

Camp Chawanakee Family Campsite Guidelines

*KEEP THIS INFORMATION FOR YOUR EASY REFERENCE

In order for Camp Chawanakee's Family Camp to be enjoyed by all a few guidelines have been set by camp management. By signing the front of this form, you state that you have read and understood these rules.

Please call (559) 320-2100 for further information.

Camp Uses: The use of the basic Camp Chawanakee program areas in the scout portion of camp, the observation of special events, campfires and programs are not available to Family Camp participants unless prior arrangements are made with the Council Program Director, Mike Gerardi at least 24 hours in advance. All persons wishing to use the regular waterfront must have a physical form, signed within the last year by a licensed physician. It is understood that Scout troops in the regular camp are our first priority.

Reservations: Reservations for family camp must be made through the Fresno Service Center at least ten days before arrival at camp. The Fresno Scout Service Center phone number is (559) 320-2100.

Fees: Family Camp fees include the use of the reserves site, a private shower, and restroom facility. Water is available for cooking and drinking. Electricity is provided in RV sites and Wall Tents only. **All fees are due with this application.**

Refund Policy: Request for refunds must be submitted in writing to the Fresno Service Center a minimum of two weeks prior to your arrival at Family Camp. **All Fees are non-refundable.**

Occupancy: Occupancy is limited to one week during camp operation. Check out time is 11:00 A.M. on the last day of stay, and arrival is permitted anytime after 12:00 noon. Limit per site is 6 persons per night. A charge of \$10 per day will be made for each person over the six-person limit. **A maximum of two vehicles per site is permitted. Additional vehicles will be charge \$25 per day.**

Meals: Meals may be prepared in the campsite. Purchased meals are not available.

Vehicles: B.S.A. and Camp Chawanakee policy forbid passengers from riding in the back of trucks or trailers. Use of motorcycles in the camp area is not permitted. Motorcycles may be quietly driven out of the camp to the main road. **ATV use is strictly prohibited in any area of Camp Chawanakee.**

Bathrooms & Showers: Shower time is limited to five minutes in order to meet the needs of all family campers and allow the water heaters to maintain water temperature.

Equipment: One table is set aside for each campsite. Campers in Wall Tents are also provided with cots and mattresses. Do not remove any equipment from your campsite without the permission of the Family Camp host.

Beach Use:

1. Motorboats are to be beached in the grass area only.
2. Family Camp Cove is reserved for swimming, fishing (must have fishing license) and canoeing.
3. Boats traversing the area must obey the posted 5-mile an hour speed limit. The Fresno County Sheriff's Department enforces this.
4. Water-Skiing may be done beyond the posted cover area.
5. **No lifeguards are on duty-Use of the water is at your own risk.**

****Please Note**

No alcoholic beverages and, or non-prescription drugs.
 No firearms and, or fireworks.
 No pets (guide dogs excepted).
 Some tent platforms used in the past are no longer available.
 All reservations are on a first come-first serve basic.

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www.seqbsa.org