

# 2005 NATIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE

## Participant Statement of Understanding and Code of Conduct

**Statement of Understanding:** The undersigned Scout and the undersigned Scout parent(s) acknowledge that the Scout has been selected to attend the 2005 National Scout Jamboree based in part upon the Scouts integrity, character and dedication to scouting principals. The Scout, whose signature appears below, acknowledges that serious misconduct or infractions of rules and regulations may result in expulsion at the Scouts expense from the Jamboree or during the Jamboree Tour. All youth agree to abide by the rules and regulations established by the Boy Scouts of America, the Mecklenburg County Council and leaders of his Scout troop.

**At a minimum, all Scouts are expected to abide by the following:**

1. **The Scout Oath and Law will be my guide throughout the Jamboree.**
2. The Scout acknowledges that his adult leaders, senior youth leaders and youth leaders are responsible for the supervision of the Scout, with respect to maintaining discipline and security at the Jamboree.
3. The Scout acknowledges that he will abide by the Jamboree Code of Conduct executed by him at the time he signed the Jamboree Application.
4. The Scout will set a good example by keeping himself neatly dressed and presentable. Only the official Scout uniform and Jamboree identifying items will be acceptable apparel.
5. The Scout will make every effort to attend all scheduled programs and participate as required by his Troop leaders. He will cooperate with his fellow Scouts in his troop and council.
6. The Scout agrees to follow rules and regulations of the Mecklenburg County Council and his troop including the following: quiet hours; maintaining his tent in a neat order; adhering to all Jamboree recycling policies and regulations; adhering to the OUTDOOR CODE; and following all safety regulations as established by the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America, the Mecklenburg County Council and his Scout troop.
7. The Scout acknowledges that the purchase, possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, illegal drugs or illegal use of legal drugs is prohibited and such conduct will result in immediate expulsion from the Scout's Jamboree troop.
8. The Scout acknowledges that any form of gambling is prohibited.
9. The Scout acknowledges that he will refrain from using lasers or fireworks of any type.
10. The Scout acknowledges that he will not have on his possession at any time during the Jamboree experience any firearm or weapon.
11. The Scout acknowledges that any violation of any of the above may result in expulsion from the Jamboree at the participants own expense and that all decisions will be final. Arranging for transportation and the cost thereof will be the responsibility of the Scout and his parent(s). Parents will be expected to obtain such transportation immediately.
12. The Scout acknowledges that under no circumstances will he leave an assigned area *e.g.* in the Williamsburg VA area, his hotel or the Jamboree site without prior approval of one of his Scoutmasters.
13. The Scout acknowledges he will to use the "buddy system" at all times except when he is in the campsite at the Jamboree.

This the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2005.

I have read and understand and agree to abide by the above Code of Conduct.

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Scout

We have read and understand and agree to the above Code of Conduct and have reviewed the same with our son.

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Parent or Guardian