BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
PATRIOTS' PATH COUNCIL

2014 PHILMONT SCOUT RANCH

CONTINGENT CREW APPLICATION

FOR LOCAL COUNCIL UNITS ONLY - SUBMIT BY JANUARY 18, 2013

Patriots' Path Council has reserved twenty (20) Philmont crews for the summer of 2014, with an estimated cost per person of $1,975.00. Each crew will consist of twelve (12) Scouts and Scouters. Up to 8 crews will be reserved for 2013 Sabattis Canoe trek crews in addition to crews for individual signups (provisional crews). Anyone interested in participating as an individual should submit a completed Individual Application and deposit after January 1, 2013.

Units interested in participating as a group should complete and submit the Crew Application on the reverse side of this sheet to Debbie Wickham at Patriots' Path Council (973-765-9322, x239) by January 18, 2013 (the application may be faxed to 973-765-9143). While exempt from the lottery, Sabattis Canoe Trek crews must complete and submit this application with their travel date preferences **in addition** to the Sabattis Canoe Trek application. A lottery to assign the remaining available crew slots to units expressing interest in being part of a contingent will be conducted on Tuesday, January 22, 2013, at 7:00 pm in the council office. A representative of the crew is welcome, though not required, to attend the drawing. If the number of crews expressing interest is greater than the number of available slots, the drawing will continue to develop a Waiting List of crews to be used in the event a unit awarded a slot in the lottery does not submit individual applications and deposits.

Crews awarded a slot in a Patriots' Path Council Philmont contingent, **including Sabattis Canoe Trek crews** MUST submit completed Individual Applications with the specified deposit ($100 non-refundable) for **each crew member by Saturday, February 9, 2013, for those participating in the lottery**, or after the lottery within three weeks of notification of being awarded a slot. Failure to do so will result in the loss of the assigned slot, which will immediately be offered to the next crew on the Waiting List. Patriots' Path Council also reserves the right to remove individuals or crews from the contingents for failure to make payments per the specified schedule, and in the case of a crew, to replace that crew with a crew from the Waiting List.

A unit may make only one application expressing interest in participating in a contingent – a second crew from a unit will be considered only if there is an open slot in a council contingent after February 9, 2013.

Potential crews MUST include at least eight (8) members, with the numbers of youth and adults age 21 and over as specified on the application. Crews with less than twelve (12) members must recruit additional crew members or be willing to accept individuals assigned by Patriots' Path Council as needed to create a full crew of twelve (12).

Units MUST rank their preference for travel dates. Provisional crews will be given first choice of travel dates, followed by Sabbatis Canoe Trek crews in the order their applications are received. Units selected in the lottery will then be assigned their highest ranked preferred travel date that is available until all slots have been assigned. Crews submitting an application after January 18, 2013, and out-of-council crews will not participate in the lottery, but will be placed at the end of the Waiting List, in the order applications are submitted.

If the number of crews is fewer than 20 on May 1, 2013, Patriots' Path Council reserves the right to cancel one or more contingents, and/or to reassign crews from cancelled contingents to open slots in the remaining contingents. Deposits will be returned to any crew dropped, and that unit will be given priority choice in the 2015 contingents.

Any questions regarding 2014 Patriots' Path Council Philmont contingents and the process that will be used to fill them should be directed to Bob Morris at 973-765-9322, x223.

The Scouts and Scouters listed below wish to participate as a crew in a 2014 Patriots' Path Council Philmont contingent. We understand that crew slots will be assigned by lottery on January 22, 2013, as outlined on the other side of this application. If awarded a crew slot, we will submit completed individual applications with the specified deposit per crew member ($100 non-refundable) **by Saturday, February 9, 2013,** to confirm our participation.

Please PRINT CLEARLY !!!!

Lead Advisor: Name: _____ **Unit** _____

Address: _____

Town / Zip: _____ **NJ** _____

Telephone: (_____)_____

E-mail: _____ @ _____

Other Adult Advisors*:

_____ _____ _____@_____
NAME UNIT E-MAIL

_____ _____ _____@_____
NAME UNIT E-MAIL

_____ _____ _____@_____
NAME UNIT E-MAIL

Youth Members of Crew*:

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NAME UNIT

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* **NOTE**: To participate in the lottery AND to reserve a slot, crews must include at least eight (8) members, with a distribution of youth and adults as shown below. Crews that are smaller than twelve (12) must recruit additional members, or be willing to accept individuals assigned by Patriots' Path Council to the crew, as needed, to fill it.

CREW SIZE	YOUTH**	ADULTS (age 21 and over)
8	6	2
9	7 or 6	2 or 3
10	7	3
11	8	3
12	9 or 8	3 or 4

**at time of participation, 14-years old OR 13 and completed 8th grade

Our preferences for travel dates (ranked 1st through 5th) are:

RANK	CONTINGENT	TRAVEL DATES
_____	630	Saturday, June 28, 2014, to Saturday, July 12, 2014
_____	711	Wednesday, July 9, 2014, to Wednesday, July 23, 2014
_____	713	Friday, July 11, 2014, to Friday, July 25, 2014
_____	714	Saturday, July 12, 2014, to Saturday, July 26, 2014
_____	715	Sunday, July 13, 2014, to Sunday, July 27, 2014