

Sequoia Chapter Frontiersman Camping Fellowship

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Trace / Frontier Adventure 2008

April 18-20

The Trace is at Indian Hills Ranch Campground (Tehachapi) this year. The scheduled events will begin with the Frontier Adventure at 8 PM on Friday, April 18th. We plan to be finished no later than noon on Sunday.

The camp fee is \$20.00 No group Meal is provided this year. This camp is one of the few places we go where we have the ability to cook frontier style over open fires. We encourage you to use this opportunity to teach your boys this skill. Trinkets will be available for \$5.00 An auction is also planned to help with some of the expenses for the Camporee video rentals.

You must be a member of a chartered outpost to attend. Charter forms and fees will be collected at camp if your group is not chartered. Please bring the attached medical form, Pastor's Certification for all adults and registration forms to camp. These forms are very important and must be brought to camp. Your pastor must sign them.

The competition for member will include: Hawk, Knife, Flint & Steel, Outfit, Archery and Shooting. The competition will begin after the morning devotion on Saturday. A love blanket will be provided at each service.

Scout elections include skills and points for advancements. An application is attached and should be completed prior to camp for those Young Bucks who are interested. Scouts are encouraged to attend district staff meetings.

Remember all trading and selling is monitored and no firearms or knives may be sold, traded, bartered or gifted to anyone under the age of 21 without the express written permission of parents / legal guardians. Also remember, California restricts and controls transactions involving animals parts from birds of prey, predators, and bears.

Remember no minors other than fathers and sons can be in tents with other adults.

A blackpowder shooter certification class will be taught. The cost for this class will be an additional \$15.00.

We have a limited number of crafts available, please sign up at registration:

- Green River Knife \$15.00
- Knife Sheath 5.00
- Gourd Canteen 20.00
- Lanterns 20.00
- Leather Belt Pouch 15.00

If you are planning to participate in Buckskin testing, call Ed Burke as soon as possible.

This camp is for FCF members and those going through Frontier Adventure only.

New Member Applications

New member applications are due NOW. Please send them in as soon as possible. The process this year will be each applicant filling out a workbook and bringing it to camp, instead of a test.

Wilderness Applications

If you plan to participate in the Wilderness Vigil at the Trace and are carrying a pouch, please contact us as soon as possible.

Camporee News May 15-18

We need your participation in our village at the Camporee. All scouts are encouraged to stay in the village. Village staff will be staying and eating in the village, pre-registration is required. If you can be spared from your outpost, we can use your help. We need at least 15 participants. Village staff responsibilities include displays, primitive kitchen, activities, r/c car crew, ushers at council fires and alter workers. Sign up sheets will be at Trace registration. This camp is a must attend for your outpost.

National Rendezvous July 14-18

Applications should be sent to directly to the National Office. Additional information will be available at the Trace and is on the National Royal Ranger web site.

Annual Registration and Donations

Registration is required each year in orde to remain on the active mailing list. Donations are collected to help cover expenses. Average donations are \$10 each. Please use the attached registration form.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Birth Date _____ Age _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
 Home Phone _____ Father's Office _____ Mother's Office _____
 Other Emergency telephone numbers _____
 Doctor's Name _____ Office phone _____ Home phone _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
 Medical Insurance provider _____ Policy # or ID # _____

HEALTH HISTORY

HAS HE HAD	YES	NO		YES	NO
An attack of appendicitis			Poliomyelitis		
Asthma or Hay fever			Heart trouble		
Hernia (rupture)			Severe allergies		
Rheumatic fever			Scarlet Fever		
Diabetes			Significant disease, injury or operation		
Does he take insulin			Is he under medical care requiring medication		
			Is his activity restricted due to medical reasons		
IS HE SUBJECT TO:					
Sinus trouble			Posion Ivy, Oak or Sumac		
Fainting spells			Reaction to Penicillin		
Ear trouble			Nervousness or easily upset		
Convulsions			Last Tetanus shot Date:		

IF ANSWER IS "YES" TO ANY OF THE ABOVE, PLEASE EXPLAIN ON BACK OF FORM.

PERMISSION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT

In the event my son becomes ill or sustains injury while in the care of or under the supervision of the Royal Rangers Outpost, any of its officers or leaders, they are given permission to administer first aid for his relief. If it is not practical to return him to us or to receive our instructions for his care, consent is hereby given to admit him to any hospital; consent is also given to any licensed physician and/or surgeon called, or to whom our son is taken for treatment by them to administer such treatment, drugs and medicines, and to perform such surgical procedures as he shall thin the existing emergency requires for the relief of pain and to perserve his life and health. Authorization is also given for such other measures or procedures as may be required. I hearby agree to reimburse the Royal Rangers Outpost or leader for any expenses incurred in the care of my son should any type of medical treatment be necessary. This would include hospitals, doctors, ambulances, etc.

DATE _____ SIGNATURE _____
(Parent or Guardian)

REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____ Phone (_____) _____
Address _____
Outpost _____ Section _____

DEPARTMENT GROUP INSURANCE VERIFICATION FORM

Name of Church _____ City _____

Name of Group _____ Activity _____

Name of Director _____ Director's Phone _____

Name of Insurance Company _____ Policy Date _____

Amount of Medical Expense for Accident Including sports. _____ Are Premiums Paid? _____ Policy No. _____

Other comments or notes:

“Hold Harmless” Agreement

Registration and attendance is granted on the express condition that the Southern California District Council of Royal Rangers, is to be free from all liability or loss by reason of injury to person or property, from whatever cause, while in attendance, or in any way connected with said camp. Attendee hereby covenants and agrees to, and shall, indemnify Southern California District council of Royal Rangers, and save it harmless from any and all liability, costs, or obligations on account of, or arising outof, any such injury or loss however occurring.

Signed _____ Date _____

Blackpowder Shooting Permission Form CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE SECTION 12551:

S12551: Furnishing Firearms to Minors under 18 without permission of parent.--Every person who furnishes any firearm, air gun, or gas-operated gun, designed to fire a bullet, pellet, or metal projectile, to an minor under the age of 18 years, without the express or implied permission of the parent or legal guardian of the minor, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

I give my permission for _____ to use a firearm as described above.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Pastor's Certification

Why a background check and pastor's certification?

Our children are under attack. Therefore, we must take extraordinary steps to protect them from abuse. Our purpose is not to eliminate parent involvement in outings, but rather to provide the safest environment possible by requiring background checks on **all** adults attending.

Because of the large number of applicants, it is impossible to check references on every applicant. As a result, great reliance is placed on the representation of each applicant's pastor to insure the applicant's suitability for working with minors.

PLEASE CLEARLY PRINT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

I have been personally acquainted with _____ for
(Name)
Approximately _____
(6 month minimum)

Check one:

- _____ He/she is competent and qualified to work with minors of any age. I know of no facts or allegations that raise any questions concerning his or her suitability for working with minors in any activity.

- _____ He/she is not currently working within our children's program but is a parent or legal guardian of a child in attendance.

In either case, we have run a criminal background check on the applicant and find no reason that he/she would not be suitable for attending the Royal Ranger event.

The date the criminal background check was completed was _____

The company used was _____

The applicant's history was: clear showed criminal background
*If criminal background was shown please provide an explanation

Senior Pastor's name (please print)

Church and city

Senior Pastor's signature

Date