NBOFC
Venturing Committee Presents

“20th Anniversary of Venturing”
A weekend training event

September 14-16, 2018
(Please note this date is a change from the council calendar)

Camp Tuckahoe
400 Tuckahoe Road
Dillsburg, PA 17019

Registration due no later than
September 7th, 2018
Dear Scouts and Scouters,

Your crew is invited to attend the NBOFC Venturing Committee Training Weekend. This packet should help you understand what is happening at the Venturing Training Weekend so you can publicize it to your unit. Our event is centered on training while celebrating the 20th Anniversary of Venturing.

Venturing is all about A-L-P-S: Adventure, Leadership, Personal Growth, Service.

**Personal Growth** comes when you learn from your experiences as a Venturer. Personal Growth helps you identify and develop your talents and abilities so you can be prepared for life’s challenges and opportunities.

**Service** is the gift we give to others.

*This year will be the 3rd year for the Venturing Training weekend and the Venturing Committee wants to encourage our youth to “give back” by helping to teach classes they have taken previously. This is a great way to achieve Personal Growth. We are asking each Crew who registers to provide one instructor – youth or adult. It would be awesome if each crew would provide an adult mentor for a youth presenter. Syllabus’s will be provided. Please email NBOFCVenturing@gmail.com with your preferred session. Sessions will be assigned on a first come bases.*
TRAININGS OFFERED

Please select your AM & PM choice on registration form

Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews – All Day
  This course is for youth as a Discovery Award Requirement

CPR and First Aid – Additional Cost may apply – Limited spots – All Day
  This course is for youth as a Discovery Award Requirement

Goal Setting & Time Management – 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
  This course is for youth as a Discovery Award Requirement

Project Management – 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm
  This course is for youth as a Pathfinder Award Requirement

Mentoring for Venturing Crews – 9:00 am to 11:00 am
  This course is for youth as a Summit Award Requirement

Preparing for the Summit Award Service Project & Workbook
  11:00 am – 12:00 pm
  This course is for youth or adults

The New Youth Protection – 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
  This course is for youth or adults

Leave no Trace Award – 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Other awards in Venturing 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm
CAMP SITES

Each unit will be given a camping assignment upon arrival. Units are responsible for camping area supplies. The Venturing Event will provide all meals so no kitchen materials are required expect those mentioned below under UNIT REQUIREMENTS.

BSA REQUIREMENTS

Upon check-in, all leaders will sign-in, confirming that all paperwork is in order.

It is the leader’s responsibility to have the following in their possession at the event:

**Health and Medical Record**

Each person registered, scouts and adults, must have a current completed and signed BSA Annual Health and Medical Record, Parts A and B. Part C is NOT required. This record is valid for 12 calendar months from when is signed. Unit Leaders are responsible to keep these forms.

This form is available at scouting.org.

**Permission Forms**

Unit Leaders is responsible for keeping the forms.

**First Aid**

We will have trained medical personnel on staff for this Venturing Event. However, each crew should be able to take care of minor injuries, and the Scouts should be carrying their own personal First Aid kits anyways. Injuries requiring medical attention should be reported to and attended by the medical personnel on staff. Please have proper medical forms with the crew for each person.
Youth Protections & Guide to Safe Scouting

We require that all persons attending this event follow all guidelines of Youth Protection and the Guide to Safe Scouting.

PA Background Clearances

All adults attending this event must provide the required background clearances required by their state. In PA that would include-Report of Criminal History from the Pennsylvania State Police, Child Abuse History Clearance from the Department of Human Services & Fingerprint based FBI criminal history clearance submitted through the Department of Human Services. Volunteers who have resided in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the past 10 years can submit a Disclosure Statement Application for Volunteers in place of the FBI fingerprinting. If you cannot provide proof of these requirements you must leave the event.

Unit members over 18 are not required to complete the PA Background clearances but must be registered as an adult with the BSA.
EVENT RULES AND PROCEDURES

A spirit of scouting courtesy and brotherhood must prevail during the entire event if it is to be a success. The scout oath, law and outdoor code are the guides for all behavior at this event. Units or individuals who do not conform to this spirit will be asked to leave the event.

1. A registration fee for each scout and scouter will be charged to cover the cost of the event supplies, awards and patches. Fees must have been paid in advance and prior to check-in at the event site.

2. Units should arrive and depart in their full “Class A” uniform.

3. Scouts should dress for Saturday activities in a manner that is appropriate for the activity and the weather. “Class B” uniform is recommended. Stations maybe inside and outside.

4. Campsites and sleeping area will be pre-assigned by the event staff.

5. Safety and fire protection are the responsibility of everyone at this event.

6. Lights out will be at 11:00 P.M. Reveille will be at 7:00 AM. The camp is to be quiet during these hours. Please respect those who are camped around you.

7. Any unsafe or improper use of knives, axes or other tools will result in immediate removal from the event of the violator.

8. Sheath knives, butterfly and fixed blade scabbard knives are prohibited.

9. All meals will be provided. Please note any Food Allergies when registering.
UNIT REQUIREMENTS

Must bring:

Site Supplies- Tents, Lanterns etc.

UNIT MEMBER REQUIREMENTS

Personal Mug       Sun Screen
First Aid Kit      Bud Spray
Pencil and Notepad in water proof bag Rain Gear
Pocket Knife       Camp Chair
Sleeping Bag & Pad Water Bottle
Mess Kits & Utensils
Day Pack
Venturing Handbook
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday September 14, 2018

6:00 – 11:00 pm  Check-In and Sleeping Assignment
(Units may check-in Saturday AM)
6:00 – 10:00 pm  Set up Campsites
6:00 – 11:00 pm  Fellowship time
9:30 – 10:30 pm  Cracker Barrel
11:00 pm        Lights Out

Saturday September 15, 2018

7:00            Reveille, breakfast & cleanup
7:00-8:00       Saturday Check in
8:30 – 9:00 am  Opening ceremony/Flag Raising
9:00 – 12:00 pm Morning Trainings – 3 hours
12:00 - 2:00 pm Lunch
2:00 – 5:00 pm  Afternoon Trainings 3 hours
5:00- 5:15 pm   Flag Retreat
5:30 – 7:30 pm  Dinner
7:30 - 8:30 pm  Unit time
8:30 – 10:00 pm Campfire
10:00 - 10:45pm Cracker Barrel
11:00 pm        Lights Out

Sunday September 16, 2018

7:00            Reveille, breakfast & cleanup
9:30 – 10:00 am Scout’s Own Church Service– Class A
10:15 –11:15 am Check-Out

Notes: Times subject to change
Menu – Subject to change

Friday Cracker Barrel
Chips
Pretzels
Brownies

Saturday Breakfast
Breakfast Pizza
Apples
Bananas

Saturday Lunch
Vegetable Soup
Grilled Cheese

Saturday Dinner
Salad Bar
Lasagna
Applesauce

Saturday Cracker Barrel
Anniversary Cake
Ice Cream

Sunday Breakfast
Muffins
Donuts
Bagels
Apples
Bananas

Drinks
Coffee
Hot Chocolate
Hot Tea

Water
Milk
Apple Juice
Camp Tuckahoe’s location

400 Tuckahoe Road
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Registration Instructions

Participants should register & select sessions via Tent A Roo.

Advance registration is due by the end of day September 7, 2018

Register early!! The Venturing Committee reserves the right to cancel this event if we don’t get 20 or more participants.

Registration fees are as follows:

By September 7, 2018:
  All attendees $25.00
After September 7, 2018:
  All attendees $30.00

Rosters and total registration count can be adjusted later as necessary. Adjustments completed by the advance registration date will be subject to the advance registration fees. Adjustments can be made upon arrival but will be subject to the onsite fees if the number of attendees increases.

**Once fees are paid, no refunds can be given**

**ALL ADULTS REGISTERED IN PA MUST PROVIDE PROOF OF PA CLEARANCES OR THEY WILL BE SENT HOME**