

North Texas Royal Rangers Family Days Camp



Take My Yoke Upon You

Sponsored by the
North Texas Shawnee Trail Chapter
of the
Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship
October 17-19, 2025

2025 FAMILY DAYS CAMP

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The Shawnee Trail chapter of Frontiersman Camping Fellowship (FCF), brings forth the 2025 version of the Family Days Camp, October 17-19, 2025, at the Royal Rangers Camp at Lakeview in Maypearl, Texas.

“TAKE MY YOKE UPON YOU”

The theme for camp this year is based on Matthew 11: 29-30: “Take my yoke upon you.” If you find yourself “heavy laden” and “burdened” by life, come and hear how Jesus can help you “unload.”

Our beloved brother, Pastor Mike “Running Turtle” Eddy, is our very special speaker. Come and hear Pastor Mike present the word to us all in the beautiful setting of the great outdoors. Also, for the first time ever, services on Saturday night and Sunday morning will take place in the Shawnee Trail Blacksmith Shop. Be present for these first ever services in the building FCF paid for through all of your donations over the years.

The talented and loved singer of songs, Brother Ken “Coal” Harris will lead us in worship. Brother Ken is a wonderful musician and more than a friend to all of us.

Family Days Camp is open to all family members and friends and to anyone who feels the call to go out camping in a Christian environment. This being said, if someone wants to camp out and they don’t possess a pioneer-style tent, there will be plenty of room for modern tents in a designated area.

The Royal Rangers Camp has fantastic amenities for all who attend the camp. For all women attendees the Ollie Henley Lodge is available. The Lodge has all the comforts of home with indoor sleeping, indoor toilets, showers and a full commercial kitchen - all-in air-conditioned comfort. The Lodge is restricted to females only during the camp.

For all the men in attendance there are full bathroom facilities outside the lodge which include hot showers.

Friday night we will meet in the pavilion for worship, a silent auction and to hear the opening message from Pastor Mike. I encourage everyone who plans to attend to make or donate a pioneer item to sell at the auction. Over the years, this auction has been the premier fundraising event for the Shawnee Trail.

On Saturday morning the ladies will enjoy female fellowship during the “Ladies Tea.” While the ladies are away, all the kids will play pioneer style games. A family activity will follow the “Ladies Tea.”

After lunch the competition activities will go on all afternoon. Competitions will be black powder rifle shooting, archery and knife and hawk throwing. The competitions will be conducted by teams of four competitors each. The winners of each competition will receive a prize for their victory.

Saturday night service will take place in the Shawnee Trail Blacksmith Shop and will include worship and a message from Pastor Mike. This event will mark the first time the Family Days Camp meets at night to worship under the newly installed electric lights in the Blacksmith Shop. You don’t want to miss this epic opportunity.

Sunday morning, we will again meet in the Blacksmith Shop for worship and a communion service. Please bring a cup or some implements to hold the communion juice. A love offering benefitting Pastor

Mike will be done during Sunday morning service. Please remember to bring your best for Pastor Mike because he is sacrificing his time to preach to us.

Miss Renee will be cooking a simple lunch and dinner on Saturday for all who want to come to camp but don't want to cook. Miss Renee's kitchen will be open to everyone, so if you're there for the day or the weekend she will feed you these two meals.

I'm looking forward to seeing all of you families and friends out at camp. Whether you've been around for a long time or a short time, whether you are young or old, let's all meet at camp to celebrate the joy of our salvation. Let's all worship Jesus Christ together. Let's enjoy Christian fellowship. Come out to Family Days Camp.

In Christ's love,

Frank "Jawbone" Super, Shawnee Trail President

Registration for Family Days Camp

Registration for Family Days Camp will be done online at <https://brushfire.com/northtexas/RR/614320>

Registration prices prior to October 6 are as follows: (After October 6, price increases by \$5)

	Non-Lifetime Member	Lifetime Member
Individual adult (18 years old and older)	\$35	\$30
Individual Young Buck (under 18 years old)	\$15	\$10
Family (defined as parents and minor children living in same home or those in college; each family will receive two medallions and may purchase others at registration)	\$55	\$50

For anyone 18 years old or over, their name and e-mail address are required for both the required sexual awareness training and required background check. Each person must have completed a background check and a video training course since November 1, 2023 in order to spend the night at camp. If a background check has never been done by the North Texas District, or if it has been more than 24 months since one was done, you will receive two separate e-mails, one for the background check and one for the video training course. Both must be completed prior to arriving at camp. Failure to do so will mean you cannot spend the night at camp. Both will be valid for 2 years from the date they were completed.

Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship

Knife and Black Powder

Permission Form



(for everyone 17 years and younger)

I am the parent or guardian of _____ who is attending the 2025 Family Days Camp. I give him/her permission to sell, trade, give, receive, or barter and have in his/her possession during this FCF event, any knife or black powder firearm as is appropriate for this type of historical reenactment activity.

Please consider this document as written consent for my son/daughter to participate in any of the Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship activities which include black powder loading and shooting, knife and hawk throwing, flint and steel – fire starting, frontiersmen crafts and workshop classes, and any other activities conducted.

Signature of Parent or guardian

Date

If you do not want your son/daughter, _____ participating in any of the above activities list: _____

Signature of Parent or guardian

Date

If you are under the age of 18, you must have this form signed by your parent or guardian in order to participate in the above-mentioned activities at Family Camp.

Parents please complete:

Name of Minor: _____

Name of Parent completing form: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone and work phone: Home _____ Work _____

Age _____ Birth date of minor: _____

Any information we should know about _____

Family Days Camp 2025 Schedule

Friday, October 17

5:00 pmRegistration opens (everyone MUST register Friday before spending the night)

7:00 pmAt the Pavilion: Silent auction, praise and message

MidnightLights out and quiet time

Saturday, October 18

9:15 amMorning devotion and announcements at the Pavilion

10:00 amLadies Tea, location to be determined

10:00 am.....Kids Activities, location to be determined

11:00 – 12:00.....Family Activity (meet at the Pavilion)

12:00 pmLunch (Miss Renee will serve lunch to interested customers at the pavilion.)

1:00 – 5:00 pm.....Competition areas open

5:00 – 8:00 pmEvening meal (each family responsible for their own meal. Miss Renee will serve dinner to interested customers at the pavilion.)

8:00 pmEvening Service at the Shawnee Trail Blacksmith Shop (attendance required)

MidnightLights out and quiet time

Sunday, October 19

10:00 am.....Morning Service at Shawnee Trail Blacksmith Shop following awards ceremony

2:00 pmCamp closed – Everyone and everything should be out of camp

Competitions will be completed by teams of four people.

Team Name _____ Team Participants _____

“Competition Rules”

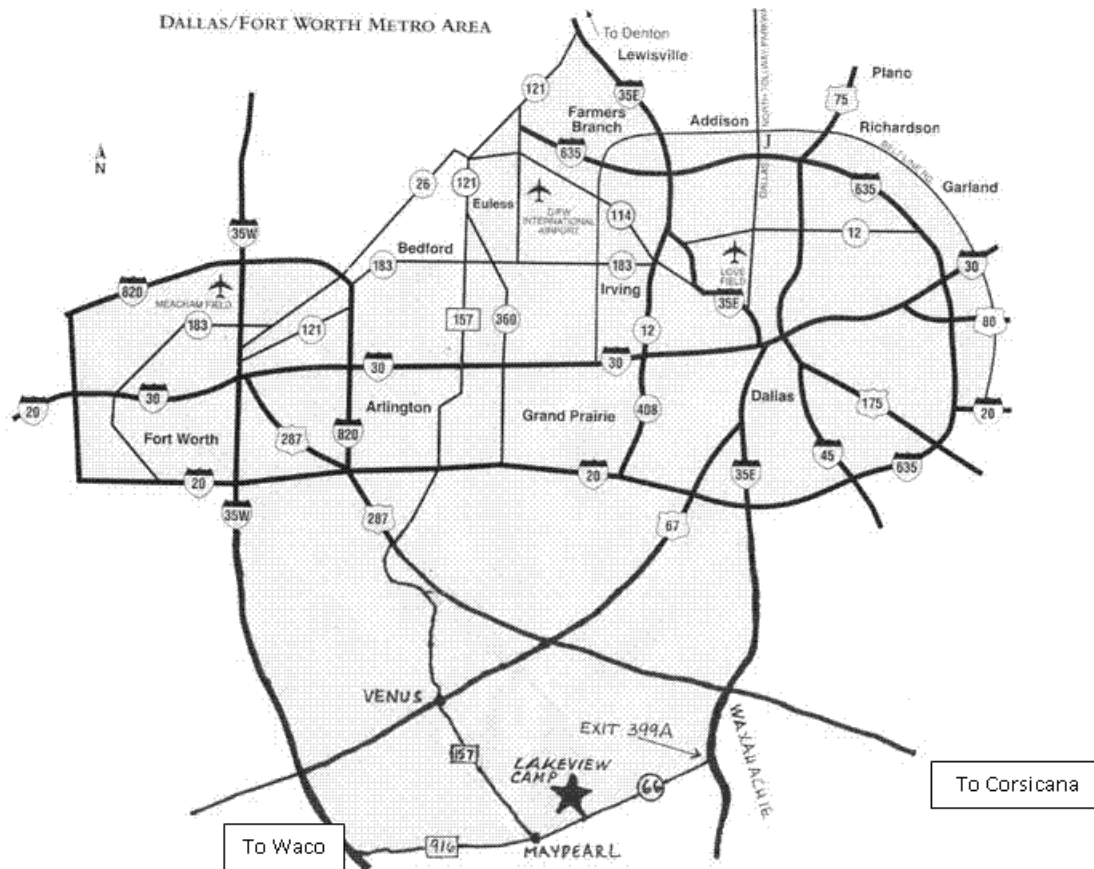
1. Except for black powder, each participant gets two attempts to score and will then record the highest score of the two attempts.
2. For knife and hawk, women score a “5” for a stick in the color, and a “3” for a stick outside of the color. Men score “3” in color and “1” outside color.
3. For archery, women score a “5” for a kill zone shot and a “3” for a hit outside kill zone. Men score a “3” for kill zone shot and a “1” for a hit outside kill zone.
4. For black powder shoot, women score a “5” for a hit; men score a “3.”
5. Please detach scorecard section, tally your totals, and turn into Jawbone by 6 pm Saturday.

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Camp Rules and Information

- Registration will begin at 5:00 pm on Friday; you must register before you can spend the night at camp. Wristbands will be issued for all members of your family, and they must be worn throughout the camp.
- You may set up anytime on Friday.
- No dogs or other animals allowed.
- All guns must be unloaded and in cases when in camp.
- Vehicles are only allowed in camp for the purposes of off-loading or loading camping gear for one hour only. All vehicles must be parked in the parking area after off-loading. Permission to move a vehicle from the parking area must be obtained from the FCF President.
- All fires must be small and contained in a barrel (available at camp) if there is no county-wide fire ban. DO NOT dig holes in fields. All firewood and rocks must be removed from the field after camp.
- No digging in the field for any reason.
- All trash must be placed in the camp dumpster or hauled out with you when leaving. Do not leave it at your campsite.
- Attendance at all services is required of all campers. You should be on time. Attendance at services is not optional. You must stay until the service is over.
- NO HANDGUNS allowed in camp.
- Lakeview Camp is a tobacco, alcohol, and illegal drug free zone.

Directions to Lakeview



Coming from Dallas

Take I-35E south to the Maypearl exit (exit 399-A). Turn right on FM 66. The Royal Rangers Camp at Lakeview is 7 miles ahead on the right (about ½ mile past the Lakeview Camp and Conference entrance).

Coming from Fort Worth

Take I-35W south exiting onto Highway 67 in Alvarado. Turn left on Highway 67. In Venus, turn right on 157. In Maypearl, turn left on FM 66. The Royal Rangers Camp at Lakeview is 2.5 miles ahead on the left.

Coming from Waco

Take I-35W north as you leave Hillsboro. Exit on FM 66 at Itasca. The Royal Rangers Camp at Lakeview is 2.5 miles past Maypearl on the left side of the road.

Coming from Corsicana

Take 287 to Waxahachie, exiting onto I-35E south. From I-35E south take the Maypearl exit (exit 399-A). Turn right on FM 66. The Royal Rangers Camp at Lakeview is 7 miles ahead on the right (about ½ mile past the Lakeview Camp and Conference entrance).

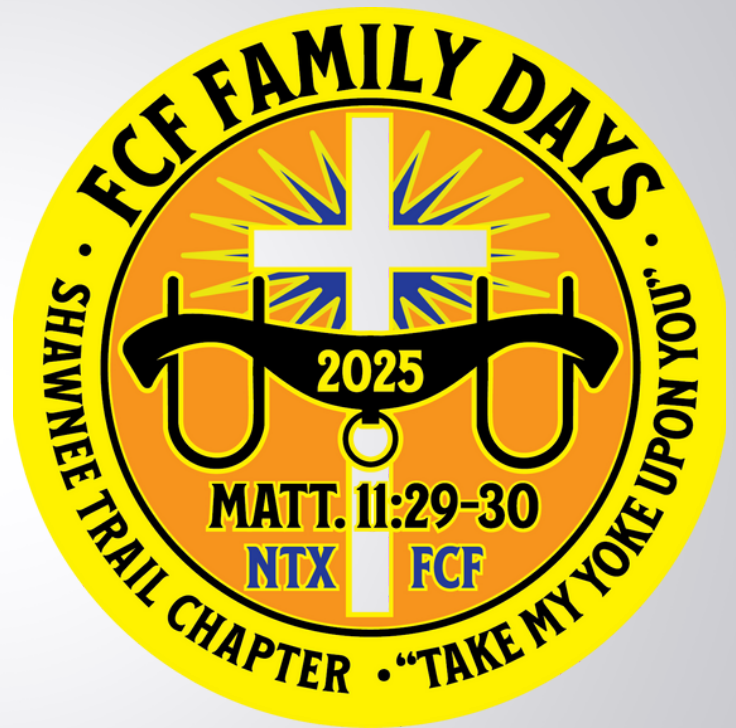


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YOURSELF? COME JOIN US!

FAMILY DAYS OCT. 17-19

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WITH YOUR FAMILY.



FCF FALL DOUBLE ADVENTURE

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