



2010 Jamboree Newsletter

Celebrating the Adventure Continuing the Journey

Save the Date!!

The next training session for Jamboree participants and interested parents is February 5-6 at Calvary United Methodist Church at 4575 45th St. S. in Fargo. Emphasis will be on further training for troops, as well as updated information on flight times, touring information and other information on the Jamboree. Plan on attending and getting to know your fellow Jamboree attendees!

A big Scouting salute to Pat Downs and the volunteers he has working on the arrangements for this event. Details for agenda and directions will be included in future newsletter and posted to the Northern Lights Council website before the end of the year.

Latest Jamboree News

Check out the National Jamboree Web site at <http://www.bsajamboree.org/> for the latest information on activities and events at the Jamboree. This is a great site to keep informed on national news for the Jamboree.

The Northern Lights Council Jamboree Committee is working with national tour company, WorldStrides for flight schedules and ticket prices for the extended and regular tours. Continue checking the 2010 Jamboree button on the Northern Lights Council Web site - <http://www.nlcbsa.org/2010jamboree.htm> - for updated information.

Popcorn Sales Reminder

A reminder to Scouts that have signed up to sell popcorn for Jamboree funding: sales are officially under way! Be sure to visit with family, friends and neighbors about possible sales, mentioning that you have the opportunity to earn 50% of sales for your Jamboree adventure.

COUNTDOWN!!!

300 days to Jamboree!

Only 5 Scout openings left!

Reserve your space: call 877-293-5011

PROFILE:

Craig



I began my scouting experience with Cub Scout Pack 20 in Grand Forks.

Over the past 11 years, I have served in many scouting rolls, including Den Leader, Webelos Leader, Cub Master, Charter Organization Representative, Committee Member, Assistant Scoutmaster, Roundtable Staff, and currently as Scoutmaster for Troop 20 in Grand Forks.

I participated in Wood Badge Leadership Training in 2003, served as Wood Badge Staff in 2007 and will participate again as staff for the 2009 course. I served as Second Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 1437 at the 2005 National Scout Jamboree, and participated in the pre-Jamboree extended tour.

I have received the Webelos Leader, Cub Master, Cub Scouter, and Boy Scout Leader training awards along with the District Award of Merit.

I live in Grand Forks with my wife, Suzanne, two sons, Eric (17) and Thomas (14), and our dogs, Lucky and Max. My son, Eric, was a participant in the 2005 National Jamboree, as well as the 2007 World Jamboree. Thomas will be attending the 2010 jamboree with us.

I am an Electrical Engineer working on commercial and industrial power, lighting and automation systems throughout our region.

As a Jamboree leader, our focus will be on providing the safest and most memorable Jamboree experience possible, while promoting the values and leadership skill taught throughout scouting. We hope to truly make this a Scout's greatest adventure.