

Citizenship in the Nation, Cape Girardeau, MO

Location – Common Pleas Courthouse AND Rush H. Limbaugh, Sr. U.S. Courthouse.

Thursday, July 17, 2014

9:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m., Check in begins at 8:30

Learn what it means to be a citizen of the United States by participating in a variety of sessions, touring a site that is on the National Register of Historic Places, and touring a Federal Facility. The program begins at the Common Pleas Courthouse, and ends at the Rush H. Limbaugh, Sr. U.S. Courthouse. Presenters will be from both facilities, and will include a Federal Judge.

Participants will need to arrive at the Common Pleas Courthouse at 8:30 a.m. for check-in. Following the program at the Common Pleas Courthouse, the group will walk to the Limbaugh Courthouse at 10:00 a.m., and will be dismissed from there at 4:30 pm.

The workshop is free, but reservations are required, and space is limited.

- This program is for Scouts who are FIRST CLASS and above at the time of registration.
- **ROUND ONE RESERVATIONS begin at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, May 5.** Round one will be for two weeks. During round one, only Scouts from Southeast Missouri and Southern Illinois may register. This includes the following districts:
 - Cherokee, Shawnee, Sioux, Ozark Trailblazers, Kaskaskia, Egyptian
- **ROUND TWO RESERVATIONS begin at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, May 19, and end June 9, or when full.** During round two, registration will be open to Scouts who are First Class and above, from any district.
- To register, call Rachel Marshall, the Public Education and Community Outreach Administrator at the Eagleton Courthouse, **NO EARLIER THAN 7:30 a.m. ON MONDAY, MAY 5.** (314) 244-2410.
- You may call any time with questions, but reservations will not be accepted early.

A packet will be emailed 4 weeks before the workshop. The packet will include logistics and parking information, and pre-workshop activities. Scouts will be expected to read over all of the requirements in advance, as well as to complete some of the requirements in advance. Completion of the pre-workshop activities and all workshop sessions will fulfill all Citizenship in the Nation Merit Badge Requirements.

To Bring: Scouts should bring a copy of the Merit Badge Pamphlet, a pencil, and a signed Merit Badge Card. Scouts will need to bring completed pre-workshop activities as well. Scouts should also bring a sack lunch. A bottle of water and a morning snack are also suggested.

Call or email with questions any time. Reservations will not be accepted prior to May 5. (314) 244-2410 or Rachel.Marshall@ca8.uscourts.gov

Our website is www.MOED.uscourts.gov/scouts

Citizenship in the Nation Requirements –
3, 6, and 8 must be completed in advance.
1, 2, 4, 5, and 7 will be completed at the skill center.