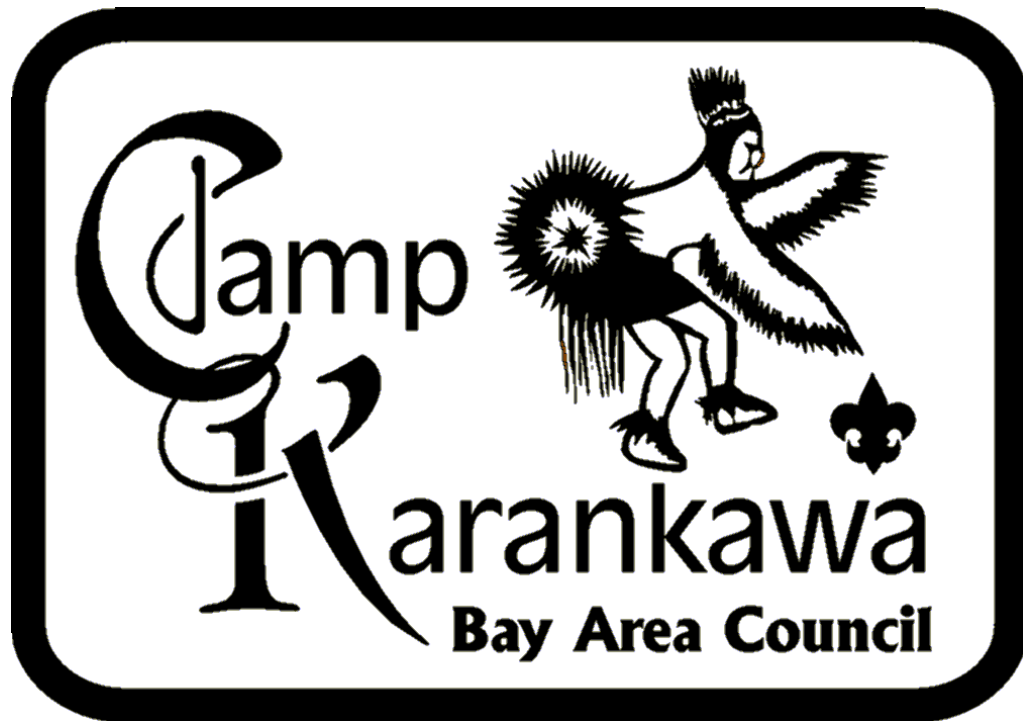


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BAY AREA COUNCIL
POLICY ON USE OF CAMP FACILITIES

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All Boy Scouts of America National Rules and Regulations on Camps are followed at Bay Area Council's Camps. The following are specific rules followed by the Bay Area Council but should not be construed as being all inclusive.

GENERAL RULES

1. All units and organizations should make reservations at least two weeks in advance with the Council Service Center on Galveston Island, Texas. A copy of the current "Short Term Camp Reservation Confirmation and Permit" is attached to this policy. COUNCIL AND DISTRICT EVENTS MUST BE SCHEDULED A MINIMUM OF 90 DAYS IN ADVANCE.
2. Designated unit leaders, event directors and/or guests/ visitors must check in with the Campmaster or Camp Ranger upon arrival at camp. The Camp Karankawa sign in front of the Ranger's residence will indicate where and with whom to check in.
3. The Scout Oath and Law, Cub Scout Promise, Explorer Code, and Outdoor Code are the laws of the camp. Each unit will be given a copy of the Outdoor Code, along with these policies, upon arrival at camp.
4. A registered adult Scouter, 21 years or older, must be in charge of each unit at all times. In addition, two deep leadership will be strictly enforced. The whereabouts of the youth while at camp must always be known by the designated leadership.
5. Events with coed participation must have both male and female adult leadership 21 years of age or older, at all times.
6. The camp speed limit for all vehicles is 15 mph on paved and 10 mph on all dirt or unpaved roads.
7. *NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES* are allowed in campsites for any reason. They will be parked in designated parking areas. A Unit's trailer must be parked in designated areas only.
8. There are only four designated parking areas for campers, three in the Boy Scout area and one in the Cub Scout area. Parking areas are for parking of vehicles and should not be used for camping. Vehicles should use the allotted space as efficiently as possible. *In order to protect the environment and to ensure Emergency Access when needed, ALL OFF ROAD PARKING IS PROHIBITED. Special designated overflow parking may be assigned by the Council for large District or Council events.*
9. Recreational vehicles and campers should be parked in parking lots only. Hook ups for utilities are not available.
10. No individual will be allowed to ride on the outside of a vehicle or in the bed of a pickup truck, or in a trailer. No more than the legally allowable number of passengers shall ride inside any vehicle at any time. COUNCIL AND DISTRICT EVENTS MAY BE GRANTED AN EXEMPTION UNDER NATIONAL POLICY (SECTION 10 "GUIDE TO SAFE SCOUTING"). Seat belts should be worn in vehicles at all times.
11. PERSONAL firearms, ammunition, air rifles, pellet guns, bows and arrows, and slingshots are *NOT* allowed in camp at any time.
12. Use of Rifle and Shotgun Ranges, Tower for Rappelling, Cub Frontier, Black Powder and all related equipment for these facilities will be restricted to council and district Boy Scout, Varsity, and Explorer activities. Exceptions to this rule may be made by agreement of three of the following: *COUNCIL PRESIDENT, COUNCIL COMMISSIONER, COUNCIL PROGRAM VICE-PRESIDENT, and/or SCOUT*

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EXECUTIVE (i.e. ;District Cub Frontier programs). These facilities will be used only under the direct supervision of properly qualified and certified personnel. In no instance will the requirement for appropriately trained supervision be waived.

13. Dogs and other personal pets are prohibited. Exceptions will be made for Blind / Handicap Service Animals when accompanying their partner.
14. No open flames, candles, stoves, gasoline or kerosene lanterns, or heaters are allowed in tents.
15. Gasoline and/or propane lanterns and stoves must be operated in a safe manner under adult supervision. Fuel supplies will be stored separately and secured.
16. Be careful with fires. Some camp sites are equipped with fire rings. Fires should only be built in those rings when provided. No fires are to be left unattended day or night. Provide shovel and fire bucket with sand, water or other fire protection equipment.
17. Conserve water, turn off faucets, and wash stands and/or showers. Facilities are not to be used to wash dishes or laundry.
18. Do not cut any live trees, shrubs, or underbrush. *Exceptions* to this rule will be allowed under the following conditions: Ranger or Campmaster may approve the cutting of saplings and underbrush as long as cutting is done on a small scale in areas that are not visible from trails, program areas, or camp sites. This cutting should be done to provide materials for program use such as teaching lashing, building of camp gadgets, etc. The preferred plant for cutting should be Yaupon (Ilex Vomitoria).
19. Do a conservation good turn while in camp. Consult with the Ranger or Campmaster for advance approval.
20. Keep noise down between 10:00 p. in. and 6:00 a.m. Respect your neighbor.
21. No alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs will be allowed in camp.
22. The use of tobacco products inside any buildings or facilities at Camp Karankawa is strictly prohibited. The use of tobacco products in front of Scouts **is prohibited under BSA National Policy.**
23. All persons stay on camp property. Do not trespass on adjacent property.
24. All trash will be placed in the dumpster provided by the council. In cases where the dumpster is full, all trash will be removed from camp and taken home. At no time will trash be buried.
25. Before leaving camp, designated unit or event leader will "check out" with the Ranger/Caretaker or Campmaster.
26. The possession or use of any fireworks on Camp Karankawa is forbidden.
27. A pay telephone is provided at the Chief Rich Lodge. Posted are all the emergency numbers, as well as those for the Scout Executive and Council President. At no time will youth be allowed to use this phone without the supervision of an adult leader.
28. The altering of existing facilities is strictly forbidden except with the specific approval of the Council Executive or his designee.
29. The proper clean-up of all facilities used must be done before leaving camp. Clean-up will be approved by Ranger/Campmaster.

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30. Two-wheel carts are provided for the use of transporting equipment to or from campsites. These carts can be dangerous if improperly used. Youth should be restricted from horseplay on these carts and should be supervised at all times when using them.
31. All illegal activities will be reported to the appropriate civilian authorities.
32. Key Access to any Camp Building must be obtained from the Camp Director and / or the Camp Ranger

NOTE: THE VIOLATION OF ANY OF THESE RULES MAY BE GROUNDS FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL FROM CAMP.

FLOODS

Because there is a danger of high water flooding in Camp Karankawa, care should always be taken. What might seem like a small amount of rain fall on the camp might be just the fringe area of a very large downpour close by. Consequently, camping in low areas can be hazardous due to flash flooding. Therefore, in the event of very wet or turbulent weather, observe the following:

1. Always camp in the highest ground available within the established camping area.
2. Secure all canoes, boats and equipment against possible high water.
3. At the first sign of rapidly rising water, move to the highest ground possible. If necessary, leave all equipment in place.
4. The Camp Director will monitor local radio stations for weather reports and keep you advised.
5. Do not call the weather station., etc., yourself because you might be tying up telephone lines needed for emergencies.

UNUSUAL WEATHER CONDITIONS: (Tornadoes, Hurricanes, Etc.)

The Campmaster/Ranger will keep informed at all times by radio of current weather conditions. All unit leaders will be informed immediately when any adverse conditions are expected. However, unit leaders should become thoroughly familiar with the terrain adjacent to campsite as to the best location for their Scouts should the sighting of a tornado be reported.

HURRICANES

In the event of an approaching hurricane, the **Camp will be CLOSED** and all units requested to return home when the hurricane is reported to be within **200 miles** of the camp and is heading in our general direction. This is necessary so the Camp Ranger and can secure facilities and ensure the safety of the campers.

The Camp Director (or in his absence the Camp Ranger) shall have final authority to close Camp.

TORNADOS**The following rules shall be followed during a tornado warning or watch:**

1. Leaders of units will be notified by the Camp Ranger when a warning is in effect or a watch should be observed.
 2. Should a tornado be sighted, have all Scouts evacuate the campsite and have them lie down in a depression, ditch or ravine previously selected. If you are caught in open country, then always move at right angles to the tornadoes path.
 3. DO NOT attempt to gather in the Dining Hall, Training Lodge, Chief Rich Lodge, or Health Lodge. You will be much safer in an open ditch.
 4. DO NOT call the local weather station except to actually report a tornado as you might be tying up important phone lines needed for an emergency.
- * If you have a radio, keep it tuned to the local weather station.

FIRE

KNOW AND USE the camp Fireguard Plan and Unit Fireguard Chart. More information about these documents may be found in the "Guide to Safe Scouting". General rules for handling and reporting a fire are:

1. If you spot a fire and can put it out QUICKLY AND SAFELY - DO SO.

2. If the fire is out of control, either send a runner or go yourself, to the Health Lodge where the Emergency alarm is located, to sound the alarm.
3. Give information and exact location of the fire to the Campmaster/Ranger. Help might be solicited from adult unit leaders and older Scouts if needed and if it can be done SAFELY. PERSONAL SAFETY is paramount for anyone fighting a fire.
4. The fire will be reported by the Camp Director. The Camp Director will call the West Columbia Fire Department for assistance.
5. All units shall, upon the sounding of the fire alarm, assemble at the camp's flagpole (by the Pavilion), to await organized instructions. Individuals away from their campsite when an alarm is sounded should immediately go to the camp's flagpole. They SHOULD NOT attempt to return to their campsites to join their Troop.

NOTE: Numbers for reporting fires to authorities are posted adjacent to all camp telephones.

KNOW THE LOCATION OF ALL FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT IN YOUR CAMPSITE AND ENSURE THAT THIS EQUIPMENT IS NOT USED FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.

WATERFRONT EMERGENCIES

If there is an emergency at the waterfront (boating area), the staff member in charge will begin sounding a very loud compressed air horn with a series of three short blasts, and should send a runner to the Health Lodge, to sound the emergency alarm. If the emergency horn is sounded, all campers regardless of their location on Camp should immediately go to the camp's flagpole. They SHOULD NOT attempt to return to their campsites to join their Troop. If the Waterfront Alarm is sounded at anytime, please stay out of the vicinity of the waterfront area and remain clear of all trails and service roads leading to the waterfront. If you are at the waterfront area in a canoe or rowboat, follow the directions of the staff member in charge.

STAY AWAY FROM ANY RESCUE OPERATIONS UNLESS SPECIFICALLY INSTRUCTED TO PARTICIPATE BY THE PERSON IN CHARGE.

FIRST AID / MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

The Health Lodge is located across from the Council Training Lodge. During a District or Council event an adult trained in first aid will be on duty to handle emergencies at all times. Otherwise, the Campmaster/Ranger should be contacted for first aid assistance. During the day or night, all accidents and illnesses requiring first aid should be reported to the designated first aid volunteer at the Health Lodge or to the Campmaster/Ranger on duty. All cases where a doctor's care is necessary will be reported immediately to the Campmaster/Ranger, regardless of the hour, and he will alert the Sweeny Hospital with the essential information related to injury, accident, or illness. The Campmaster/Ranger will then immediately contact the Scout Executive. In the case of a District or Council activity, the Staff Advisor is charged with the responsibility to contact the Scout Executive.

MISSING PERSON

1. Campmaster/Ranger is notified that a person is missing.
2. Check with the Scoutmaster for a tally of boys and information on the last whereabouts of the lost Scout.
3. Check with other boys in his Patrol and Troop for possible leads.
4. Check the Health Lodge.
5. Sound the emergency alarm to assemble Troops at camp's flagpole.
6. Campmaster/Ranger will call local law enforcement authorities for assistance if necessary.
7. Campmaster/Ranger will immediately notify the Scout Executive.

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Child Abuse is a crime against youth. Child Abuse can involve the mental, physical and sexual victimization of children.

Step 1: Immediate Action is required

If you suspect that a child in camp is a victim of child abuse, you must report this to the Campmaster/Ranger and to Child Protective Services. Appropriate telephone numbers are posted near phones all over camp.

Step 2: Immediate Action is required

The Campmaster will contact the Scout Executive who will report the situation to Child Protective Services and local law enforcement agencies as necessary. The Scout Executive, in cooperation with the Child Protective Services, will assume full responsibility for the situation as soon as it is reported to him.

FATALITY

Step 1: Immediate Action is required

- A. Campmaster/Ranger and Scout Executive must immediately notify local authorities. The police and coroner must institute an inquiry to determine the cause of death. Law enforcement officials will make a determination as to whether or not standard practices were followed at the time of the accident.
- B. Get all the facts, including names and statements of all witnesses.
- C. If a person other than the Scout Executive is the first to receive the information, contact the Scout Executive before any further steps are taken. Give him as much of the following information as you can:

WHEN? Date and time of day.

WHERE? Give specific location, including address and community, if possible.

WHAT? Nature of accident or illness.

HOW? If known - For example, swimming, boating, hiking

STEP 2: Immediate Action is required

- A. The Scout Executive, Council President, and family religious leader or council chaplain arrange a place to meet and jointly proceed to the home of the family of the deceased. NO PHONE CALL is made to the family. A personal visit is the only way these situations should be handled.
- B. **The Scout Executive will be the only spokesman for the council related to news media or any other inquiring entity.**

POLICY ON USE OF SWIMMING POOL/ SHOWERS**Policy Number: 1.2****Revision: None****Date: 8-6-97**

The Camp Karankawa Swimming Pool will be available during the Summer Months when Summer Camp is not in session. It will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis for registered Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, Adult Leaders, and Guests for authorized Unit, District and Council activities.

The following rules must be strictly observed:

1. Reservations for each separate use must be made through the Council Service Center in Galveston, Texas, at least two weeks in advance and not more than 30 days in advance.
2. The Safe Swim Defense Plan must be followed completely, including use of Health Forms by all participants. (Safe Swim Defense Plan attached)
3. The Campmaster/Ranger will check out all required equipment to the adult in charge and will check it back in at the conclusion of the swimming event.
4. No charges will be made for use of pool or equipment except in the case of loss or damage.
5. Shower facilities are divided for youth and adult use. All BSA policies should be followed to insure youth protection standards are maintained.
6. Showers, commodes and sinks should be left clean and the water turned off after use.

Policy Number: 1.3**Revision: None****Date: 8-6-97**

The Campmasters Cabin is provided to the Campmaster Corps by the Bay Area Council. Anyone who uses this cabin will obey the following rules:

1. The use of the Campmasters Cabin is governed by the rules listed in the Campmasters Handbook.
2. The use of this cabin by anyone other than Campmasters must be approved by three of the following: Council President, Council Commissioner, Council Program Vice President, or the Scout Executive.
3. The Campmasters Cabin will be left clean and all trash removed from the building.
4. Turn off all lights and breakers for the air conditioner and hot water heater. **Do not turn off refrigerator.**
5. The Refrigerator must be cleaned and all food items removed.
6. Replace any toilet paper or dish washing soap.
7. The block valve for the gas stove and heater is behind the stove. **This valve must be turned off before leaving.**
8. Any damage to the cabin or needed repairs must be reported immediately.

The Campmasters Cabin is for the sole use of the Campmasters Staff. The Chairman of the Campmaster Corps will schedule at least one Campmaster every weekend the camp is open. The Campmasters relinquish use of the cabin during Summer and Winter Camp (when there is no need for a Campmaster to be scheduled).

The Camp Karankawa Chapel is provided for the use of all units. The following rules should be observed:

1. The chapel area is a place of worship and as such, quiet and reverence should be observed.
2. All units using the chapel should follow the general camp policy on supervision.
3. Open Services should be non-denominational.
4. Reservations are not required for use of the chapel.
5. Units using the chapel at the same time are encouraged to hold joint services.
6. Camping in the Chapel area is generally not permitted. Exceptions to this rule may be made by any three of the following Council officers: Council President, Council Commissioner, Council Vice President for Program, or the Scout Executive.

The Bay Area Council provides two cabins for use by Executive Board members, Council and District volunteers, Professional Staff, disabled persons, and senior camp staff members. The following rules will be followed for the use of the Commissioner's cabins:

1. Cabins must be reserved through the Council Service Center in Galveston.
2. Cabins must be cleaned and trash must be removed after use.
3. Scouts and Scouters should not use the cabins unless BSA youth protection guidelines are strictly followed.

Policy Number: 1.6**Revision: None****Date: 8-6-97**

Use of the Camp Karankawa Kitchen/Dining Hall and associated equipment is available for District and Council events. Units or organizations wishing to make use of these facilities must make reservations to the Council Service Center office two weeks prior to the event. **Reserving the Kitchen does not reserve the Dining Hall.**

The following rules must be observed:

1. The dining hall and kitchen can be reserved separately or as one. All reservations must be made through the Council Service Center in Galveston.
2. Kitchen and associated equipment will be left clean and stored away upon departure. Floors will be swept and mopped before check out. Trash will be put in trash dumpster.
3. Any equipment damaged must be reported to the Camp Ranger or his designee.

Requests must be made for specific equipment or facilities required on the Camp Reservation form as listed:

General Kitchen Area - Stoves, Ovens, Sinks, Rest Room, Upright Coolers, Chest Freezer, Cooking Pots & Pans,

1. Large Serving Trays/Pans, and Kitchen Cooking Utensils, Work Area Counters, Mops & Brooms.
2. Walk-in Cooler and or Walk-in Freezer
3. Upright Food Warmers
4. SST Serving Tables
5. Salad Bar Servers & All Salad Serving Bowls & Utensils
6. Kitchen Staff Lunch Room
7. Hot Pads & Kitchen Towels
8. Water Thermos Coolers and Large Plastic Drink (tea, punch) Dispensers
9. 40 Cup Large Coffee Pot
10. 2 qt. Drink Serving Pitchers Serving Bowls, Serving Utensils and Large Commercial Can Opener

Cleaning agents and towels will not be provided by Camp Karankawa and should be provided by your unit for use in the Kitchen .

4. Any supplies used must be replaced.
5. The Dining Hall Kitchen is available only for District or Council Events.
6. Due to State Health Department Rules and Regulations no one under the age of 18 may use the kitchen facilities and equipment at anytime. Additionally no one under the age of 18 may be in the kitchen without adult supervision.
7. Use of the Dining Hall as a place for lodging will be at the sole discretion of the Camp Director / Ranger. No group may use the Dining Hall for this purpose without specific approval from the Camp Director / Ranger.

The Health Lodge at Camp Karankawa is normally staffed with trained medical personnel for Council or District events.

The following rules must be observed:

1. **The Health Lodge is not to be used as sleeping quarters for anyone other than Medical Personnel or Patients.**
2. The shower and rest room located in the Health Lodge are for the exclusive use of medical staff and patients.
3. All National BSA Policies for the securing of medical facilities must be followed.
4. The Health Officer assigned to the lodge will be responsible for the securing of medical supplies, securing the building, and the adherence to all National, Local and Council policies.
5. The Health Lodge must be left clean after use.

Policy Number: 1.8

Revision: None

Date: 8-6-97

The Order of the Arrow Lodge Home and Ceremony Ring are set aside for the specific use of Wihinipa Hinsu Lodge #113. The use and admittance to these facilities is strictly controlled by the lodge rules and by-laws. Use of the facilities must be arranged through the Lodge Advisor or the Lodge Executive Committee.. The Lodge Advisor, Scout Executive, and Lodge Chief will be responsible for their use.

All exhibits and display materials must not be disturbed in any way by those individuals using the facilities.

Each facility must be left clean after use.

The pavilion is a central meeting place. The pavilion is provided for the use of Campers, Scouters, and their guests.

The following rules must be followed:

1. The pavilion must be kept clean. Remove trash from the area and place it in proper receptacles.
2. Turn off lights at night when leaving the pavilion.
3. Observe the lights out and noise policy found in the general rules on use of camp facilities.
4. The pavilion is equipped with basketball goals for the enjoyment of scouts, scouters, and their guests. District, Council and other organized activities take precedence over any sports activities.
5. Basketball participants and other pavilion users are responsible for any damages resulting from their activities. Any damages must be immediately reported to the Campmaster/Ranger on duty.
4. The pavilion does not require reservations for use. It is expected that groups will share its use and respect each other.

POLICY ON USE OF RAPPELLING TOWER

Policy Number: 2.0

Revision: None

Date:8-6-97

The Rappelling Tower will be used only under the direct supervision of properly qualified through the BSA National Camping School and are thereby certified personnel.

The following rules must be observed:

1. The qualified person must have on file a certificate of qualification with the Council Service Center at least two weeks prior to the date of use.
2. **Only council owned equipment may be used.**
3. Reservations must be made two (2) weeks in advance of the use of this facility. Reservations will be made with through the Council Service Center in Galveston.
4. **ALL** national BSA policies will be strictly followed when using this facility.

USE OF THE CHIEF RICH LODGE

Policy Number: 2.1**Revision: None****Date: 8-6-97**

The Chief Rich Lodge (also referred to as the Leader's Lodge) is specifically designated for use by adult leaders at Camp Karankawa. It was built to give adult Scouters a place to relax and associate with other adult Scouters. There are both male and female restroom facilities within the building. The facility should be treated with respect and dignity.

The following rules must be observed:

1. Reservations for use of the building must be made through the Council Service Center in Galveston.
2. Youth will be prohibited from entering the building except for the check-in area in the outer entrance. Exceptions to this (i.e. staff meetings at summer and winter camps) may be made by three of the following: Council President, Council Commissioner, Council Program Vice President, or Scout Executive.
3. After using the building; trash, food and program material will be removed and disposed of properly.
4. **The Chief Rich Lodge will be left clean and in good order.**

Policy Number: 2.2**Revision: None****Date: 8-6-97**

The rifle range, shotgun range, and archery range will be used only **under the direct supervision of properly qualified and certified personnel**. In addition, the following rules apply:

1. Qualified person must have on file a certificate of qualification with the Council Service Center at least two weeks prior to the date of use.
2. Reservations for use of these ranges must be made at least two weeks in advance at the Council Service Center in Galveston.
3. Equipment used at these ranges is restricted to council owned equipment only.
4. The use of these ranges will be restricted to Bay Area Council and District activities. Exceptions to this rule may be made by three of the following: Council President, Council Commissioner, Council Program Vice President, and/or Scout Executive.
5. **ALL** national BSA policies will be strictly followed on all ranges at all times.

The BAY AREA COUNCIL Training Lodge was designed to be used for the training of scouts and Scouters.

The Use of this building and the restroom facilities will require the following:

1. Reservations for the use of the building must be made through the Council Service Center in Galveston.
2. The training center will be used for training purposes only.
3. All training materials, trash and equipment that does not belong in the Lodge will be removed after the training session is complete.
4. Food and drinks are strictly prohibited in the training lodge.
5. The use of the bath and restroom facilities located in the training lodge is restricted to adult Scouters. Use of these facilities by youth is strictly prohibited.
6. All materials in the DAVID C. PRESSLER Library must remain in the library. At no time will articles be removed from the building.
7. This Facility will not be used for lodging. Exceptions to this rule maybe made by three of the following: Council President, Council Commissioner, Council Program Vice President, and or the Scout Executive.

Policy Number: 2.5**Revision: None****Date: 8-6-97****General:**

Camp Karankawa includes a number of facilities specifically designated for Boy Scout, Venture, and Explorer youth activities. All unit activities and short-term use requires that facilities must be reserved a minimum of two weeks in advance. Reservations may be made by calling the Bay Area Council Service Center and requesting camp reservations. All needed facilities must be requested and specified; including the rifle or archery ranges, swimming pool, canoes, repelling tower, etc.. Confirmation of the request will be mailed to the unit leader who submitted the request. This confirmation will include an information sheet that should be filled out and brought to camp on the date of the event. Upon arrival at camp, check in at the Leader's Lodge with the Campmaster/Ranger or his designee.

The information presented in this section is primarily intended for weekend or short-term camping or day-outing experiences by individual units, but will apply for other events as well. All Boy Scout camping is regulated by other policies established by the National Office of the Boy Scouts of America. Council or District events such as Camporee will have additional information and instruction sheets and separate reservation and checkout procedures.

Campsites:

Campsites include a latrine, wash stand, and fire pit area. These are included in the campsite reservation. Each campsite can accommodate several troops. Units should bring their own camping equipment if possible. A limited amount of camping gear is available for checkout. See equipment checkout section for further details.

- * Follow the ***Outdoor Code*** and respect the land on which you camp.
- * All sites will be inspected by the Campmaster/Ranger prior to ***checkout***.
- * The ***wash stand*** is for people. Food in the washing area is unsanitary and clogs the drain lines. All dishes should be washed in buckets at the fire pit and cooking area. Dispose of the wash water in a shallow sump pit dug away from the camp area.
- * Any downed wood is available for ***campfires***. No live trees should be harmed. The cutting of yaupon shrubs for Scoutcraft projects is permitted. Consult the Campmaster/Ranger for further information. The use of charcoal or fueled stoves for cooking is encouraged. All fuels and stoves must be under adult supervision. Campfires should be made in the fire pits when possible. Fires should be attended and not left to bum. All fires must be extinguished and dead prior to checkout. Soaking with water and stirring the ashes is a suitable means for extinguishing a fire.
- * **Tables** should be available in each campsite. These wooden tables are part of the campsite facilities and should not be moved to other campsites without permission of the Campmaster/Ranger. Cooking stoves should be well insulated to avoid damage to the table surface. If more than one troop shares a campsite, the tables should also be shared so that each troop has one table if possible.
- * Respect the rights of others. Do not enter adjacent campsites without permission, and observe the ***quiet hours*** specified for all campers.

Equipment Checkout

Camp maintained equipment is limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Reserved equipment may be obtained from the Campmaster/Ranger upon check in at camp.

Available camp equipment should be reserved at the time the campsite or facility reservation is made at the Council Office. The Campmaster/Ranger may be available to provide some cooking or tenting equipment upon request once you are at camp.

Equipment must be returned clean and ready for storage. This includes cooking gear such as Dutch ovens which must be dry and oiled, or water containers which must be dry.

Carts and Trails

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Carts for hauling equipment to and from the parking lot to the campsite are available. No motor vehicles or bicycles, except for the Campmaster's bicycle, are permitted on the trail. Trails are for people and gear. Carts should be returned to the parking lot for other units to use. A unit may, with the permission of the Campmaster, keep a cart in camp on weekends when camp usage is minimal. Trail and cart users should do the following:

- * While loading the carts, keep the heavier items over the wheels. Ropes or bungee cords are helpful in keeping bulky loads from falling on the trail.
- * Avoid play on the empty carts. This is to avoid injury.
- * Carts should be manned by two people, with help from others in keeping the gear steady.
- * Trails should be kept clean and free of debris.
- * Drive and walk courteously, keeping to right when meeting others. Flashlights are helpful at night, but should be aimed at the ground, and not at oncoming campers.

Clean-up

Each unit is responsible for leaving Camp Karankawa as clean or cleaner than it was found. The beauty of the outdoors and usability of the camp cannot be maintained without cooperation of each camper.

- * Walk through the campsite upon arrival looking for suitable areas for sleeping, cooking, and activities. This should be done with the Senior Patrol Leader or other youth leader of the unit. Verify that the areas are safe and clean.
- * Designate adult supervision responsible for each area and keep the facilities in good order. Involve the Boy Scouts or Explorers in this from the start, and set the example.
- * Bring plastic trash bags for garbage disposal, and place several around the campsite. All food should be in animal-proof storage containers such as lockable ice chests or wooden cook boxes or "patrol boxes". The use of "bear bags", food packs suspended from tree limbs is also helpful. Garbage bags may be placed in the camp dumpster near the Leaders' Lodge.

At the end of the campout the following steps should be completed:

- * All camp provided equipment should be cleaned, dried, and returned to camp storage.
- * All camp fires should be dead, soaked with water, and the ashes stirred with a stick.
- * A walk through by the entire unit should be made to pick up any litter or forgotten items. A "police line" where unit members stand shoulder to shoulder and walk slowly across the campsite works effectively.
- * All garbage should be removed to the camp dumpster, or carried home for disposal.
- * When the unit is ready, the Campmaster/Ranger should be contacted for final approval to leave camp.

General

Camp Karankawa has facilities specifically designated for Cub Scout youth activities. All individual unit activities and short-term use requires that facilities must be reserved a minimum of two weeks in advance. Reservations may be made by calling the Bay Area Council Service Center and requesting camp reservations. All needed facilities must be requested. Confirmation of the request will be mailed to the unit leader submitting the request. **This** confirmation will include an information sheet that should be filled out and brought to camp on the date of the event. Upon arrival at camp, check in at the Leader's Lodge with the Campmaster/Ranger.

The information presented in this section is primarily intended for weekend or short-term camping or day-outing experiences by individual units, but will apply for other events as well. All Cub Scout camping is regulated by other policies established by the National Office of the Boy Scouts of America. Council or District events such as Cub-o-Ree or Webelos Resident Camp will have additional information and instruction sheets and separate reservation and checkout procedures. Cub Scouts are encouraged to use the facilities of Cub Frontier as much as possible and leave the rest of Camp Karankawa as an experience for the future when they move into Boy Scouting and Exploring.

Activity Area

The activity area is a series of stations at which Cub Scouts perform various physical tasks in advancing from one station to the next.

- * Inspect the facility prior to use. Report any broken or unsafe equipment to the Campmaster/Ranger. Remove any fallen branches or debris from the event areas.
- * Any event that might require the boy to be more than five feet off the ground requires the use of spotters. The purpose of a spotter is watch for slips and falls and be prepared to catch the boy. The need for spotters is limited in this activity area by the design of the equipment.
- * Use of the activity area should be supervised at all times.

Campsites

Campsites include a latrine, wash stand, and fire pit area. These are included in the campsite reservation. Each campsite can accommodate most packs or large dens. Units should bring their own camping equipment if possible. A limited amount of gear is available for checkout. See *Equipment Checkout*.

- * Follow the *Outdoor Code* and respect the land on which you camp.
- * All sites will be inspected by the Campmaster or Ranger prior to *checkout*.
- * The *wash stand* is for people. Food in the washing area is unsanitary and clogs the drain lines. All dishes should be washed in buckets at the fire pit and cooking area. Dispose of the wash water in a shallow sump pit dug away from the camp area.
- * Any downed wood is available for *campfires*. No live trees should be harmed. All wood cutting should be done under adult control. The use of charcoal or fueled stoves for cooking is encouraged. All fuels and stoves must be under adult supervision.
- * Campfires should be made in the fire pits when possible. Fires should be attended and not left to burn. All fires must be extinguished and dead prior to checkout. Soaking with water and stirring the ashes is a suitable means for extinguishing a fire.
- * Tables should be available in each campsite. These wooden tables are part of the campsite facilities and should not be moved to other campsites without permission of the Campmaster/Ranger. Cooking stoves should be well insulated to avoid damage to the table surface.
- * Respect the rights of others. Do not enter adjacent campsites without permission and observe the *quiet hours* specified for all campers.

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Pavilion

The pavilion is suitable for large groups. It includes a fire pit and covered meeting area. Limited seating is offered. Units are encouraged to bring folding chairs or other forms of seating for longer gatherings. Electricity is also available for sound and audio equipment. The unit is responsible for cleanup of the facility after use and prior to inspection by the Campmaster/Ranger.

Fort

The fort must be reserved separately and specifically for planned events, although it may be open for general use. No equipment is available for the fort.

- * No fires are permitted inside the fort.
- * All climbing is limited to stairs or other existing aids such as ladders or ramps. Adult supervision should be available for general use and play.

Equipment Checkout

Camp maintained equipment is limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Units are encouraged to bring their own tentage, ground cloths, cooking gear, and activity supplies for scoutcraft and sport activities. Reserved equipment may be obtained from the Campmaster/Ranger upon check in at camp. Available camp equipment should be reserved at the time the campsite or facility reservation is made at the Council Office. The Campmaster/Ranger may be available to provide some cooking or tenting equipment upon request at the camp. Equipment must be returned clean and ready for storage. This includes cooking gear such as Dutch ovens which must be dry and oiled, or water containers which must be dry.

Cleanup

Each unit is responsible for leaving Cub Frontier and Camp Karankawa as clean or cleaner than it was found. The beauty of the outdoors and usability of the camp cannot be maintained without cooperation of each camper.

- * Walk through the campsite upon arrival looking for suitable areas for sleeping, cooking, and activities. Verify that the areas are safe and clean.
- * Designate adult supervision responsible for each area and keep the facilities in good order. Involve the Cub Scouts in this from the start and set the example.
- * Bring plastic trash bags for garbage disposal, and place several around the campsite. All food should be in animal-proof storage containers such as lockable ice chests or wooden cook boxes. The use of "bear bags", food packs suspended from tree limbs, is also helpful.
- * Garbage bags may be placed in the camp dumpster near the Leaders' Lodge.

At the end of the campout the following steps should be completed:

- * All camp provided equipment should be cleaned, dried, and returned to camp storage.
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- * A walk through by the entire unit should be made to pick up any litter or forgotten items. A "police line" where unit members stand shoulder to shoulder and walk slowly across the campsite works effectively.
- * All garbage should be removed to the camp dumpster, or carried home for disposal
- * When the unit is ready, the Campmaster/Ranger should be contacted for final approval to leave camp-

TIRE CLIMB

Safety Zone - Fine Sand, 1 8" deep and extending to 6' from structure.

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.
2. Maximum TWO climbers at one time.
3. Each climber must have individual adult supervision.

MONKEY BRIDGE

Safety Zone - Fine Sand, 10" deep and extending 6' from structure

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION
2. One Cub at a time with adult standing by for assistance.

LOG STILE

Safety Zone - Fine Sand, 9" deep and extending 6' around structure.

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION
2. Two walkers at one time, maximum.
3. Two adult spotters.

STEPPING BLOCKS

Safety Zone - Fine Sand, 6" deep and extending 6' from walk.

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.
2. TWO walkers at one time.
3. TWO adults standing by.

BALANCING BEAM

Safety Zone - Fine sand, 6" deep and extending 6' from structure.

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.
2. TWO walkers at one time, maximum.
3. TWO adults standing by.

ROPE CLIMB

Safety Zone - Fine Sand, 18- deep and extending 6' from structure.

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.
2. TWO climbers at one time, maximum.
3. TWO adults standing by.

ROPE SWING

Safety Zone - Fine Sand, 8" deep and extending 8' around structure.

Rules:

1. NO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.
2. Maximum of TWO swingers at one time.
3. TWO adults standing by.

CAMP KARANKAWA EQUIPMENT USE POLICIES**Policy Number: 2.7 a****Revision: None****Date: 9-20-97****RIFLE, SHOT GUN, BLACK POWDER FIREARMS, AND EQUIPMENT POLICY**

Use of Camp Karankawa firearms are available to Bay Area Council Units and organizations at Camp Karankawa who provide certified supervision for the event. Requests for firearms should be made on the Camp Reservation Form two weeks prior to the Units event. A copy of the Rangemaster's Certificate of Qualification must be filed in the Council Office along with your reservation form. Always follow all safe practices guidelines. **Only Council owned firearms can be used at Camp Karankawa.** Firearms are issued on a first come first serve basis.

Equipment check-out / check-in:

Check firearms out through the Camp Ranger. Inspect firearms prior to use for damages and safe operation. Firearms may require cleaning before use. Do not use a firearm if you feel it will not operate properly or is not safe.

Hearing protection, targets, ammunition and clay targets are available from Camp Karankawa. See firearm equipment price schedule.

Prior to check-in of equipment, all firearms must be unloaded, cleaned and oiled. Inspect firearms and note any damages to Camp Ranger. Return all firearm equipment to Camp Ranger. Fees for damages by your unit will be paid to the Ranger prior to your units departure from Camp Karankawa.

Payment Fee Schedule:

22 Ammunition	\$.03 per round
20 gage ammunition	\$.25 per round
Black Powder	\$.25 each
Black Powder Ball Ammunition	\$.25 each
Paper Targets	\$.05 each
Clay targets	\$.10 each
Rifle/Shotgun rental	\$ 5.00 per gun/per day

If ammunition is provided by the unit, it must be commercially manufactured (no reloads) and must be stored in a secured and locked location. It is not to be stored in the campsites. Arrangement can be made with the Camp Ranger for secured storage.

Policy Number: 2.7 b**Revision: None****Date: 9-20-97****ARCHERY EQUIPMENT POLICY**

Use of Archery equipment is available to Bay Area Council Units or organizations at Camp Karankawa under the supervision of a qualified person who has filed a certificate of qualifications with the Council Service Center at least two weeks prior to the event. **Only Council owned archery equipment can be used at the archery range with the exception of paper targets.** Units may bring their own paper targets. Equipment should be requested two weeks prior to the event on the Camp Reservation Form to the Council Service Center.

Available Archery Equipment :

Bows and strings

Arrows

- Target back stops
- Paper Targets

All equipment should be inspected at check-out for safety and damages. Do not use the archery equipment if you feel it will not operate properly or is not safe. Report any damages to the Camp Ranger. At equipment check-in, inspect equipment for new damages and report them to the Camp Ranger. Fees for new damages or loss of equipment will be paid prior to Unit departure from Camp Karankawa.

Policy Number: 2.7 c**Revision: None****Date: 9-20-97****CAMPING TOOLS EQUIPMENT POLICY**

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Camping tools are available to Bay Area Council Units and organizations for use in Camp Karankawa campsites or camp development projects. Requests for tools must be made on the Camp Reservation Form two weeks prior to event to the Council Service Center. Tools should be used under the supervision of a qualified individual. Scouts must have appropriated training on proper safety and tool use. Safety should always be considered first. Personal tools can be used with appropriate supervision. Tools will be issued on a first come first serve basis. Tools are checked-out/in through the Camp Ranger.

Available Camp Tools are:

Pointed long handle shovels

Bow saws

- Garden hose
- Square long handle shovels
- Army Shovels
- Grass slings

Tools must be cleaned before check in to the Camp Ranger. Any damages to Camping tools should be reported to the Camp Ranger and fees for damages paid prior to your unit departing Camp Karankawa.

Policy Number: 2.7 d

Revision: None

Date: 9-20-97

CANVAS TENT AND DINING FLY EQUIPMENT POLICY

Canvas Wall Tents and poles and Canvas Dining Fly's and poles are available to Bay Area Council Units or organizations for use at Camp Karankawa. Requests should be made to the Council Service Center on the Camp Reservation Form two weeks prior to the event. Tents and dining fly's are issued on a first come first serve basis.

The following check-out / check-in guidelines will be followed:

All canvas wall tents and dining fly's will be inspected for proper ropes, canvas damages or tears at equipment check-out by requesting unit.. Poles will be inspected for metal spikes and damages. Report all damages to the Camp Ranger. Sufficient tent stakes will be issued and counted.

Tents and dining fly's will be used in a proper manner - **NO FIRES** will be permitted in or under any canvas.

Prior to tent or dining fly check-in, tents or dining fly's will be inspected for any damages or tears and reported to the Camp Ranger. Any new damages will be paid for by Unit or organization prior to Camp Karankawa departure.

If tents or dining fly's are dry, they will be folded and returned with poles and stakes to the Camp Ranger. If tents are wet, they will be returned with poles and stakes to the Camp Ranger so they can be hung or spread out flat for drying.

Policy Number: 2.7 e

Revision: None

Date: 9-20-97

CAMP OUTDOOR COOKING EQUIPMENT POLICY

Use of Camp Outdoor Cooking Equipment is available to Bay Area Council Units and organizations for activities held at Camp Karankawa. Requests for cooking equipment should be made two weeks prior to the event on the Camp Reservation form to the Council Service Center.

Available Camp Cooking Equipment:

Dutch ovens

Complete cook kits (pots, pans, plates etc.)

Cooking utensils

Cooking equipment is checked-out through the Camp Ranger. All cooking equipment should be inspected and counted at check-out and checked-in clean. Any damages or losses will be reported to the Camp Ranger and paid for prior to your Units departure from Camp Karankawa. Current National Boy Scout Catalogue prices will be used for replacements.

Policy Number: 2.7 f

Revision: None

Date: 9-20-97

CANOES AND TRAILER EQUIPMENT POLICY

Use of Camp Karankawa canoes and trailer are available to Bay Area Council Units and organizations. Out-of-council units can use canoes at Camp Karankawa, but cannot rent canoes for canoeing activities away from Camp Karankawa. Reservations should be made with the Council Service Center on the Camp Reservation form two weeks prior to the event. Fees will be charged to Bay Area Council Units for canoeing activities away from Camp Karankawa. B.S.A. "Safety Afloat" requirements must be followed. Canoes and trailer are checked-out through the Camp Ranger. Canoes will be inspected by the unit for damages prior to check-out and before check-in. Report any damages to the Camp Ranger. Fees for new damages at check-in will be paid prior to Camp Karankawa departure. Canoes and trailer will be checked-in with the Camp Ranger.

Fees for use of canoes:

In and out-of-council troops will not be charged for canoe use on council property.

\$10.00 per Canoe for each 24-hour period or portion thereof for canoes used on "White Water" Canoe trips.
(Maximum charge \$30.00 per Canoe.)

\$5.00 per Canoe for each 24-hour period or portion thereof for canoes used on "Still Water" lakes or slow moving stream canoe trips. (Maximum charge \$15.00 per Canoe.)

Units will pay for the replacement of lost paddles and/or life jackets.

A canoe trailer will be provided at no additional charge when three or more canoes are rented for a 24-hour period. Otherwise, the charge will be \$25.00 per trip.

Each unit assumes full responsibility for the proper care and handling of equipment.
Out-of-council units cannot rent canoes for use off council camp property.

Policy Number: 2.7 g**Revision: None****Date: 9-20-97****ROW BOAT EQUIPMENT POLICY**

Use of Camp Karankawa Row boats are available to Bay Area Council Units and organizations for Camp Karankawa activities. Requests should be made to the council Service Center on the Camp Reservation form two weeks prior to the event. Equipment is checked out through the Camp Ranger. Row boats should be inspected for damages and safety prior to check-out and before check-in. Report any new damages to the Camp Ranger. Fees for new damages, lost paddles or life jackets will be paid prior to Camp Karankawa departure. Row boats can only be used on Camp Karankawa council property and there is no fee.

All Scouts and Scouters must pass the swimmers test (Youth & Adults). National B.S.A. "Safety Afloat" requirements must be followed.

Policy Number: 2.7 h**Revision: None****Date: 9-20-97****RAPPELLING TOWER POLICY**

~~Use of the Rappelling Tower and associated rappelling equipment is available to Bay Area Council Units and organizations at Camp Karankawa who provide certified supervision for the event. The Rappelling Tower and Equipment should be requested two weeks prior to the event on the Camp Reservation form to the Council Service Center. A copy of the certificate of qualification must be filed with your Camp Reservation Form two weeks prior to the event.~~

~~Always follow all safety guidelines when using any part of the Rappelling Tower. Rappelling Tower equipment is issued to a Council Certified Tower Master on a first come first serve basis. Only Council rappelling equipment can be used at Camp Karankawa.~~

~~Equipment is checked out and checked in through the Camp Ranger. All equipment should be inspected at check-out for safe operation and damages. Report any damages to the Camp Ranger prior to use. Do not use any rappelling equipment that you feel is defective, will not operate properly, or is not safe.~~

~~Inspect all rappelling equipment prior to check in and report any new damages to the Camp Ranger. Fees for new damages or loss of equipment will be paid prior to Unit departure from Camp Karankawa. Fees will be based on current equipment prices.~~

CAMP RESERVATION AND CONFIRMATION FORMS

CAMP KARANKAWA
BOY SCOUT
 Short Term Camp Reservation

Unit Leader: _____ Date: _____

We are happy you have chosen Camp Karankawa as your short term camping option. Please read and fill out your reservation completely. If you have any questions please refer to the Camp Policies Booklet or feel free to phone or FAX the Bay Area Council Office in Galveston, Texas at: Phone - 409-744-5206 FAX -409-744-7850

Unit: _____ No. _____ District: _____

Council: _____ Campsite Leader: _____

Address: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Date in camp: _____ Time of arrival: _____

Departure date: _____ Time of departure: _____

Check the facilities you wish to reserve:

FACILITIES

- ___ 1. Archery Range
- ___ 2. Rifle Range
- ___ 3. Shotgun Range
- ___ 4. Council Ring
- ___ 5. Lake
- ___ 6. Nature Area/Trail
- ___ 7. Pavilion
- ___ 8. Pool/Showers
- ___ 9. Rappelling Tower
- ___ 10. Chapel
- ___ 11. Water Front
- ___ 12. Training Lodge

CAMPSITES

- ___ 1. Tejas
- ___ 2. Arapaho
- ___ 3. Caddo
- ___ 4. Caushatta
- ___ 5. Osage
- ___ 6. Crow
- ___ 7. Pawnee
- ___ 8. Quapaw
- ___ 9. Tonkawa
- ___ 10. Ponca

EQUIPMENT

- ___ 1. ___Tents ___ Dining Fly's
- ___ 2. Campsite Cooking Equip.
- ___ 3. ___ Canoes and Trailer
- ___ 4. ___ Row boats
- ___ 5. Rifles/Shotguns/Black powder
- ___ 6. Rappelling Equipment
- ___ 7. Archery Equipment
- ___ 8. Kitchen Equipment
- ___ 9. Tools

CONSERVATION PROJECT

- ___ Yes
- ___ No
- Description: _____
- _____
- _____

Camp Maintenance Project

- ___ Yes
- ___ No
- Description: _____
- _____
- _____

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The following camp facilities require the user supply certain certifications in order to use these facilities. You must do this by fax or mail with this application. Please be prepared to supply this information when asked by the Campmaster/Ranger upon check-in.

- Archery Range - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Lake - Must follow Safe Swim Defense and/or Safety Afloat guidelines.
- Pool - Must follow Safe Swim Defense guidelines.
- Repelling Tower - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Rifle Range - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Shotgun Range - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Training Lodge - Must follow Camp Karankawa Policies Manual.
- Water Front - Must follow Safe Swim Defense and/or Safety Afloat guidelines.

* Refer to BSA Guide to Safe Scouting (#34411) for details.

Misc. needs: _____

I agree to abide by the Scout Oath, Scout Law, the Outdoor Code and the rules of the camp.

Signature: _____

CAMPSITE LEADER

Please mail our camp Confirmation and Permit form to:

_____ the individual listed on the front.

Or

Name: _____

Address: _____

State/Zip: _____

Position: _____

CAMP KARANKAWA
CUB SCOUT
Short Term Camp Reservation

Unit Leader: Date:_____

We are happy you have chosen Camp Karankawa as your short term camping option. Please read and fill out your reservation completely. If you have any questions please refer to the Camp Policies Booklet or feel free to phone or FAX the Bay Area Council Office in Galveston, Texas at: Phone - 409-744-5206 FAX -409-744-7850.

Unit: Pack_____ No._____ District: _____

Council:_____ Campsite Leader:_____

Address:_____ State:_____ Zip:_____

Date in camp:_____ Time of arrival:_____

Departure date:_____ Time of departure:_____

Will you need a conservation project? Yes_____ No_____

Check facilities you wish to reserve:

CAMPSITES

- 1. "C"
2. "D"
3. "E"
4. "F"

CUB FRONTIER FACILITIES

- 1. Fort
2. Obstacle Course Area
3. Parking Lot
4. Pavilion

EQUIPMENT

- 1. Camping Cooking Equipment
2. _____ Tents

The following camp facilities require that the user supply certain certifications in order to use these facilities. You must do this by fax or mail with this application. Please be prepared to supply this information when asked by the Campmaster/Ranger upon check-in.

Misc. needs:

I agree to abide by the Cub Scout Promise, Scout Law, the Outdoor Code, and the rules of the camp.

Signature:_____

CAMPSITE LEADER

Please mail our camp Confirmation and Permit form to:

_____ The individual listed on the front.

or

Name: _____

Address: _____

State/Zip: _____

Position: _____

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CAMP KARANKAWA
DISTRICT COUNCIL
Short Term Camp Reservation

Event Leader: _____ Date: _____

We are happy you have chosen Camp Karankawa as your short term camping option. Please read and fill out your reservation completely. If you have any questions please refer to the Camp Policies Brochure or feel free to call or FAX the Bay Area Council Office in Galveston, Texas at:

Phone - 409-744-5206 FAX 409-744-7850

Name of event: _____

Council: _____ District: _____ Leader Filing: _____

Address: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Date in camp: _____ Time of arrival: _____

Departure date: _____ Time of departure: _____

Will you need a conservation project? Yes _____ No _____

Check Facilities you wish to reserve:

CAMP FACILITIES

- ___ 1. Archery Range
- ___ 2. Rifle Range
- ___ 3. Rappelling Tower
- ___ 4. Chapel
- ___ 5. Commissioner Cabins
- ___ 6. Council Ring
- ___ Lights
- ___ P.A.
- ___ 7. Dining Hall/kitchen
- ___ 8. Health Lodge
- ___ 9. Horsemanship Area
- ___ 10. Lake
- ___ 11. Leaders Lodge
- ___ 12. Nature Area/Trail
- ___ 13. O.A. Lodge Home/Ring
- ___ 14. Pavilion
- ___ 15. Pool\Showers

- ___ 18. Shotgun Range
- ___ 19. Water Front
- ___ 20. Training Lodge

BOY SCOUT CAMPSITES

- ___ 1. Tejas
- ___ 2. Arapaho
- ___ 3. Caddo
- ___ 4. Caushatta
- ___ 5. Osage
- ___ 6. Crow
- ___ 7. Pawnee
- ___ 8. Quapaw
- ___ 9. Tonkawa
- ___ 10. Ponca

CUB FRONTIER FACILITIES

- ___ 1. Fort
- ___ 2. Obstacle Course Area
- ___ 3. Parking Lot
- ___ 4. Pavilion

CUB SCOUT CAMPSITES

- ___ 1. "C"
- ___ 2. "D"
- ___ 3. "E"
- ___ 4. "F"

EQUIPMENT

- ___ 1. ___Tents ___Dining Fly
- ___ 2. Camp Cooking Equipment
- ___ 3. ___Canoes and Trailer
- ___ 4. ___Row boats
- ___ 5. Rifles/Shotguns/Black powder
- ___ 6. Rappelling Equipment
- ___ 7. Archery Equipment
- ___ 8. Kitchen Equipment
- ___ 9. Tools

The following camp facilities require the user supply certain certifications in order to use these facilities. You must do this by fax or mail with this application. Please be prepared to supply this information when asked by the Campmaster/Ranger upon check-in.

- Archery Range - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Health Lodge - First Aid Certification
- Lake - Must follow Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat guidelines.
- Pool - Must follow Safe Swim Defense and Camp K guidelines.
- Repelling Tower - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Rifle Range - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Shotgun Range - Certified instructor per camp and national policy.
- Water Front - Must follow Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat guidelines.

You may reference BSA Guide to Safe Scouting (#34411) for details.

I agree to abide by the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and the Outdoor Code and the rules of the camp.

Signed: _____

CAMPSITE LEADER

Please mail our camp Confirmation and Permit form to:

_____ The individual listed on the front.

or

Name: _____

Address: _____

State/Zip: _____

Position: _____

CAMP KARANKAWA
Short Term Camp Reservation
CONFIRMATION AND PERMIT

Troop Leader:

We are happy you have chosen Camp Karankawa as your short term camping option. If you have any questions please refer to the Camp Policies Booklet or feel free to call the Bay Area Council Office in Galveston, Texas at: 409-744-5206

"You must present this form upon your arrival at camp."

Unit: _____ No. _____ District: _____

Council: _____ Campsite Leader: _____

Address: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Date in camp: _____ Time of arrival: _____

Departure date: _____ Time of departure: _____

Number of: Cub Scouts _____ Boy Scouts: _____

Explorers _____ Adults _____ Total _____

Your request for a conservation project is confirmed. Check with Ranger or Campmaster upon arrival.

Describe program planned for your units in camp:

Date of request: _____ Date received at Council Office: _____

Prepared by: _____ (council office use)

FACILITIES APPROVED

CAMPSITES APPROVED

Boy Scout:

__ 1 __ 2 __ 3 __ 4 __ 5 __ 6 __ 7 __ 8 __ 9 __ 10

Cub Scout:

__ C __ D __ E __ F __

EQUIPMENT APPROVED

(See reverse side.)

SHORT TERM CAMP ROSTER

Please read and fill out your CONFIRMATION AND PERMIT completely.

Unit # _____

PLEASE PRINT NAMES

- | | |
|-----------|-----------|
| 1. _____ | 21. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 22. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 23. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 24. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 26. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 27. _____ |
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| 20. _____ | |

Adults

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| 1. _____ |
| 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ |
| 5. _____ |

Camp Ranger or Campmasters comments: