

Canoe Rental Agreement

- 1. Reservations must be made online one (1) week or 7 days prior to activity as they are first come, first serve. One trailer with 6 canoes can be rented from and picked up at McGimsey Scout Park. Two additional trailers are available for rental through Bear Creek Scout Reservation and must be picked up from BCSR. Council cannot ferry canoes to your pick up location. You will be contacted if there is a scheduling problem.
- 2. Canoes are rented only in full loads of 6 canoes per trailer, 12 paddles, and 12 PFD's. No partial loads or single rentals.
- 3. Readiness fee (non-refundable) of \$100.00 will be deducted from your fee if you do not pick up canoes as indicated.
- 4. Cost is \$120 per trailer load per day plus a \$100 refundable deposit/booking fee per trailer at the time of reservation. All fees must be paid online at time of reservation and proof of payment must be presented to Ranger at time of pick-up. If using canoes on camp at Bear Creek rental fee is \$120 per trailer load per day plus a refundable \$100 deposit/booking fee.
- 5. The BSA Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat guidelines must be followed. A Float Plan should be left with a person not attending your outing and their name should appear on the float plan located in the documents section and emailed to Matthew.Rodriguez@Scouting.org. A FLOAT PLAN AND TOUR PERMIT MUST ALSO BE FILED WITH ALAMO AREA COUNCIL PRIOR TO YOUR OUTING. Exact itinerary (including launch points, stops, estimated travel time, breaks, etc.) must be submitted with reservation.
- 6. One leader must be CPR certified and one leader or older Scout must be BSA Lifeguard certified.
- 7. ALL ABOVE MENTIONED CERTIFICATION CARDS MUST BE CURRENT AND PRESENTED TO THE OUTDOOR CAMPING EXECUTIVE ATLEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE CANOES BEING CHECKED OUT.
- 8. The towing vehicle should be equipped with a 2" ball and 4-wire flat trailer light connector. The individual towing the canoes is responsible for proper and safe towing of trailer.
- 9. If the canoes are dropped off past your check-out time, the party will be charged for an additional day of use (additional fee \$120). Please be mindful that canoes may be rented out by another unit or group immediately following your rental period.

