

D-bar-A Scout Ranch Camp Code of Conduct

Please share with those in your unit and post at your campsite.

NO gambling. Alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, pets, fireworks, firearms, sling shots, paint ball guns, bows and arrows, and other propellant devices are NOT permitted in our camp.

Knives, hatchets, axes and saws are only to be used as prescribed in the Guide to Safe Scouting. Practice Leave No Trace and do not cut any tree that is not dead and down.

Be a good neighbor. Unless you receive an invitation to enter, stay out of all other building and campsites.

Campers should be in their site and quiet between the hours of 11pm and 7am.

Scouts and leaders departing from the Ranch should check out with the Unit Leader in charge. Youth should only leave with parent/guardian or someone who has been authorized in writing by the parent/guardian to transport the youth. It is the responsibility of the Unit Leader to manage this.

The Camp Masters and Ranch Staff will assist you in any way they can and also answer any questions you might have regarding your stay in camp.

Vehicle Policy

Camping is an outdoor sport! Boy Scout camps are meant to be "walking camps".

- When you must drive obey the **10MPH** speed limit.
- Back of trucks, trailers, and the outside of vehicles are **NOT** to be used to transport people.
- Parking is in designated areas only. A maximum number of vehicles are assigned to each site. All additional vehicles need to be parked at established overflow parking areas. Do not park along the road or on any dam. Our roads are designated fire lanes and must be free of parked vehicles.

Smoking Policy

There is **NO** smoking in any camp building. Smoking is permitted by individuals 18 years and older in the campsite fire rings only, provided no youth are in the area.

Fire Policy

- Campfires and cooking fires **MUST** be in established fire areas only. When finished extinguish completely.
- **NO** liquid fuels can be used for fire starting. Equipment requiring liquid fuels or propane may be used under adult supervision only.

Horseback Riding

Horseback riding is only fun if it is done safely. Horses are normally quiet animals. Loud sounds, sudden movements, and hitting a horse can cause the animal to run, kick, shy away, and possibly injure you or another person.

- No one may enter the corral or barns without permission of a wrangler.
- All rules and instructions given by a wrangler must be followed.
- Helmets, long pants, and closed toed/heel shoes are required (no loose clothing).
- Ponchos should have a belt around the middle.
- No canteens or sheath knives may be taken.
- No one under the age of 10 may participate in a trail ride
- Maximum weight for horseback riding is 250lbs
- For your safety, the wranglers have final say in determining who may not ride for physical or other reasons.

Cabin Policies

- Bunks are for sleeping. One person per bunk. No jumping or playing on bunks.
- Do not tamper with the fire alarms systems. You may reset the alarm after clearing any smoke. If problems persist with the system, contact the Camp Masters.

Waterfront Policies

- No unauthorized swimming or boating activities are allowed.
- No fishing allowed in the swimming areas.