

TO: All Parents/Guardians of Scouts leaving the property for trips.

FROM: Jersey Shore Council, Boy Scouts of America

RE: Joseph A. Citta Scout Reservation Explore the Shore out of camp trips, Nuclear Science, Rockville.

Part of the appeal of the Explore the Shore Trips, Nuclear Science Trip, and Rockville Trip Programs, such as the one that your Scout is about to participate in, are the non-traditional summer camp activities. This letter is intended to inform you of the risks of taking part in the activities of the Explore the Shore Trips, Nuclear Science Trip, and Rockville Trip Programs and what the staff does to reduce those risks. This letter, as required by the Boy Scouts of America, and must be signed by a parent/guardian and the Scout and turned into your Scouts Troop Leader prior to the Scouts arrival at the Joseph A. Citta Scout Reservation.

I understand that participation in the Joseph A. Citta Scout Reservation Explore the Shore Trips, Nuclear Science Trip, and Rockville Trip Programs offered through the Jersey Shore Council, BSA, during the June-August, 2018 summer camp season involves a certain degree of risk that could result in injury or death. The camper may participate in swimming and surfing in the Atlantic Ocean. Qualified camp staff (the Trek Director) will determine the suitability of the site at each time of use. As well as activities such as but not limited to: deep sea fishing, golfing, climbing and rappelling, kayaking, biking, surfing. In consideration of the benefits to be derived and after carefully considering the risk involved, and in view of the fact that the Boy Scouts of America is an organization in which membership is voluntary, and having full confidence that precautions will be taken to ensure the safety and well-being of my (son/daughter), I give _____ (son/daughter) my consent to participate in the Citta Scout Reservation Explore the Shore Trips, Nuclear Science Trip, and Rockville Trip Programs, and waive all claims I may have against Boy Scouts of America, Jersey Shore Council, activity coordinator(s), all employees, volunteers, or sponsors associated with the Citta Scout Reservation Explore the Shore Trips, Nuclear Science Trip, and Rockville Trip Programs. All Trek trips that leave the Citta Scout Reservation are accompanied for the entire duration of the trip by the Trek Director or other qualified 21 year old or older adult that is trained and certified in first aid and CPR. The Trek Director, with support from the camp operation, can provide an alternative experience that is as safe and memorable as possible. In case of emergency, I understand every effort will be made to contact me. In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections of medication for my child.

Please sign below, thus indicating that this release has been received and that you are aware of the above information. Your troop must bring a copy of this form with them and deliver it to the Trek Director or your Merit Badge Counselor at the Joseph A. Citta Scout Reservation before your trip begins.

Parent/Guardian must sign below.

Parent Signature

Date

Participants Signature

Date