



Last Call Open House for Boys & Parents to Learn About World Scout Jamboree in England, Summer '07

Date: Monday October 30, 2006

Time: 7:30 – 9:30 pm

**Location: Westchester-Putnam Council Service Center,
41 Saw Mill River Road, Hawthorne**

**Speakers: Edmund Dalio, ASM, 21st World Jamboree
Jeff Berg, Staff Member, 21st World Jamboree
Robert Walker, Council Jamboree Chair**

Scouts and Venturers between the ages of 14 and 17 years old on July 27, 2007—that is specifically those born between July 28, 1989, and July 27, 1993—may take part in the jamboree. World Jamborees are only held once every 4 years, so a boy can only ever attend ONE as a youth. There are expected to be 40,000 participants from over 150 countries attending this 21st World Jamboree. Attending a World Jamboree is truly a “once-in-a-lifetime” experience.

15 boys from Westchester-Putnam Council (WPC) have already submitted their applications and have paid their deposits to attend. 10 more spots are now being made available for other boys interested in attending. Scouts from WPC along with those from 2-3 neighboring councils will form a Jamboree troop consisting of 36 boys and 4 adult leaders (leaders are chosen by the BSA’s Northeast Region).

The Jamboree will be held from July 27 – August 8 at Highlands Park in Chelmsford, England. It will be preceded by a 3-day touring program in and around London. Boys will depart on a charter flight as a troop from a Metro NY airport (TBD) on Sunday July 23 and return as a troop on Tuesday August 8.

Cost of the complete trip is \$3,975. Partial camperships are available from BSA’s Northeast Region. Applications and deposits are being taken now and will likely be closed prior to year end. Come see a brand new slideshow presentation on the Jamboree and get your questions answered.