## Payment Schedule & Refund Policy

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The total fee for a contingent participant is estimated to be \$1750. Prices are subject to review and may change.

## Payment Plan

- Deposit due with approved application: \$300
- February 1, 2016: \$300
- April 1, 2016: \$300
- July 1, 2016: \$300
- September 1, 2016: \$275
- November 1, 2016: \$275 (or remaining balance)

Due to the required financial obligations and commitments, all youth participants must be up-to-date according to the payment schedule or risk their Jamboree application will be placed on the waiting list. Individual Jamboree accounts and payments will be subject to the refund policy.

Any payments due prior to receiving a participant's application will be due when the application is approved. Basically, when you sign up you must pay to become current with the payment schedule upon the acceptance of your application.

## **Refund Policy**

The council contracts for services on behalf of the National Jamboree contingent participants. Jamboree deposits are non-refundable, but transferrable to another participant.

- Regardless of the date, as long as there is a Scout who is an acceptable replacement and that replacement is paid up according to the council payment schedule, *and* the council contingent is <u>full</u>, there will be a full refund.
- If a replacement is not found or paid up according to the council payment schedule, a refund less the National Jamboree fee (\$975) will be refunded.
- Generally, there will be no refund of any money that has been expended on behalf of the Jamboree participant unless an acceptable replacement is available and paid up according to the council payment schedule. These expenses include, but are not limited to, National Jamboree payments, transportation fees, hotel accommodations, special event tickets, equipment purchases, and jamboree patches.

- Exemptions can be considered to allow for partial and full refunds considering hardship circumstances. These circumstances include unforeseen medical problems and a death in the immediate family. Summer school is **not** a hardship circumstance.
- Refund requests will be considered when a parent or guardian of the participant submits a refund request in writing to the Jamboree Committee of the Hudson Valley Council advising them of the circumstances of the withdrawal from the contingent.