Texas Trails Council

Old Comanche Trail District

2017

Winter Camporee

*The Winter Rendezvous*

Camp Billy Gibbons

December 8-10, 2017

Leaders Guide

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2017 Old Comanche Trail District

Winter *Rendezvous* Camporee

Leader’s Guide

Old Comanche Trail District is once again putting on the Winter Camporee. We invite all Boy Scout Troops from within the Texas Trails Council to participate.

We offer a great time for all who come. This year we will again focus on Patrol competition, including Orienteering, Tomahawk throwing, Fire making, a “Dutch oven cook off”, Log Saw-off and of course the moving knots competition.

NOTE: The course has been significantly extended for this year. Come see some new parts of Camp Billy Gibbons!

NOTE: \*NO\* adult/leader help will be allowed during the competition. This will be strictly enforced for the benefit of all Scouts and the spirit of competition.

What to bring? Every boy will need an extra pair of shoes that are closed toed. Each and every Patrol should have at least 1 compass. Each Troop should bring all of the things they need for a weekend campout. That includes food, water, dealing with their own trash, cooking utensils, tents and so on. *All patrols will need a pot and a small stove to carry.* Campsites should be kept clean at all times. There will be a camp inspection. Please look at the weather forecast as you prepare …

Of course all BSA rules for a campout apply to this event. So, all participants will need to have a BSA medical form part A & B upon arrival. Scout leaders will need to have the medical forms on them at all times in case of a problem.

Webelos are welcome to come but they must be the guest of a host troop.

Everyone needs to come with a great attitude, be examples of the Scout Oath and Law, and be ready to have a lot of fun. We’ve enjoyed much success with this event every year and we are looking forward to another great time for everyone.

If you have any questions, feel free to call the Camp Coordinator, Michael Beverly at 254-592-5681, or George Niebling, District Executive, at 817-691-2534 and we’ll be happy to answer any questions you might have.

2017 Winter *Rendezvous* Camporee Schedule

Friday

5:00pm Troops begin to arrive, check in, and setup camp

9:00pm Event coordinator’s meeting

9:45pm Scoutmaster and SPL meeting (location to be announced)

11:00pm All Troops in campsites and quiet time begins

Saturday

7:00am Quiet time ends and Troops prepare breakfast, eat, and cleanup

8:30am Assembly and Flags

9:00am Let the Competition begin

11:00am Competition stops for the morning

12:00pm Lunch

1:30pm Back into the wilderness … 2nd Round of competition begins

5:00pm Troops prepare dinner, eat, and cleanup

6:00pm Dutch-oven contest entrees due at dining hall

7:30pm Camp Fire and Awards

11:00pm All Troops in campsites and quiet time begins

Sunday

7:00am Quiet time ends and Troops prepare breakfast, eat, and cleanup.

9:30am Chapel

11:00am Troops pack and leave when ready

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Leader’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Leader’s Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Leader’s Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2nd Leader’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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2nd Leader’s Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Troop\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of youth attending \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $10 each = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of adults attending \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $ 5 each = $ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 TOTAL = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sign up deadline for Camporee is Thursday, November 30th, 2017

A $25 late fee will be accessed to any unit submitting late registrations.

Mail this form with your check to: (or register online to texastrailsbsa.com)

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