

CHRISTMAS ON THE CHISHOLM TRAIL 2012

LEADER'S GUIDE

Date: December 14-16, 2012

Location: John Nichols Scout Ranch, Oklahoma City

Who: Venturing Crews and Patrols, Ships, and Teams *ages 13, out of the 8th grade are eligible to attend. All Scouts must be with a unit or assigned to one.

Registration Fee: \$10.00 per participant. *LFC registration at council office or online at:

<http://www.lastfrontiercouncil.org/event/1247506>

Activities: **Friday Night** - Crockpot potluck dinner and Ethics forum

Saturday - Conservation, Cooking, Outdoor Living history, Digital Photography, Shooting Sports, Chuck wagon Dinner, Melodrama, Gift Exchange (\$5 max), Christmas General Store, and Woodcrafts.

Sunday - ILSC Training,

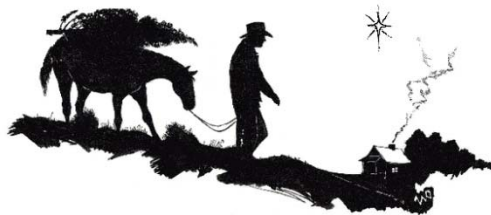
CPR and First Aid (will be a nominal fee)

For Event Information contact: Rhonda Rodericks okiered@earthlink.net, 405-632-0525

Check-In will begin at 5 pm on Friday Dec 14th. Check in at the Program office, must have health forms.* Food items can be dropped off at that time. Campsites will be assigned at that time. *BSA Annual Medical Forms parts A and C.

Crews should bring food for communal meals. See Grub and Gear list.

It is important to provide contact information for crew officers so that we can help them know what the crews will be doing and what they will need to know.



Event T-shirts are available for preorder with registration. Cost is \$10.00/\$20 for hoodie.

Each Crew is invited to create items for sale in the Christmas General Store. Some suggestions: small Scouting items, crafts, perishables, etc.

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Crew Gear and Grub list:

Each Crew needs to bring the following food for the event.

Item	Quantity	Description	Location	Person responsible
Crock pot of soup, chili, etc. for potluck Fri. night	1	You choose, if the items requires something with it (cheese, onions, crackers, etc. please bring that too)	Drop off when you register at program office. Dinner will be at Eagle Lodge	
Cans of soup (Saturday lunch)	Each participant (adult and youth) will need to bring 1 can.	Chicken or beef based only. No cream or tomato based soups	Drop at registration	
Crackers (Saturday lunch)	1 box for every 10 participants in your group	Any type you like!	Drop at registration	
Cookies (Cracker Barrel)	2 bags or 2 dozen homemade	Any type you like!	Drop at registration	
Chips (Sunday Lunch)	2 bags per unit	Any type you like!	Drop at Registration	
Dip	1 container or recipe	Any type you like!	Drop at registration	
Pies (Saturday evening Chuck wagon dinner)	2	We prefer homemade, if possible.	Drop at Registration	
Baked goodies	?	If you would like to bring some holiday treats to share we would love it.	Drop at registration	
Breakfast Casseroles	1 minimum	We need more. If you can do a couple please let Rhonda Rodericks know. okiered@earthlink.net	Drop at registration	

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S Crew Gear:

Item	Quantity	Description	
Items to sell at general store	?	If your crew would like to submit items to put into the general store to sell as a crew fundraiser you will need to submit a money earning form to your District Executive.	Suggestions: small scout items, homemade gifts, candies, etc. Our guests for the Chuckwagon dinner will have the opportunity to shop in the general store.
Tents		Your crew will determine tenting arrangements	
Stakes			
Hammers			
Shovels	1 per crew	Needed for Dutchoven cooking and for conservation project	
Dutch ovens	Please let us know how many you can bring to help with the chuckwagon dinner	*please tag with your unit number. Both the lid and the pot	
Propane, tree, lantern	1 for campsite		
Christmas Decorations	*optional if you want to	Spruce up your site!	

Personal Gear:

***in addition to your other camping/personal gear.**

Western clothing	Saturday chuckwagon dinner and dance	*3rd yr. must have "western costumes"
Work gloves	Conservation project	*first yr. participants
Digital camera	Digital Photography class	*second yr. participants
Venturing handbooks	To sign off requirements	
Mugs	Make sure to bring a carabineer	
winter weather clothing	*be prepared you will be outside most of the time.	
Cash	If you want to purchase items from the general store you will need some cash.	

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Christmas on the Chisholm Trail Personal Equipment List

X	Item	Notes
	Clothing	Warm layers *no cotton!
	Socks	*wool is best
	Shoes/boots	Need 2 pairs
	Warm Hat	
	Mittens/gloves	
	Coat/jacket	
	Rain Gear	
	Thermals	
	Notebook/pen	
	Mug	You will need your own.
	Outdoor living History report	*2000 words or an outline about the Chisholm Trail
	Work gloves	For conservation project
	Work clothes	For conservation project
	Western Clothing for Saturday evenings events.	*We will be playing role of ranch hands for the Chuck wagon dinner and hosting for our guests.
	Toiletries	Bath house will Not be available, sponge baths only.
	Venturing book or requirements list	You will be responsible for getting your requirements signed off by your unit leaders.
	Ground cloth	
	Ground pads	
	Sleeping bags	
	Pillow	
	Stocking cap to sleep in	
	Camp Chair	
	Flashlight or headlamp	
	Pocket knife, woodcarving kits	* first year participants will be carving wooden spoons.
	Medications	*must list on your health forms
	Digital camera	* second year participants will be taking a digital photography workshop. You may share if you do not own one.