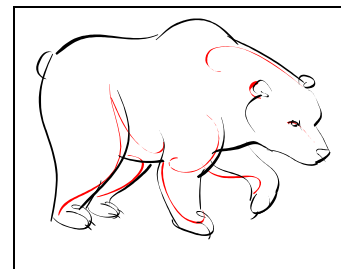


Bear Creek Scout Reservation Off – Season Use Permit



Welcome to Bear Creek Scout Reservation. Once approved, this reservation entitles you to fun, fellowship and practice in the great Scouting Spirit. For your protection, the rules are simple, as you will want to return to the same clean, safe facility many times in the future. What your troop does at Bear Creek will determine its condition for troops in the future. So treat the camp as your own, as it belongs to all the Scouts and Scouters of the Alamo Area Council.

Reservations for using Bear Creek must be made two weeks prior to your visit. The Camp Ranger will not allow anyone to camp without a reservation in place.

Rules and Conditions for Use of Bear Creek

Responsibility By signing this agreement, the unit leader absolves the Alamo Area Council from responsibility for personal accident or property damage suffered by unit leaders and members while on Council property. The unit leader also agrees to the rules on both the front and back of this form.

Off Limits All buildings except restrooms and pavilions are off limits to all campers unless prior arrangements are in place.

Leadership Troops are required to abide by the GUIDE TO SAFE SCOUTING. This includes two deep leadership. A minimum leadership ratio of 8:1 is strongly advised.

Unit # _____ District _____ Campsite Preference _____

Adult Leader _____ Daytime Phone _____

Address _____ Evening Phone _____

2nd Leader _____ E-mail _____

Arrival Date _____ Arrival Time _____ Departure Date & Time _____

Leader's Signature _____ Council Approval _____

First Aid Units are strongly encouraged to have at least a class 1 medical form on every Scout and leader. Units should also have a leader trained in 1st Aid / CPR from a recognized agency. The Health Lodge is not open for weekend camping. Units are responsible for all medical care. Report all accidents or injuries to the Camp Ranger or Campmaster.

Fires are allowed only in established fire rings. Campmasters may prohibit fires during dry weather. All fires must be attended at all times.

Lanterns and Stoves The use of liquid fueled lanterns and stoves is prohibited. Propane devices may be used only under strict adult supervision.

Garbage may be placed in dumpsters at Bear Creek. Units should provide their own trash bags.

Water may be turned off in cold weather months to prevent freeze damage. Check with the Ranger on availability prior to your arrival.

Alcohol and Tobacco Alcohol is strictly prohibited on BSA property. Absolutely never smoke in the presence of Scouts or other non smokers.

Fireworks are strictly prohibited on BSA property or at any Scout function.

Entering and Leaving All units must check in and check out with the Ranger or Campmaster. You will be instructed on the gate code upon arrival.

Fences Do not cross fences while camping at Bear Creek. You may be trespassing.

Fishing Scouts and leaders may fish while at camp. All state laws apply.

Swimming is allowed in the creek. Units must follow the Safe Swim Defense Plan. The pool is not available for off season use.

Fee Use of Bear Creek is free for weekend troop camping. Please do a service project approved by the Ranger or Campmaster to help keep it free.