

#### **RRSR Activity Opportunities:**

# **CAMPING**::

1. Rustic camping 2. Established Site Camping 3. RV Camping

### **ACITIVITIES:**

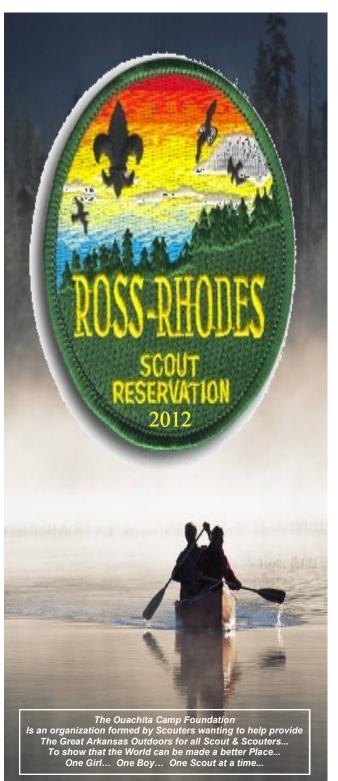
- 1. Hiking trails 2. Canoe Trails 3. Backpacking Trails
- 4. Swimming 5. Water Skiing 6. Sailing
- 7. Snorkeling 8. Scuba Diving 9. Fishing
- 10. Frisbee Golf 11. Climbing wall 12. Shooting Area
- 13. Pavilions / Class Rooms
  - 14. Outdoor chapel
- 15. Parade field / Activity areas 16. Ampatheater Camp Fire Ring
- 17. Mountain Biking 11mile course (Bring own Bike)
- 18. Geo- cashing 19. Climbing walls 20. Volley Ball 21. Basketball
- 22. Horseshoes

Some equipment is not available this year but we are working with the Scouting Spirit ... More equipment & Scouting Programs will be forth coming. Please look for our Newsletters and e-mail information. Be ready to be a part of something special...Be apart of the Scouting Spirit in a place called Arkansas...

This is the special place everyone in Scouting has been talking about... The Ross Rhodes Scout Reservation

## Camp Fee & Deposit List

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	Scouter Fee	Non Scouter Fee
Traditional Camp site	Free/Service Project	\$10
Wilderness Camp site	Free/Service Project	\$5
Cub Cabe Outpost	\$20	\$25
Cub Cabe Outpost Camp sites	Free/Service Project	\$10
RV Camp site	\$20	\$20
Pavilion 1	\$20	\$30
Pavilion 2	\$20	\$30
Training Center	\$20	\$45
Chapel	Free	\$45*
Ampatheater	Free	Free
Swim Area	Free	Free
Power Boat Launch	\$2	\$3
Climbing Wall * Price for Wedding use	Free	Free



# Ross Rhodes Scout Reservation

The Ross-Rhodes Scout Reservation, a 16,000 + acre camp on beautiful Lake DeGray, located in Bismarck, Arkansas near Arkadelphia. The property is operated by the Ouachita Camp Foundation, in partnership with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Ross Foundation. The camp facilities are provided to bring the opportunities of the outdoor program of the Boy Scouts of America to the youth of the Quapaw Area Council and the world!



We also offer the use of the camp facilities for other organizations as scheduling permits.

This beautiful Arkansas Scouting resource is something that we want to share with our community. At our camp we have Scouting events, Church events, High School Band events, family reunions and Weddings. The lake side outdoor Chapel with blue water, flowing green trees and rays of sunshine or moon light is a sight to behold!



The beautiful Arkansas outdoors...the lush green forest, the rolling mountain ranges, the fresh clean clear waterways and lakes, the fishing, the wild life... Nature in all of its glory is here at our camp for you and your scouts! Come and join us at Ross Rhodes Scout Reservation... for the Scouting adventure that will leave you wanting more...



## Registration:

- \*1. Scouting Units call the Ouachita Camp Foundation Registration Center at 501-868-1252.
- \*2. Provide contact name, unit position, phone #, cell#, & address.
- \*3. Provide unit #, council name, district name.
- \*4. Tell how many scouts and Scouters will attend.
- \*5. Tell what activities unit is intending to do at the camp.
- \*6. Tell what camp site and what date your unit wants.
- \*7. Registered units (packs, troops, posts, crews & Scouters) of the BSA will file a copy of their Local Tour Permit with the OCF Registration Center.



- \*1. Non Scouts call the Ouachita Camp Foundation Registration Center at 501-868-1252.
- \*2. Provide contact name, unit position, phone #, cell#, and address.
- \*3. Provide Organization name.
- \*4. Tell how many Campers will attend (can be an estimate)
- \*5. Tell what activities Campers are intending to do at the camp
- \*6. Tell the Registrar what camp site and what date your unit wishes to attend



## Check-in:

- \*1. All campers must stop at the Camp Rangers Cabin to check-in no matter the time! If for any reason you are not arriving on the time your unit set with the Registration Center you must call the camp Ranger to reconfirm an arrival time.
- \*2. At check-in, a list of the names of all youth & adults (regardless of BSA registration status) must be filed at the Camp Rangers house. This will allow the location of campers in case of emergencies.
- \*3. The Camp Ranger or Staff will reconfirm camp site, provide Maps and camp information and help direct you to you campsite. Be sure to ask any question... If you need the Camp Ranger call 501-865-2328



### Check-out:

- \*1. Call or visit Camp Ranger or Staff for camp or facility Check-out inspection.
- \*2. Take trash to camp dumpster in camp parking lot. Be sure dumpster doors are closed!

  (Help keep America Beautiful)
- \*3. Have a safe trip home! See you on the Scouting Trail soon!

Reservations: 501-868-1252

OuachitaCampFoundation.com

# General RRSR Camp Rules:

- \*1. Every BSA unit with youth members present must have two adult leaders, age 21 or older.
- \*2. All unit camping in the improved area of RRSR will be in established campsites only. Unit must camp in only the assigned camp site...Ranger enforced.
- \*3. Use of pavilions for camping is prohibited. Pavilions RSVP
- \*4. Unit low impact/no trace camping in wilderness areas allowed only if arranged with OCF Registration Center & camping is allowed only in area assigned.
- \*5. If there is to be any waterfront activity, the Safe Swim Defense & Safety Afloat procedures must be followed. Swimming is permitted at the beach area only. Campers, there is no life guards present at the camp, swimming or water activities are at own risk. Please use Coast Guard approved flotation devices for water activities. These are not provided.
- \*6. Fishing is allowed along the shore line but not in the Swimming Area or in posted areas. Observe all state laws.
- \*7. Camp improvements and conservation projects may be done only with the prior approval of the Camp Ranger from the RRSR List.
- \*8. Low environmental impact camping practices
- \*9. Each unit must provide its own containers for garbage and trash and will be responsible for removing them to the camp dumpster in the camp parking lot at the completion of camp.
- \*10. No liquid fuel used to start or accelerate any open fire.
- \*11. The use of ground fires for cooking is to be confined to fire rings in each campsite. An adequate number of filled water buckets are required. Plastic, Styrofoam, glass & aluminum products are not to be placed in any fire.
- \*12. Liquid fuel devices may be used for cooking under adult supervision of a unit leader.
- \*13. No flames, fires or liquid fuel lights may be in any tent.
- \*14. No standing tree may be cut for any purpose without prior Camp Ranger permission.
- \*15. The presence and use of any of the following is Strictly Prohibited: alcohol, illegal drugs, firearms, fireworks, off-road vehicles, and pets.
- \*16. The use of tobacco products in any form is discouraged & is prohibited in any building, or tent, whether owned by the individual, unit or the OCF. Tobacco product use is also prohibited in the company of scouts.
- \*17. Each unit is responsible for any damage caused to camp property that could reasonably attributed to the actions of members of the unit or its guests. Each unit agrees to promptly reimburse the OCF for any reasonable damage claims presented. Any damage observed should be promptly reported to the Camp Ranger or Staff.
- \*20. Any materials used or posted during activities must be removed immediately following activities.
- \*21. Any emergency situation (fire, medical, police) is to be promptly reported by the unit leader to the appropriate emergency agency and to RRSR Ranger immediately.

HS County Sheriff 332-367 Bismarck Fire Dept 865-3636 Bismarck Ambulance 1-800-245-9801 OCF 501-868-1252 Corps Ranger 246-5503 RRSR Ranger 501-865-2328

- \*22. All vehicles must be parked in designated parking area only. Troop trailers only maybe parked on road by camp site path. After unloading all vehicles must return to the parking lot.. Speed limit <5MPH... Yield to all Campers!</p>
- \*23. Kitchen, Pavilions, Weyerhaeuser Training Center, Cabe Outpost, Climbing Wall, Waterfront Swim Area, Ampatheater, RV Camp Pads & Wilderness Camping use is restricted & governed by OCF & RRSR Policies & Regulations located in the OCF RRSR web site.

Ross-Rhodes Scout Reservation Camp Use Policy 2/2012

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>The use of the RRSR facility must conform to the rules & regulations of the Ouachita Camp Foundation, Boy Scouts of America and the Corps of Engineers.

