

## Troop 280 Summer Camp Parent Information

Location: Sid Richardson Scout Ranch, Bridgeport TX

Information available at [www.longhorncouncil.org/summercamp](http://www.longhorncouncil.org/summercamp)

Leave: 10:30AM Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> from Marcus HS parking lot

Return: 1:00PM Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at the Marcus HS parking lot

Be sure to wear class A uniforms for the trip

Have footlocker packed and ready to go on Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup> (7:30PM at Marcus)

Bring it to the troop meeting and we will put it in the trailer

What to pack:

- Scout Uniform
  - clothes hanger (optional)
- Shoes, 2 pair
- Handkerchiefs
- Underwear (5-7)
- Jeans and shorts, at least 2 pair
- Towels
- T-shirts, at least 3 (1 long sleeve shirt)
- Socks, at least 6 pair
- Notebook and pencil
- Swimsuit
- Cup
- Canteen / Nalgene
- Pocket knife (**NOT** a sheath knife)
  - Scout must have earned his Totem Chit to carry a knife
- Bedding, pillow, and ground cloth
- Mosquito Netting (optional)
- Flashlight
- Scout Handbook
- Jacket or sweatshirt
- Raincoat or poncho
- Toilet articles
  - Sunscreen and insect spray
- Daypack
- Boots that lace above the ankles
- Cot
- Camp chair
- Battery operated tent fan (optional)
  - Extra batteries

What **NOT** to pack or bring

- Cell phones
- Open toed sandals or shoes
- Electronic items
- Fireworks
- Sheath knives

Other items:

- **Health forms – needed ASAP (by June 18<sup>th</sup> at latest)**
- Medicine should be placed in a labeled ziplock bag in the original container with instructions.
- Contacting the troop during camp for emergencies: Jim McKiel at 214-236-6416.
- Mail for the scouts:
  - Mark on outside of envelope day you would like it given to the scout
  - Give to Jim McKiel Sunday morning prior to departure
- Money (and keys/combos to foot locker – given to scoutmaster before leaving)
  - Needed for some merit badge material
  - Optional for trading post
- Parents day - Friday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>. Contact Jim McKiel by June 28<sup>th</sup> if interested