Appendix 50B to

THE HISTORY OF SCOUTING IN SOUTH GEORGIA

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Chehaw and Southwest Georgia Councils High Adventure Crews and National & World Jamboree Contingents from 1971 until 1999

1972 Philmont Contingent

Chehaw Council, Inc.
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
107 SOUTH JEFFERSON
ALBANY, GEORGIA 31701

December 13, 1971

Dear Unit Leader:

I am enclosing several flyers on our trip to Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico. As you know, the Council plans such a trip to offer boys a "high adventure" experience beyond what we are capable of giving them in our own camp.

We would like to enlist your help in promoting the trip. Your boys will reap the benefits.

By the way, any leader that gets ten boys to go gets to go himself (free). If interested go to work on getting ten.

Truly, this can be the high point of a boy's scouting experience and we hope you will help promote it in your unit.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Banner Stewart
Philmont Promotion Chairman

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Enclosures

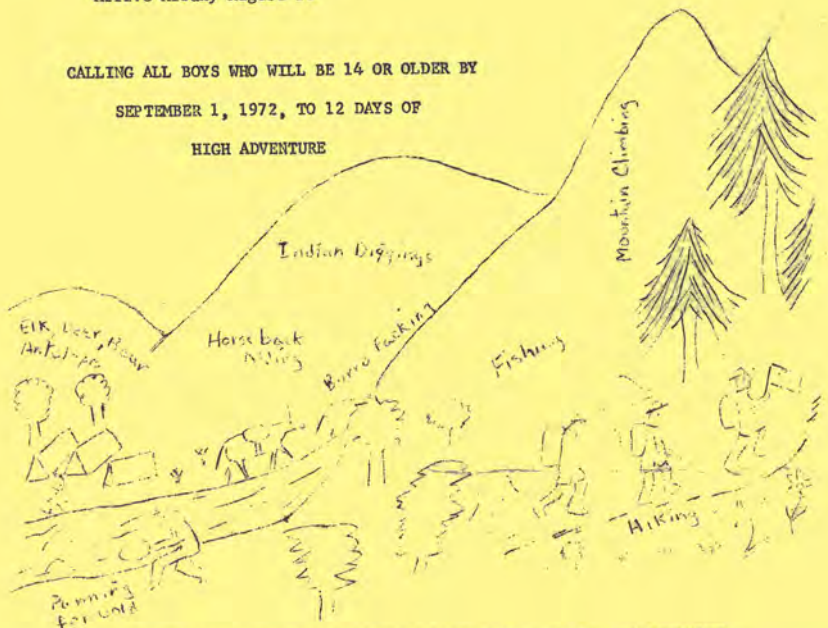
Philmont

Cimarron, New Mexico
In the
southern Rockies

TWELVE DAYS OF WONDERFUL MOUNTAIN TOP EXPERIENCE!!

Leave Albany July 26
Arrive Philmont August 1
Leave Philmont August 12
Arrive Albany August 16

CALLING ALL BOYS WHO WILL BE 14 OR OLDER BY SEPTEMBER 1, 1972, TO 12 DAYS OF HIGH ADVENTURE



MAKE YOUR RESERVATION NOW. COST WILL BE $275. TRAVEL TO PHILMONT AND RETURN BY CHARTERED BUS. THERE WILL BE SEVERAL SIGHTSEEING TRIPS ON THE WAY OUT SUCH AS CARLSBAD CAVERNS.

LEADERS ALREADY SIGNED UP ARE: DR. FRANK A. WILSON AND DISTRICT SCOUT EXECUTIVE GIL TRIPP

1972 Philmont Contingent

First row: Billy ____ (from Tifton), Frank A. Wilson, IV, *Philmont Ranger*, Frank A. Wilson, III.
Second row: Tim Holman, George Cook, William Carlan, John Cook, Robert Law, Robbie Busby, Cliff Harpe, Phillip Schley (from Columbus), Bob Mitchell

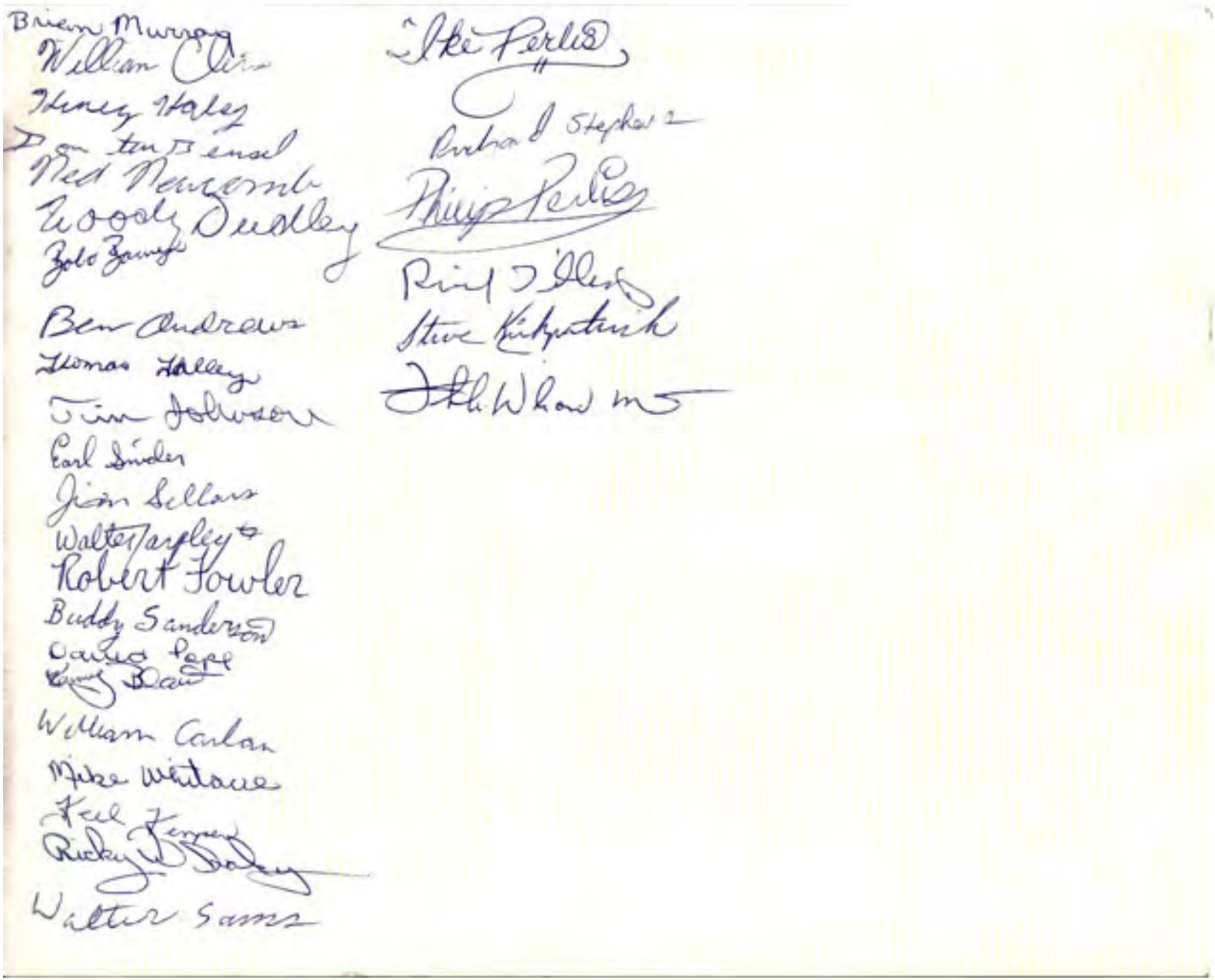
1973 National Jamboree Contingent

One of two Chehaw Council contingents in 1973. This one contained mostly Americus Scouts. It took the Troop 27 bus, departed from the Troop 27 scout hut and the scoutmasters were from Troop 27. (Names are on the next page.)

SCOUTS IN THE 1973 JAMBOREE PHOTO

1	George Johnson
2	Paul Carter
3	Greg Price
4	Rusty Shellhouse
5	Mark Scott
6	John Peak
7	Ken Copacias
8	Leon Jones
9	Fred Dupree
10	Kit Gruhn
11	James Royal
12	Bill Parker
13	Bill Harris
14	Lee Holman
15	Tim McPherson
16	Russell Thomas
17	Woody Dudley
18	SM Jim Littlefield
19	ASM Benji Dupree
20	Mike Greene
21	Ben Dupree
22	Donny Whitaker
23	Ben Andrews
24	Jimbo Littlefield
25	Michael Shellhouse
26	Donald Ritch
27	ASM Alf Bell

1974 Chehaw Contingent to Canoe Base



Signatures from the back of the 1974 Chehaw Contingent to Canoe Base photo

1975 Chehaw Contingent to Philmont

1978 Chehaw Contingent to Philmont

1985 Southwest Georgia Council Jamboree Contingent

1985 Southwest Georgia Council Jamboree Contingent (Enlargement)

1985 Southwest Georgia Council Jamboree Contingent (Enlargement)

1990 Philmont Crew

Front row (left to right) John Roberts, Bob Roberts, Dan Thomas, Sam Thompson, Terry Rettig, Mitch Masters
Back row Michael Pinson, Brandon Oxford, Theron Thompson, Troy ?, Spence Jackson, Robert Hall, and Chip Cannon.

1992 Philmont Cavalcade Crew

Kneeling: Jonathon Mitchell, Ben Marshall, ?, Rusty Hunt. *Standing*: Wrangler, Sam Thompson, Theron Thompson, Spence Jackson, Chip Cannon, Jonathan Moorman, Hank Henderson, Rusty Moorman, ?,Wrangler

1994 Philmont Crew

Front row: Ben Marshall, Ranger, ?, ?.

Back row: Sam Thompson, ?, ?, Christopher Fullerton, Greg Fullerton

1997 Philmont Cavalcade Crew

Left to right standing: Michael Myers, Trey Myers, Justin Arnold; *Unknown,* Sam Thompson.

At *the far right*: Jonathan Bird and Eric Ginter