



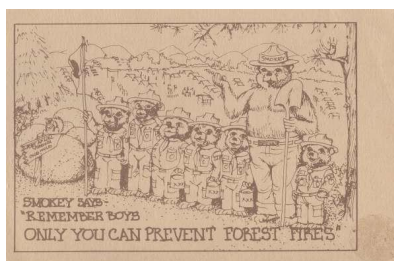
LAS VEGAS INTERNATIONAL SCOUTING MUSEUM NEWS

Special Jamboree Edition 2010

Serving World Scouting since 1996

Boy Scouts of America welcomes the world to it's Centennial Celebration

One-hundred years of Scouting will come to life at the 2010 National BSA Scout Jamboree, July 26 ó Aug. 4, 2010. Approximately 45,000 Scouts, leaders, and staff from all 50 states, territories, and foreign countries will have the opportunity to live, work, and play together in an atmosphere of Scouting fellowship. The setting for the quadrennial jamboree is Fort A.P. Hill, near Bowling Green, Va.



Many units are having a special recognition to mark the 100th Anniversary. The closing arena show will be unlike any other jamboree arena show in history. It will be big, bold, interactive, and unforgettable! You won't want to miss it! Plans are to Webcast the show, allowing anyone with Internet access to virtually join in this huge celebration.

Happy 100th Birthday BSA !

Welcome to the International Scouting Museum

Since the founding of Scouting by Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell in England in 1907, the Scouting movement has grown to become the largest and most successful youth program in history. The stories of these hundreds of millions of Scouts are on display at the Las Vegas International Scouting Museum and available for public viewing and study.

Visitors can see rare, unique items throughout the museum from the premier collection of World Jamboree, National Jamboree, Order of the Arrow, and International Insignia items from Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, and Girl Scouts.



Baden-Powell Original Wood Badge Beads Added to Museum Collection

One of Scouting's most treasured relics are the Dinizulu necklace beads of Baden-Powell's. On January 26, we received a donation of four original beads presented by B-P to Gilwell Camp Chief, Belge Wilson who served from 1923 ó 1943. Mr. Wilson gave them to Gilwell Camp Chief John Huskins in 1969 and John generously gave them to the museum for the world to enjoy. The museum now houses six of the original beads.

Another highlight of Mr. Huskins's donation is an Akela or White Fang Award which was given to Cub Scout Leaders who completed a Wood Badge type training course at Gilwell between 1923 ó 1927. Fewer than 150 were awarded.



The Las Vegas International Scouting Museum is affiliated with the World Scout Bureau of the World Organization of the Scout Movement and is not a part of the Boy Scouts of America or Girl Scouts of the United States

Interested in Scout History? How to Visit Us...

In Person:

We are located at 2915 West Charleston Blvd., Suite 2, Las Vegas, NV 89102. Our regular hours at M- F 9 am to 5 pm, but will gladly meet you in the evening or on weekends. Call us at 702-878-1234 or email at lvismken@gmail.com. We hope to see you soon!

Internet:

Website: www.worldscoutingmuseum.org or join us on Facebook or Twitter



The International Scouting Museum was pleased to accept a generous memorabilia donation this past winter from former BSA Chief Scout Executive, Roy Williams. Included in the gift are items from each point in his professional employment. Roy was also able to donate two uniforms from former Chief Scout Executive, Jere Ratcliffe.



"In all of this, it is the spirit that matters. Our Scout law and Promise, when we really put them into practice, take away all occasion for wars and strife among nations".

ô Lord Robert S. Baden-Powell, the founder of Scouting



The World Organization of Scout Movement [WOSM] honored The Kenya Scouts Association to host the 13th World Scout Moot from 27th July to 7th August 2010 on behalf of the Africa Scout Region. The Kenya Scouts Association is the largest youth movement in Kenya with over 300,000 scouts and over 20,000 scout leaders.

The World Scout Moot is a gathering of young adult Scouts aged 18 ó 25 years who come together to share experiences and participate in offering of service to communities. The World Scout Moot is held every four years and has been held twelve times before, the last one was held in Hwalien, Taiwan China in 2004

This event is the first Scout Moot to be held in Africa therefore making it a very special occasion for the whole continent.

The event will draw 3000 participants from all over the world.

The 22nd World Scout Jamboree will be held in Sweden in 2011. The theme for the Jamboree is Simply Scouting.

Every four years, tens of thousands of Scouts, from every corner of the world, gather in a tented city for two weeks of activities and adventure! This is a fantastic event where up to 40,000 Scouts live and learn together. This is an amazing first-hand experience of multiculturalism in action, an opportunity to interact and participate with others from different cultures and to build solidarity and understanding across cultural and geographical boundaries. This is a World Scout Jamboree!

Aimed at 14 to 17 year olds, Scouts attend the event in national groups, called Contingents. There is one contingent from each country where there are Scouts recognized by the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM), and currently there are 160 member countries in WOSM! The event is supported by thousands of international adult volunteers, and a special Scout solidarity fund helps to ensure that representatives attend from as many countries as possible. This is a peace building exercise on an enormous scale!

The Las Vegas International Scouting Museum is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, thereby allowing donors to deduct contributions to the Museum in accordance with the U.S. Internal Revenue Code. Thank you for your support of the largest collection of Scouting items in the world!