

Columbus Santa Maria
4th grade and up
Scout Overnight Education Program
2012 Information Sheet and itinerary.

The Columbus Santa Maria Overnight Program combines hands on history with a challenging environment to push our 21st century students into experiences that are new and rewarding. We focus on activities that sharpen leadership skills, teamwork skills, critical thinking skills, and the maturity level of our young crewmembers. You will be amazed at what your crew will accomplish when most of the comforts of the 21st century are removed even for the short 16 hours they are with us.

Itinerary

5:45 arrive and stow gear

6pm welcome and rules

6:15 basic tour of ship

6:45 split into two groups: cooking/sails

7:15 rotate

7:45 eat

8:00 (or so) clean up

8:15 cargo haul

9:15 night watch-if time allows

9:30 night info, arrange crew for sleeping

10:00 lights out

(depending on starting times and other set backs, this could be as late as 11pm)

10-1pm Santa Maria staff night watch

1am-7am adult chaperon night watch (at least two adults awake at all times in the park, usually done in either two or three hour shifts)

7am Santa Maria staff up and setting up breakfast

7:30 crew wake up, stow gear, eating

8:00 directions for climbing

8:15-9:30 climbing (may take longer or shorter depending on size and skill)

level of group)

9:30-10am clean up, gift shop, goodbye

ALL ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING SLEEPING, ARE DONE OUTSIDE IN ALL WEATHER CONDITIONS. IF WEATHER IS TOO EXTREME (LIGHTENING, TORNADO, FLOODING RAIN OR ICE/SNOW) SHELTER WILL BE TAKEN UNTIL WEATHER BREAKS AND AS MANY OF THE ACTIVITIES WILL BE DONE AS POSSIBLE. SOME ACTIVITIES MAY NOT BE COMPLETED IF WEATHER CONDITIONS DO NOT ALLOW.

PLEASE DRESS FOR WEATHER AND SPENDING TIME ON SHIP. BRING ALL GEAR IN A LARGE TRASH BAG TO PROTECT BELONGINGS FROM GETTING WET. NO FLIP FLOPS!

PLEASE NOTE THAT CHAPERONS WILL BE IN CHARGE OF NIGHT WATCH/SECURITY FROM 1AM TO 7AM

General Information

\$27 per crewmember (student and adult)

We need a minimum crew of 30, maximum of 40. We have set aside certain dates for scouts. We will do our best to try to combine groups on those dates, however, we reserve the right to cancel and all money refunded if the date is not filled.

For safety issues, we need six adult chaperones for each program.

This program is offered on Friday or Saturday, with a starting time of 6pm.

To book your journey into the life of a 15th century sailor, please contact Diane Shankland 614.657.1018 montana.girl@sbcglobal.net or Linda Ketcham 614.645.8760 ljketcham@aol.com

2012 Boy Scout Dates

Apr 13	May 11	Jun 8	Jul 13	Aug 10	Sept 21	Oct 12
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2012 Girl Scout Dates

Apr 20	May 18	Jun 15	Jul 20	Aug 17	Sept 28	Oct 19
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Emergency medical forms must be filled out and signed for each adult and child attending the Overnight. Forms can be downloaded from our website. PLEASE BRING THEM WITH YOU TO THE OVERNIGHT.

We need a deposit of 50% when you book your OVN and a balance due one month before your scheduled date. If your group is part of a combined Overnight (OVN) and you cancel less than 30 days prior to your OVN, we are unable to refund your money.

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