

2017 SAINT GEORGE TREK

PHILMONT SCOUT RANCH

JULY 5, 2017 through JULY 20, 2017

The Saint George Trek is the National Catholic Committee on Scouting's high adventure Catholic leadership program for older Catholic Boy Scouts and Venturing Crew members at Philmont Scout Ranch. The program brings Catholic high School youth from around the country together with selected priests, religious and seminarians for eleven days of backpacking in the context of a vocation retreat.

The Catholic Committee of the Diocese of Rockville Centre is committed to send two scouts or venturers to the Trek. The Diocesan Committee will underwrite the \$ 800 fee for them. In return they are asked to bring their experiences home so that they can become effective peer leaders and role models to their fellow scouts.

Members of the Catholic Committee are encouraged to bring the story of the Trek to their local troops and crews and make the registration process available to those interested.

Attached is the Trek application. **DEADLINE OCTOBER 26, 2016.**

For further information contact the Catholic Scouting Office.