



You can UNLOCK THE WORLD at the 2019 World Scout Jamboree to be held at THE SUMMIT in West Virginia

What is the World Scout Jamboree?

It's a place for friendship, fellowship, and particularly at the Summit Bechtel Reserve, adventure! It's a once in a lifetime opportunity for BSA youth and adults to become engaged with the global Scouting community; this is truly something you won't want to miss. A World Scout Jamboree (WSJ) is the World Organization of the Scouting Movement's largest event with nearly 50,000 scouts and scouters from over 169 countries in the world.

How is it different from a National Jamboree?

The focus at a WSJ is more on meeting people from different cultures and countries than doing high-adventure activities. While you will have plenty of chances to zip-line, ride mountain bikes, and take advantage of the adventure programs at the Summit, you will also have many opportunities to meet new friends and learn what Scouting and life is like in other countries. The WSJ has unique programs for participants to learn about different cultures, sustainability, peace and community service. These activities are intended to give participants an opportunity to learn new things and to build new friendships.

Who can attend?

Male and female scouts 14-17 years old at the time of the Jamboree. Yes, your daughters and sisters can go to by registering with BSA! If you have questions how to do this, please contact Alan Strohmaier, Mid Iowa Council Outdoor Adventure chair at Alan.strohmaier@gmail.com or at 515/277-6104. Adult staff positions are also available.

Where and When is it?

Summit Bechtel Scout Reserve in West Virginia **July 21-Aug 2, 2019**

What is the Cost for Participants?

\$2500 plus the cost to get to the contingent departure city (probably Kansas City or Chicago)

If you would like more information regarding the World Scout Jamboree, please go to <https://wsj2019.us/> or call/email me at the phone or email below.

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