

**GULF-LATIN  
DISTRICT  
POW-WOW-A-RAMA  
2005**



***Outpost Information  
Packet***

**(MAKE COPIES OF THIS POW WOW-A-RAMA PACKET FOR ALL OF YOUR  
COMMANDERS, CHURCH PASTOR, MEN'S MINISTRY PRESIDENT AND TO  
ALL ROYAL RANGER PARENTS)**



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December 30, 2004

Dear Pastor/ Presidente de Varones/ Royal Rangers Leaders:

Choice greetings!

**"Keep watch over yourselves and all the flock of which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers." ACTS 20:28**

Please find attached the 2005 Royal Rangers District Pow-Wow-A-Rama Packet. Please review this packet very carefully! The Pow Wow-A-Rama will be for all Royal Rangers outposts chartered or Non-Chartered, Non-Royal Rangers church groups, participating only in the activities, swimming, morning assemblies and the evening services. Also, the Pow Wow-A-Rama is for all fathers and sons participating in the activities, swimming, morning assemblies and the evening services. The registration fee and the camp rules will apply!

**CHURCH PASTORS** are welcome and no registration fee is required for pastors. They will get a 2005 Pow Wow-A-Rama cap and a patch. If church pastors do not wish to camp overnight, there are three motels in the Camp Fawcett area. The motel names and telephone numbers are: Nueces River Motel 1-830-234-3648, Woodbine Inn 1-830-597-2310, and 1-830-597-3278. Pastors may eat with their outposts or eat at some local restaurants in the area. You may go 45 miles to the town of Uvalde and you will find the Best Western and Holiday Inn Motels & Restaurants. If Non-Royal Rangers church groups and fathers and sons wish not to campout overnight, they may stay at local motels and eat in local restaurants in the area. This is only if they do not want to campout overnight and do not want to cook their meals at camp.

The registration fee will still apply!

The District Pow-Wow-A-Rama will be held **July 6-9, 2005**, at Camp Fawcett (BSA) in Barksdale, Texas. It is approximately 150 miles northwest of San Antonio, Texas.

**INSPECTION AREAS:** The following are areas of inspection: Campsite, Personal, Archway and Banner. These four areas will determine the Outstanding Outpost strictly on the points system. The Class "B" Khaki uniform will be evaluated and will be determined separately on a points system. Three trophies (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>) will be awarded for each area of inspection. Remember that the inspections are optional. It only means that your outpost does not need to participate during any of the areas of inspection. The three outpost categories are as follows: 1) **Super Division** is for churches with a Sunday School Attendance of over 500. 2) **Division II** is for churches with a Sunday School Attendance of 200 to 499. 3) **Division III** is for churches with a Sunday School Attendance of Fewer than 200. Each category will receive 18 trophies for grand total of 54 for the 3 categories.

#### **GULF LATIN AMERICAN DISTRICT**

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**UNIFORM:** Boys and leaders will be graded wearing Class "B" Khaki uniform. However, Royal Rangers T-shirt and blue jeans pants will be acceptable. Remember that the uniform inspection is optional.

**CAPS/PATCHES:** Every individual that registers will receive a baseball cap and one patch. Extra patches will be \$2.00 each. No extra caps will be sold until the final day for \$10.00 each. Old patches will be \$1.00 each.

**RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT:** Every outpost must bring whatever recreational equipment (personal) they wish to bring. The district will not provide any personal equipment. Commanders please help us out!

**ARCHWAY/BANNER:** We are encouraging each and every outpost to make an archway and a banner to identify their outpost. Trophies will be awarded. Remember archways and banners are optional.

**SHOWERS/RESTROOMS:** Camp Fawcett has adequate showers/restrooms facilities. Six portable Latrines will be in place throughout the camp. Boys must go to the Boys restrooms / showers and men must go to the men's restrooms / showers only. It is National Policy!

**FOOD MENU:** Each outpost must bring their own food for the duration of the camp.

**SPORTS-A-RAMA:** Areas will be designated for tournament events such as: 1)-Softball games 2)-Volleyball 3)-Football soccer 4)-Basketball 5)-Fishing. The tournaments are for Discovery Rangers, Adventure Rangers and the Expedition Rangers. Trophies will be awarded. Fishing for leaders also! **\*\*Individual beads for participants.\*\***

**TRACK & FIELD:** The district track & field meet will consist of: 1)-Shot Put 2)-Discus 3)-Javelin 4)-Football Throw 5)-Cross Country Races. 6.)-50YD., 75 YD., 100 YD. The track & field meet will be for all Discovery Rangers, Adventure Rangers and the Expedition Rangers. The Commanders may also be able to participate in their own Leaders categories. **Gold, Silver and Bronze medallions will be awarded.**

**SPECIAL EVENTS:** The district will have in place other activities for boys such as 1)- Horseshoes 2)-Archery 3)-BB Gun Shoot 4)-Sling-shot 5)-Darts 6)-Obstacles Course. **Beads will be awarded.**

**SPECIAL COMPETITION:** Discovery Rangers / Adventure Rangers / Expedition Rangers.

**The Nitro-Xtreme car** competition will take place. It takes two boys to make a team. One is a driver and the other will push and the team with least time will win. The other event is the BMX Crush competition. It is a bicycle event with one Ranger participating at a time. **Beads will be awarded.**

**FRIENDSHIP TRAIL:** This patch will again be awarded to all boys that participate during the Friendship Trail. Each boy must go to each outpost and have his Friendship Trail Card signed by the Outpost Commander-in-Charge. It is important for each commander-in-charge to give each boy that visits the campsite an inexpensive item to commemorate his visit. The item can be one obtained from the Chamber of Commerce where the outpost comes from. Also, perhaps you may just want to buy some instead of going to the Chamber of Commerce. One hundred patches will be awarded to the **first 100 boys**.

**FCF ENCAMPMENT:** Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship members in our district will host a Frontiersmen Village. Special FCF skills and demonstrations will be held Thursday and Friday.

**VISITING HOURS:** *All visitors will have to check-in and checkout at the district headquarters area.* They will receive an I.D. nametag, indicating they are visitors. Visitors will be allowed to remain on the grounds starting from 9:00am until after the evening service. They must leave the camp by 11:00pm. **Visitors will not be permitted to camp on the property during the Pow-Wow-A-Rams.**

**INSURANCE/PARENT CONSENT FORMS:** An application for insurance is attached. You may also use your church General Liability Insurance policy. Check with your pastor! Also attached, you will find the Parent Consent Form. **You must have** one copy per boy in your file in case of an emergency.

**TABLES/CHAIRS:** Please check your **Outpost Equipment Checklist**. It is important that your outpost builds some tables, or brings some folding tables and folding chairs from your church.

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**CHURCH WORKER APPLICATION FOR CHILDREN/YOUTH:** Please find attached an application for Children/Youth Worker. Each adult leader must have this form signed by his pastor. The Senior Commander must bring these forms to camp.

**REGISTRATION:** As your outpost arrives at camp, go directly to the district staff and give the total of boys/leaders that are with the outpost. The headquarters will give you information as to the campsite you can select. Once you select the campsite, the leader will return to the district headquarters to officially register his outpost. Please see registration category copy!

**OUTPOST CHARTERING:** It is extremely important that every outpost is currently chartered. Please find attached a charter application. You DO NOT have to be chartered to attend the Pow Wow-A-Rama

**ANNUAL FAITH PROMISE PLEDGES:** Every outpost is required to bring the Annual Faith Promise Pledge to the Pow-Wow-A-Rama of \$25.00 or more. You may also send it before the camp.

**TRASH POLICY:** Trash maintenance is a must in order to keep the camp clean and sanitary. Cooperation by all participants is requested to help ensure trash is disposed of properly. The trash pick-up hours will be from 2:00pm to 3:00pm. All plastic trash bags must be sealed tight and must be placed in front of your outpost entrance. A truck will come by on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday to pick it up and take it to the garbage.

**EARLY ARRIVALS/LATE ARRIVALS:** For those outposts that wish to arrive earlier than Wednesday, may do so and arrive after 6:00pm on Tuesday July 5. Remember, only if it is after 6pm. No exceptions! For late arrivals, an outpost may arrive Thursday or Friday; however, the registration fee will be the same.

**HEADGEAR AND WRIST BAND:** All leaders and boys must wear their official Pow Wow-A-Rama caps and bracelets (wrist bands) throughout the duration of the Pow Wow-A-Rama. **No other headgear will be allowed!**

**T-SHIRTS:** All the leaders and visitors must wear a T-Shirt around their campsite and around the camp area and throughout the duration of the Pow Wow-A-Rama. No outside Advertisement T-Shirts allowed such as: Beer, Cigarettes, Rock Stars, etc...Commanders, please help us to enforce this policy.

**TALENT NIGHT EACH EVENING:** During each nightly evening service, the District Productions Coordinator, David Lara, Jr. will give the outpost the opportunity for boys/leaders to show their talents in Human Video, Skits, Special Song, Musical Plays etc... However, you need to contact David at (972)283-8512 and request his permission to show such talent. He will then assigned the evening that the boy/leader/outpost will be participating. You may also contact our District Program Coordinator, Charles Rodriguez, at (210) 924-5970 if you fail to contact David. You need to call before the district Pow-Wow-A-Rama.

**MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS:** We are encouraging Royal Rangers that play musical instruments in the school band or church to bring them to the Pow-wow-A-Rama. A special section will be set aside for the band to play during the evening services.

**EVENING SERVICES:** Each evening, we will hold an evangelistic service with Christian Music, Human Videos, and the Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship( FCF ). There will be praise and worship time and the evening message. The speaker for each evening will be Reverend Jose Esparza.. He is the pastor of Templo El Cordero in San Antonio. Brother Jose was a Royal Ranger commander for 12 years, and evangelist for 6 years and has been the pastor of the church for 2 years. He will be a blessing to our boys and to the leaders as well.

Leading the worship team will be Oscar Guajardo, Jr., of San Antonio, Texas. Oscar is the Youth Pastor and the Associate Pastor of Templo Luz Apostolica in San Antonio, Texas, where Reverend Oscar Guajardo, Sr., serves as Senior Pastor. Oscar will bless our lives with his talents.

**PRAYER/FASTING:** Saturday June 25<sup>th</sup> through Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup>, has been designated as prayer and fasting for the District Pow-Wow-A-Rama. I will be praying and fasting on Sunday June 25<sup>th</sup> from 6:00am to Monday morning 6:00am. We are expecting God to move in a very special way. Will you join me in prayer and fasting!

I believe this is all for now and may God richly bless you. \*\*\*\*\*Rain or Shine, \*\*\*\*\* we will see you at the Pow-Wow-A-Rama.

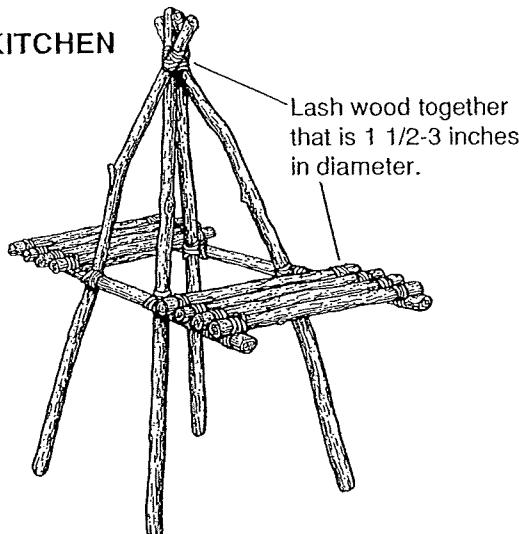
Serving the Master,

Richard Garza  
District Commander  
Royal Rangers

CC: HonorBound Executive Committee/ All Royal Rangers District Officers/ All Sectional Commanders/ All Assemblies of God Royal Rangers Outposts & Churches/ NON-Assemblies of God Churches...

**KITCHEN:** A Chippewa Kitchen is built by lashing together wood that is about 1 1/2 – 3 inches in diameter. To hold a large Kettle – for washing utensils and Kitchen utensils. The Chippewa Kitchen is optional.

CHIPPEWA KITCHEN



*Planning and Camp Setup* 119

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### **SCHEDULE**

#### **Wednesday July 6<sup>th</sup>**

|         |         |   |
|---------|---------|---|
| 6:00am  | 6:00pm  | Begin Registration (All day), Set-up Camp, Activities on your own, Swimming   |
| 6:00pm  | 7:00pm  | Holy Communion, Commanders Meeting (At headquarters)  |
| 7:00pm  | 8:00pm  | Outposts Prepare for Evening Rally ( <b>All activities &amp; swimming will cease at 6:00pm</b> ) Boys need to go to the restroom before attending the evening service |
| 8:30pm  | 10:00pm | Praise & Worship, Human Videos, Message   |
| 10:00pm | 11:00pm | Fellowship, Continue Registration. <b>Meeting with all Senior Commanders</b> Immediately after the service at Headquarters/ Taps                                      |

#### **Thursday July 7<sup>th</sup>**

|         |         |   |
|---------|---------|---|
| 6:30am  | 8:30am  | Wake-up, Breakfast, <b>Continue Registration</b>  |
| 8:30am  | 9:00am  | Outposts Prepare for Morning Assembly ( <b>On-time</b> )  |
| 9:00am  | 9:30am  | Morning Assembly ( <b>In uniform</b> ) Class "B" Khaki. If No Uniform, Royal Ranger T-shirt, camporama T-shirt ETC./Blue Jeans. (Khaki uniform is optional)/ Morning Devotion |
| 9:00am  | 12:00pm | Personal Inspection In Uniform / Royal Rangers T-Shirts, camporama T-shirt – Blue Jeans<br><b>( Inspection is optional )</b>  |
| 9:30am  | 12:00pm | Activities, Events, Swimming  |
| 12:00pm | 2:00pm  | Lunch   |
| 2:00pm  | 5:00pm  | Camp Activities, Events, Swimming / <b>FCF New Membership Registration</b>  |
| 5:00pm  | 7:00pm  | Supper, Free Time, <b>No Swimming Permitted After 6:00pm</b>  |
| 7:00pm  | 8:30pm  | Outposts Prepare for Evening Rally ( <b>All activities &amp; swimming will cease at 6:00pm</b> ) Boys need to go to the restroom before attending the evening service.        |
| 8:00pm  | 10:00pm | Praise & Worship/ FCF Call-Out / Human Videos, Message  |
| 10:00pm | 11:00pm | Fellowship, Continue Registration, Meeting with all Senior Commanders<br>Immediately after the service at Headquarters/ Taps  |

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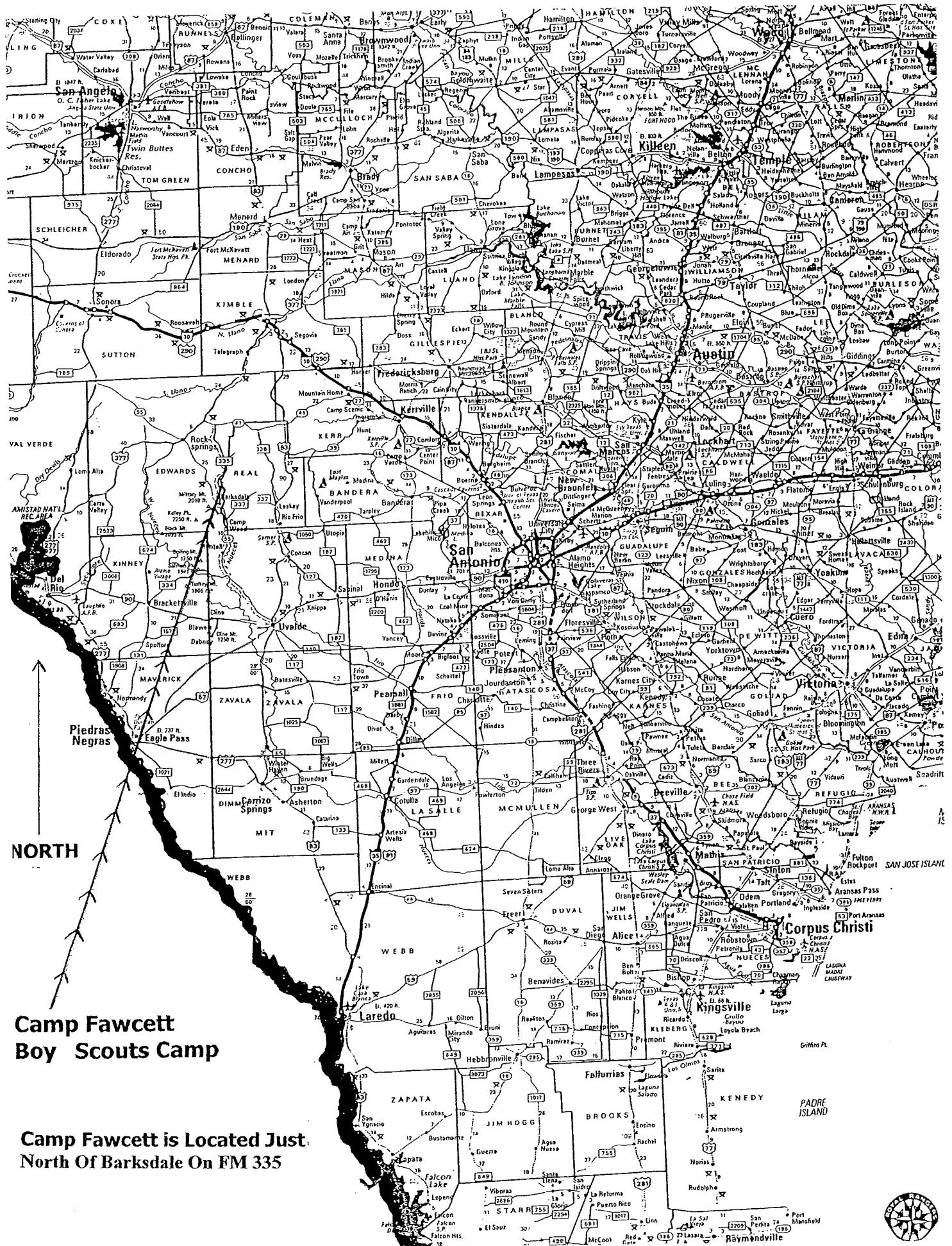
### **SCHEDULE**

#### **Friday July 8<sup>th</sup>**

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|---------|---------|--|
| 6:30am  | 8:30am  | Wake-up, Breakfast   |
| 8:30am  | 9:00am  | Outposts Prepare for Morning Assembly ( <b>On time</b> )   |
| 9:00am  | 9:30am  | Morning Assembly (No uniform), Morning Devotion  |
| 9:00am  | 12:00pm | Camp Activities, Events, Swimming  |
| 12:00pm | 2:00pm  | Lunch  |
| 2:00pm  | 5:00pm  | Campsite / Banner / Archway Inspections ( <b>Optional</b> )  |
| 2:00pm  | 5:00pm  | Activities, Events, Swimming Continue  |
| 5:00pm  | 7:00pm  | Supper, Free Time, <b>No Swimming</b> Permitted <b>after 6:00pm</b>  |
| 7:00pm  | 8:00pm  | Outposts Prepare for Evening Rally ( <b>All activities, swimming will cease at 6:00pm</b> ) Boys <b>need to go to restroom before attending</b> the evening service. |
| 8:00pm  | 10:00pm | Praise & Worship, Pageant, Message   |
| 10:00pm | 11:00pm | Fellowship, Meeting with all Senior Commanders Immediately after the service at Headquarters/ Taps   |

#### **Saturday July 9<sup>th</sup>**

|        |         |  |
|--------|---------|--|
| 6:30am | 8:30am  | Wake-up, Breakfast                                       |
| 8:30am | 9:00am  | Outposts Prepare for Morning Assembly ( <b>On Time</b> ) |
| 9:00am | 9:30am  | Morning Assembly (No uniform), <b>Morning Devotion</b>   |
| 9:30am | 11:00am | Final Assembly, Awards Presentation, Dismissal           |



**Camp Fawcett  
Boy Scouts Camp**

**Camp Fawcett is Located Just  
North Of Barksdale On FM 335**