WHITE STAG 1997

JUNIOR LEADER TRAINING CONFERENCE

Dear Participant:

Let me be the first to welcome you to White Stag. Congratulations on being nominated by your troop to attend the conference to be held Sunday, June 8 to Saturday June 14 at Ransburg Scout Reservation. I have enclosed a map for your convenience. You are expected to arrive after 8:00AM and before 9:45AM. Scouts arriving late may not be allowed to participate. Please arrive in complete class A uniform (no neckerchief or slide). Anyone picking up scouts on Saturday, June 14th, should arrive in camp by 10:00 for our final ceremony.

During the week of the conference you will have a chance to try out many new Scoutcraft skills that you can use in the program of your own troop. Since you are a leader in your troop you naturally want to know how to do your leadership job better. The skills of leadership will be an important part of the conference.

During the week you and other junior leaders from all over Crossroads of America Council will be living, camping and working together as members of a patrol and troop. An outstanding staff has been recruited to assist you in the training. They are excited in their preparation to present you with a mountain top training experience.

Enclosed are a Personal Resource Questionnaire and Personal Health and Medical Record (form 34412). Please complete both forms (a copy of current health form is acceptable) and return to White Stag, Crossroads of America Council, P.O. Box 1966, Indianapolis, IN 46206-1966. Please return no later than May 30^{th.} You will not be allowed to stay in camp without a current health form on file.

Also enclosed is an equipment list. You will need everything included on this list. Please be prepared to backpack your equipment to the campsite by yourself. You will need to provide tentage suitable for backpacking.

Please remind your parents and family that this is a training experience. The agenda is very full and does not include time for visitors. They can, however, write you at "Your Name", Ransburg Scout Reservation, White Stag, 7599 E. Waldrip Creek Road, Bloomington, IN 47401. The emergency phone number at camp is 812-837-9423.

I'm excited about this conference. I know we will have a great week of fine Scouting. If you or your parents have any questions feel free to call Dick Parrott at 577-7800 or myself at 578-0116.

In the Spirit of Scouting,

George DeBlois, Course Director