We are very excited to see everyone on Saturday! Here are some last-minute reminders, including some changes from years past:

THERE IS NO CHECK IN AT DONOVAN HALL. YOU WILL PROCEED DIRECTLY TO YOUR FIRST CLASS.

- <u>Click here for a list of classroom assignments</u>. You will proceed directly to your first class. Your instructor will have your MBC patch and meal ticket.
- Click here for a campus map
- Masks must be worn indoors in classrooms per RIC guidelines.
- Donovan Hall **WILL NOT** be available to congregate in during the day.
- Lunch will be in Donovan Hall cafeteria style; additional dining areas are available outdoors and we encourage you to eat outside at the picnic tables.
- We are unable to accommodate any class changes/additions the day of the event.
- Wear your Class A uniform, Dress for the weather as the Scouts will be moving between buildings on campus outdoors.
- Be sure you have a signed merit badge blue card.
- Lunch is Macaroni & Cheese, biscuit w/ butter, cookie, fruit & bottled water. There are gluten free and vegetarian options, just ask the server as you go through the line.

Where: Rhode Island College, North Providence, RI

Time: 8:00 AM To 4:30 PM

8:00 AM - 8:15 AM: Report to first class. Patches and meal tickets will be waiting for you in your first

class - no check-in at Donovan this year!

4:30 PM Dismissed (Note: There will be NO Closing Assembly)

Half-Day Classes:

8:30 AM – 12:00 PM: Half Day Morning Session 12:00 PM – 12:45 PM: Half Day Session Lunch 1:00 PM – 4:30 PM: Half Day Afternoon Session

All Day Classes:

8:30 AM- 11:00 AM: All Day Morning Session 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM: All Day Session Lunch 12:00 PM - 4:30 PM: All Day Afternoon Session

Cell Phones - A Scout is Courteous - If you must have a cell phone, set it to silent/vibrate. Demonstrate respect for the instructors and other classmates and do NOT make or take calls or text messages during class time.

Scouts are expected to secure a MB pamphlet in advance of the MBC and to have read it. Scouts are to have a blue MB card filled out with his personal information and signed by his scoutmaster before going to class.

Prerequisite information is included in the course catalog that can be found on the MBC website. It is the Scout's responsibility to be familiar with and complete any prerequisite, project, or other outside work prior to the MBC and present the work or evidence to the counselor. A note from the Scoutmaster or a signed prior partial MB Card may be useful in this. The Merit Badge Counselor has the discretion to determine if the Scout has met the MB requirements.

Excellence is not an act...Excellence is a habit...Be Excellent