Merit Badge Jamboree 2013

Saturday, February 9, 2013

New Location—Minnie Howard School, 3801 W Braddock Rd, Alexandria

Colonial District's Merit Badge Jamboree 2013 will be held on Saturday, February 9, from 9 am to 3:30 pm at the Minnie Howard School, 3801 W Braddock Rd, Alexandria.

Scouts can sign up through their unit's designated Troop Coordinator. Troop Coordinators must send in all registrations no later than Friday, December 14. Troop Coordinators with questions should contact Chris Marston (chris.marston@gmail.com). Scouts should direct their questions to the Troop Coordinators.

Generally, Scouts can take one Merit Badge class in the morning and one in the afternoon. However, some badges take all day. And a few may be complete at lunch time in addition to the two class sessions. All badges have pre-requisite that must be completed before attending the Jamboree. The badges are listed here along with links to their requirements. Scouts will receive notice of the requirements they need to complete in advance along with their registration confirmation in early January.

Scouts will be asked to list 4 merit badges in which they're interested in rank order. Because of scheduling and class size limits, not every Scout will be able to take their first and second choice badge, but the coordinators will make every effort to meet the Scouts' preferences.

Merit Badges Offered

- American Cultures
- Architecture
- Computers
- Dog Care
- Electricity
- Electronics**
- Engineering
- Fingerprinting
- Fire Safety
- Genealogy*
- Geocaching
- Geology
- Indian Lore
- Journalism*
- Landscape Architecture
- Law
- Leatherwork
- Nuclear Science
- Photography
- Public Speaking
- Reading*
- Scholarship*
- Scouting Heritage
- Search and Rescue
- Space Exploration
- Stamp Collecting
- Traffic Safety
- Veterinary Medicine

*Lunch-time Badge; ** Full-day Badge

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by e-mail at chris.marston@gmail.com or by phone on 703-627-4679.

Yours in Scouting,

Chris Marston