

Parent Guide to Haunted Forest

October 21 – 23, 2022

TONKAWA'S ABANDONED MINE



Come join us for fun at Camp Tonkawa.

Camp Tonkawa is located at 4117 FM 89, Tuscola, Texas.

For your information

Release & Indemnity/Hold-Harmless agreement All adults must complete the agreement (attached in this parent's guide) Your children may be listed on one of the parent's form. It must be completed and ready to turn in as your check in to camp.

Registration for the Haunted Forest can be done on-line by going to www.texasrtailsbsa.org and clicking on the Haunted Forest button. If you want to register as a unit please contact Cindy Webb at ciwebb@bsaemail.org or 325-677-2688 and we will discuss your options.

Friday evening you will be allowed to set up your camp site starting at 4:00 pm. There will be someone available to direct you to your assigned campsite. **There will be NO campsite setup permitted after 9:30 pm on Friday night, and no one will be allowed to enter Camp Tonkawa after 10:00 pm.** *Please be respectful of small children trying to go to sleep.*

Check in will be at the Dining Hall on Friday from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm and resume on Saturday from 7:00 am to 2:00 pm. This is where you will pick up your schedule, map, arm bands and event patch you will not be allowed to participate unless you are wearing an armband. Anyone attending Haunted Forest must have a signed hold harmless agreement (attached in this parents' guide), this must be turned in at check in. All adults must sign an agreement. Children can be listed on one of their parents hold harmless agreements.

Trading Post and Snack bar will be open Friday evening from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. There will be snacks to purchase such as popcorn, candy, nacho's and drinks. It will also be open throughout Saturday.

Snack bar - is offering your choice of 2 Hot dogs or 1 Hamburgers with chips, cookie and drink for \$7.00, will be available Friday evening from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm.

Meals will not be provided for Friday evening. Breakfast, Lunch, & Supper Saturday will be provided. Breakfast Sunday will be a simple continental breakfast that the Pack can pick up at the dining hall and eaten in your campsite.

A Haunted Forest T-shirt is available for purchase. It comes in Youth sizes extra small to extra Large and Adult sizes Small to 4X. Cost of \$14.00 for Youth t-shirts extra small - Adult X-large and \$16.00 for Adult sizes 2X – 4X. **This is a preorder item and the request must be submitted by September 30th.** Only a very few will be available for purchase in the Trading Post.

Footwear, no open toed shoes are to be worn anywhere on camp other than the shower room.

Cost:

- \$20.00 per Participant if paid by October 7th.
- \$90.00 Per Families of 5 or more if paid by October 7th.
- After October 7th \$25.00 per Camper (participant).
- After October 7th \$120.00 Per Families of 5 or more.
- If Registering the day of the event cost is \$30.00 per person. No discount for families
- Children 4 years old or younger are free.

* Haunted Forest Schedule 2022*

FRIDAY

4:00 pm to 9:00 - Campsite set up
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm - Check In
9:00 pm - Campfire Ceremony

SATURDAY

Breakfast 7:00am – 7:45 am
Flag ceremony - 8:00 am
Rotating morning activities - 8:15 am – 11:15 am
Lunch is between - 11:35 am– 12:05 pm
Rotating afternoon activities - 12:30 pm – 5:20 pm
Dinner - 5:50 pm – 6:20 pm
Midway & Evening activities - 6:45 pm – 10:30 pm

Sunday

Breakfast 8:00 am
8:30 am Flag ceremony
9:30 Scouts Service (Chapel Service)
10:30 Clean up Campsites
11:00 Departure

***Tentative Schedule Subject to Change**

Fun extras.

Pumpkin decorating contest:

We are having a pumpkin decoration contest. Bring your already decorated pumpkin to the Health Lodge porch with your Scouts name and Pack number attached to the pumpkin the winners will be announced Sunday morning.

Campsite decorating contest:

We also have a decorate your campsite contest. Get with the other families in your Pack and decorate. Remember the theme this year is Abandoned Mine. The winning campsite will be announced Sunday morning.

Pack with most spirit:

Be the Pack with the most spirit, create a cheer and sing out throughout camp show your Scout spirit.

Items you will need or may want for your camping experience:

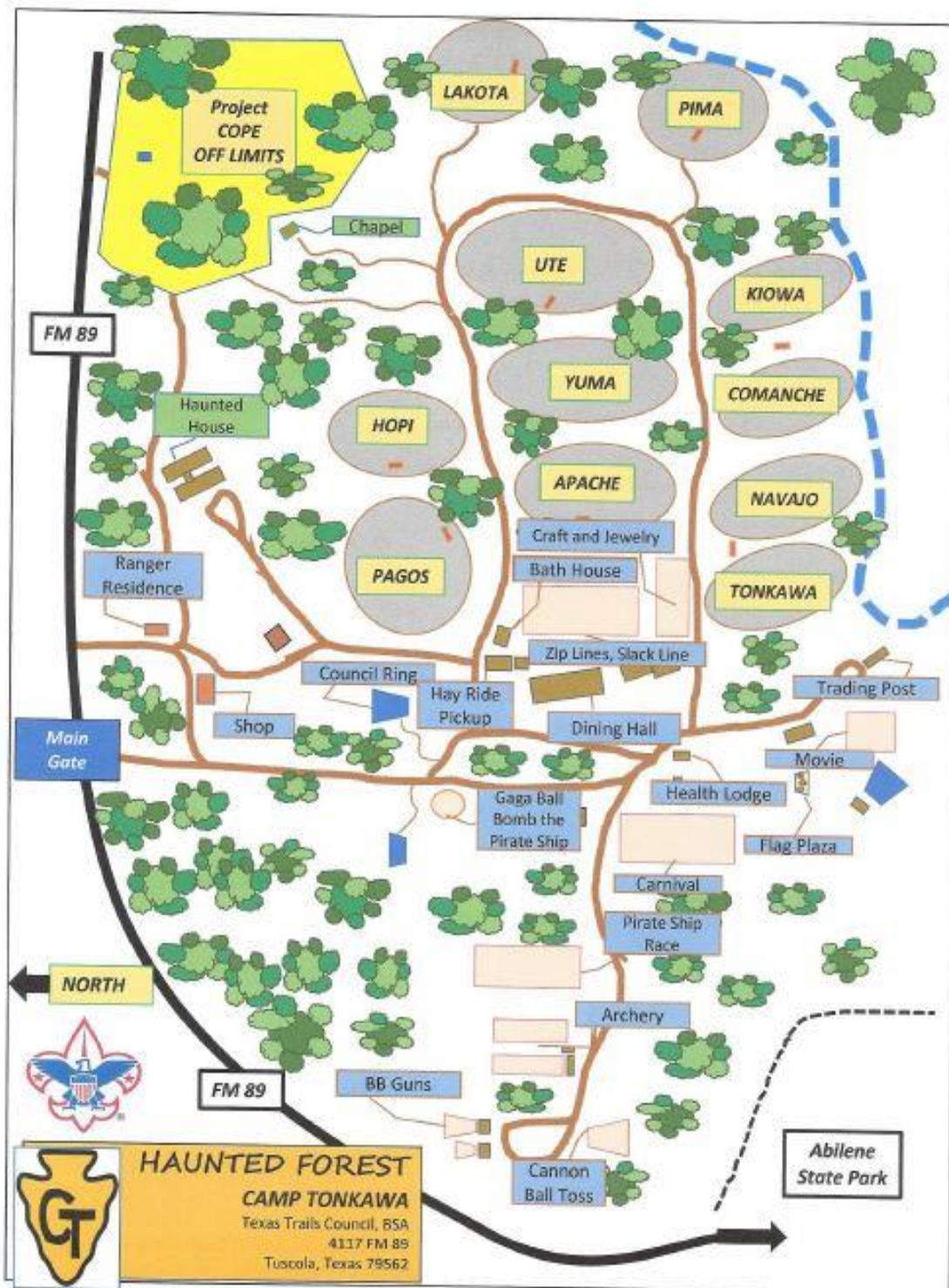
Tent (and stakes)	Towels
Hammer or Axe	Rain gear
Ground Cloth/tarp	Jackets
Dustpan & brush and or broom	Hats
Sleeping bags.	Sunscreen
Sleeping pads.	Small day pack
Pillow	Medications
Headlamps or flashlights (and extra batteries)	Bug spray
Lantern (and mantles and fuel/batteries if needed)	Face masks
Camp chairs.	Disinfectant wipes
Camp table	Hand sanitizer
Change of clothes	
Extra pair of shoes	
Sleep wear	
Personal hygiene products (showers are available)	
Shower shoes	
Small first aid kit (health lodge will be open if needed)	

RULES FOR SAFETY & CONDUCT

CAMP TONKAWA, **TEXAS TRAILS COUNCIL**, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

- Speed limit is 10 MPH on ALL camp roads.
- Please park only in designated areas. No parking of personal vehicles in camping areas.
- No passengers can ride in the bed of a pick-up truck.
- DO NOT LITTER. Please dispose of trash properly.
- Bag all trash – Do not stack loose rubbish on top of the bin.
- Do not place embers or charcoal into the trash bins. Use appropriate means to extinguish fires.
- Swimming pool area is OFF-LIMITS.
- COPE area is OFF-LIMITS
- Tonkawa Tower is OFF-LIMITS
- Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages is NOT permitted.
- Possession or consumption of illegal drugs is NOT permitted.
- Fireworks, Personal Firearms and Pets are NOT permitted.
- Camp Tonkawa is a smoking free property. Tobacco products, (cigarettes, cigars, vaping devices) are not allowed in camping areas or Program areas. Please NO smoking or Vaping during programs or Campfires. Be courteous to your fellow scouts!

Map of Camp Tonkawa



A updated map will be provided in your check in packet.

Texas Trails Council, BSA
3811 North 1st Street
Abilene, Texas 79603
325-677-2688

RELEASE AND INDEMNITY/HOLD-HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I understand the use of facilities owned by Texas Trails Council, BSA involves a certain degree of risk that could result in injury or death. In consideration of the benefits to be derived and after carefully considering the risk involved and in view of the fact that the Boy Scouts of America is a not-for-profit organization:

RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION

I hereby release and waive any and all claims that I may have against Boy Scouts of America Texas Trails Council, BSA and their employees, agents, representatives, or volunteers arising from use of their facilities. I AGREE TO FULLY INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, TEXAS TRAILS COUNCIL, BSA, AND THEIR EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, REPRESENTATIVES, AND VOLUNTEERS FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS ARISING FROM USE OF THEIR FACILITIES. THIS INDMNIFICATION EXPRESSLY INCLUDES ANY CLAIMS ARISING OUT OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, TEXAS TRAILS COUNCIL, BSA'S OWN NEGLIGENCE OR FAULT OR THAT OF THEIR EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, REPRESENTATIVES, OR VOLUNTEERS. I AGREE THAT THE INDEMNIFICATION INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF THE CLAIMS, THE EXPENSES OF DEFENDING AGAINST THE CLAIMS, COURT COSTS, AND ATTORNEYS' FEES.

Adult Printed Name

Date

Signature (if over 18 years of age)

Telephone number

List of your dependent children under 18 years of age.

First and Last Name of Dependent Child

Relationship

