined in the *Guide to Safe Scouting*. Also part of this responsibility is setting up and running special contests with their responsible subcamp such as best Patrol Flag contest, chili contest, and inspection of campsites.
  - g. Health officer -inspects all of the camping areas with the sub-camp chiefs, food vendors, and works with the Frankford Township's health department in making sure all health ordinances are being followed.
  - h. Safety Officer -works with Sussex County Sheriff's department in traffic control, the local Law Enforcement Explorer posts. Must follow the Safety policies as outlined in the *Guide to Safe Scouting*.
  - i. Quartermaster-for setting up and acquiring all needed materials which are requested to support the event.
8. **Promotions-**
- a. Local media agent -works with the local press and television stations in releasing information about the Camporee.
  - b. Monthly News publisher -creates of monthly newsletter(s) that outlines important information and events that are involved with the camporee. Makes sure all Boy Scout and Venture units are included in distribution. Also works with Patriots Path Webmaster in posting this information on the Councils' web-site

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- c. Roundtable Town Crier -visits all district Boy Scout Round Tables and informs leadership of the Camporee information.
  - d. Ceremonies-Night Show conduct the opening and closing ceremonies and the Saturday evening Night Show.
9. Participation-
- a. Unit Registration Coordinator -maintains a record of all registered units and sets up registration and check-in and check-out processes for the event. Also involved in this is creating a registration form to be used for unit pre-registrations.
  - b. Recruitment of staff Coordinator -reports to the Vice Chair of Participation recruits staff needed from each area which includes Programs, Finance, Support/Physical Arrangements, and promotions.
  - c. Recruitment of outside concerns - reports to the Vice Chair of Participation recruits non-Scouter staff to help with all Program, promotions, and Support/Physical Arrangements as needed.

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