

## FACTS AND FIGURES TO SHARE WITH YOUR CONTINGENT... Jamboree Flash Update

## Message from the Jamboree Director of Logistics and Emergency Management - Kim Derry

WOW - We can't believe you are almost here. Welcome!

The 24<sup>th</sup> World Scout Jamboree will be a Scouting event that you cannot miss. If you are not in attendance the streaming of video and access to photo's will still make it possible to see it live. The 45,000 Scouts, Leaders, IST and 15,000 visitors, from 150 countries will be travelling to the Summit Bechtel Reserve in Beckley, West Virginia, this summer to meet, explore and experience cultures from around the globe. Make it an experience to remember.

The logistics team have been hard at work to make sure all the 850 camps sites are ready for you to enjoy. Safety and enjoyment have been two corner stones of the overall planning criteria and together with technology, attendees, summit features and expansive programs you will enjoy the Summit to unlock a New World. Our hope is that you will never see the logistics team members as they quietly support your attendance throughout the jamboree making it a once in a lifetime memory. Our security specialists and stewards are waiting to welcome you to the largest temporary city in West Virginia. We can't wait!

One key role we have is to ensure that everyone enjoys their time at 24<sup>th</sup> WSJ. Please ensure that you have USD funds or credit cards to purchase your souvenirs that will remain keepsakes for years. Our Safe From Harm program and personal support to all members through logistics and emergency management will ensure that all issues can be addressed in a timely manner. We in logistics and emergency management are your hosts to a memorable experience.

This Jamboree for many is the beginning of a lifetime of service. For others it continues Jamboree to Jamboree. Together we will make the dream of peace a reality. It will be my honor to serve you all in attendance. Let the adventure begin!

Yours in Scouting,

Kim Derry