

FACTS AND FIGURES TO SHARE WITH YOUR CONTINGENT...

Jamboree Flash Update

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- JAMBOREE DAY EIGHT
 - Weather High 79°F/26.1°C, Low 61°F/16.1°C, Rain Chance 21%
- Day Visitors are welcome to the 2019 World Scout Jamboree (WSJ)
 - Ticket information, prices, and calendar of when Day Visitors may visit the jamboree will be posted on the WSJ webpage: <u>https://www.2019wsj.org/attend/day-visitors</u>
 - o Additional information: <u>https://www.2019wsj.org/the-event/new-world-news-blog</u>
 - Visitors park and check in at the J.W. and Hazel Ruby West Virginia Welcome Center (RWC), 55 Hazel Ruby Lane, Mt Hope, WV 25880
 - Day visitors will have the opportunity to visit:
 - World Point
 - Global Development Village
 - Centro Mondial
 - Food houses
 - Sustainability Treehouse
 - Scott Visitors Center with Summit Trading Post, Lockers, and Restrooms
- Travel Documents and Tips
 - Citizens of 38 countries covered by the US Visa Waiver Program (VWP)
 - Typically do not need a visa to enter the USA as a tourist, <u>https://www.cbp.gov/travel/international-visitors/visa-waiver-program</u>
 - VWP travelers entering USA by air or sea must have an Electronic System for Travel Authorization (ESTA) approval, <u>https://esta.cbp.dhs.gov/esta/</u>
 - Citizens from non-VWP countries will require a US Non-Immigrant Class B-2 Tourist Visa
 - Applications administered by the US Department of State
 - Completed in your home country or country of residence at a US Embassy or Consulate
 - Application process may be lengthy; start 6 to 12 months in advance to ensure receipt of visa prior to travelling, <u>https://www.usembassy.gov/</u>
 - Expect an interview at port of entry by an officer of Customs and Border Protection (CBP), <u>https://www.cbp.gov/border-security/ports-entry/overview</u>
 - CBP is seeking assurances that tourists entering the USA are arriving for lawful purposes and will leave the USA within the stated time period

- Be Prepared for
 - US government initiatives to counter human trafficking and international child abduction
 - Answering questions from CBP agents about the youth members traveling with the contingent
- Citizens of Canada (not Permanent Residents)
 - o Typically do not require Visas to enter the USA as tourists
 - Citizens of Canada do not require an ESTA to travel to the USA by air, but must present a valid Canadian Passport; <u>https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-</u><u>visas/tourism-visit/citizens-of-canada-and-bermuda.html</u>