

Winterfest 2017

Winterfest is the largest annual Venturing *and* Exploring event in the country. It's like an indoor Fall Fun Rally, in a convention center, and a small tourist town. Over 3000 participate annually. There's everything from Scuba to Kayak flipping, to Volleyball, to Climbing Towers, to Fireman Quick Dress Competitions. It's held in Gatlinburg, Tennessee at the entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Most events are inside the conference center. We stay in a condo while there and walk around town. We'll likely put together teams for multiple of the events. Note: This is not the Winterfest street party that happens every January, but a Scouting event.

When: Feb. 10-12, 2017 (Leave about 7 AM on the 10th and return late evening on the 12th).

Where: Gatlinburg, TN. Transportation will be included as part of the cost.

Cost: \$200 includes Fees, Transportation, Hotel, Sat Dinner, Sun/Sat Breakfast (You would buy the rest of the meals at restaurants along the way or bring your own).

Or: \$245 will include all meals (Fri Lunch-Sun Dinner), Fees, Transportation, Hotel.

Who: Venturers, Explorers and other members of the Greater St. Louis Area Council.

For More information: <http://bsawinterfest.org>

or Christina Vogt 314-540-9513 – vogtchristinal@gmail.com

If you want to go, you must confirm, with payment of at least \$50, by December 19th to facilitate hotel reservations and other pre-event costs.

We are planning to drive down in personal vehicles. Advisors will be reimbursed for gas as well as some consideration for use of the vehicle. Following sign up, more details will be provided, including a full travel agenda. Due to the provisional nature of the event, advisors of youth will be contacted and the final participation of the youth will be at the discretion of trip leadership. Ask ahead of time if you have any questions about the event.

Payment Schedule (due by):

December 19th: \$50

January 8th: \$150 (no food) or \$195 (with food)

I want to Go to Winterfest!

Youth/Adult Information:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Youth Only:

Advisor: _____ Advisor Phone: _____

Please send checks payable to Christina Vogt:

Christina Vogt

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*All fees are non-refundable after due date unless minimum trip size is not reached.

