

COME JOIN IN A SCOUT ACTIVITY JOTA 2017

THE 60TH JAMBOREE ON THE AIR (JOTA) – Talking with other Scouts across the country without cell phone or INTERNET (and maybe around the world) using amateur radio.

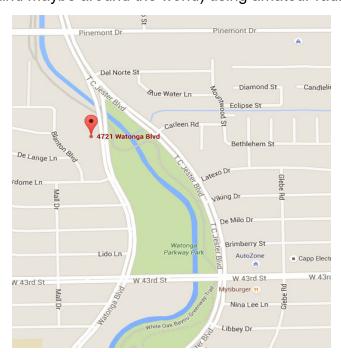
This event is sponsored by Scouting International and endorsed by BSA.

When:

Saturday October 21, 2017 9 AM to 5 PM

Where:

Oak Forest Amateur Radio Club Oak Forest Masonic Lodge 4721 Watonga Houston, Texas 77092



How:

Amateur radio operators will set up their radios and help scouts use them to make contacts over the air waves. All age groups are welcome (bring the whole family).

ACTIVITIES:

- Talk to scouts across the country without cell phone or INTERNET!!
- (talk around the world if radio propagation permits)
- Send Text Messages by radio
- Try your hand at Morse Code on a Morse Code practice key
- Look into the "guts" of a radio
- Find out more about "HAM" radio
- Discussion of how HAM radio helps during emergencies

If you have a large group, Please RSVP to ralphephillips@msn.com so we can track how many to expect & set up enough radios.

For more information on JOTA, go to http://www.arrl.org/scouts/jota/