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On June 19 Steve Kent, the Chief Commissioner, announced that the next Canadian Jamboree (CJ) will be held at Camp Woods, Sylvan Lake, Alberta in 2013.

When is it?

Summer 2013. Exact dates have not been decided; it will likely be 7-8 days long in July or early August.

Who can go?

CJ'13 will be for the Scout section, youth aged 11-14 in the jamboree year.

The typical CJ patrol is 8 youth and 2 adults.

Youth who are in their second and third year Cub Scouts and first year Scouts this year will be eligible to attend the Scout program in 2013.

Depending on age and how they register in the jamboree year, this year's second year Scouts may be eligible to attend the Scout program in 2013.

This year's older Scouts and Venturer Scouts will be eligible to attend as Offers of Service in 2013.

What about Venturer Scouts?

Venturer Scouts are needed as Offers of Service (OoS) at CJ'13. Their energy and enthusiasm make the experience great for the younger Scouts. Youth who serve as an OoS receive valuable leadership experience and a great line on their resume.

There will be a separate Venturer Scout national program event in the summer of 2012. Details for this event have not been released yet.

What will the program look like?

Based on previous CJs, there will be a mix of on-site land and water activities and off-site land activities, with some social events and time to meet other Scouts from across the country.

When can I sign up / volunteer?

Registration dates have not been set yet. Registration for program participants and OoS usually opens 10-18 months before the jamboree.

Will meal packages be available?

This decision has not been made yet.

How much will it cost?

Cost will depend on whether food is included, the program that is planned, and what items will end up included in the fee versus being pay as you go/need.

To help you start your budgeting and fundraising, CJ'07 fees (including food, not including transportation costs) were \$595 for program participants and \$280 for OoS.

Where can I get more information?

Watch www.scouts.ca and Scouting Life magazine.

Groups in Chinook can also email their questions to jamboreeinfo.Chinook@gmail.com



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