



Royal Rangers Bat Cave Campout



Who: Any Royal Ranger in So. Mo. that has pre called to reserve a spot in the cave. This is a **MUST!** We can have up to 50 people there so reserve your approx. number of men and boys.

What: Pack in 1/2 mile with all you need to eat, sleep and drink. ***This is a bring your own cook your own or go hungry outing.*** At least one fire will be there to cook on at the face of the cave.

When: January 31st and Feb 1st. Friday night to about Saturday noon is enough to get the real life of the cave.

Where: The Big Bat cave down by Morgan, MO. This is private property. It is right on the Osage Fork River. We will be guests there. A map will be available to attending outposts. About a 45 minute drive from Springfield, to Conway then past Morgan a bit.

Why: It's a unique camping experience and it's always 55 degrees in the back of the cave. You will need for each person to have a piece of plastic to lay down on the floor of the cave to sleep on. The floor does have bat guano, clay. Mostly it's pretty dry.

___to be announced___ will be our guest speaker!



"There may be pictures taken at this activity and may be used on the Royal Ranger web site or in a news publication."

The only fee is what the commanders charge to bring their boys and men to the cave.

A Treasure Hunt will be held!

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better yet E-mail

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You just never know what you will find in the depths of a cave!

See Last Minute Notes for Attendies!

Last Years Event!..

<http://readyrangers.tzo.com/2010BatcaveCampout/2010BigBatCave.htm>



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Royal Rangers “Bat Cave” Camp out!

Fri-Sat Jan. 31st, 2014

All Rangers ages 9 years and up are invited to attend the Ranger “Bat Cave” camp out. The Rangers will be heading out to a huge cave just past Morgan, Mo. area and camping overnight in the cave. On Saturday we will spend time exploring and fellow shipping, arriving back at _____ Saturday afternoon. Come prepared to have a great time!

When/Where: The Rangers will need to meet at _____ at _____ on Friday.

You can pickup your son after the campout at: _____ on Saturday afternoon.

Costs: Cost for this outing is \$_____ to cover expenses for the outpost.

Food . This is a bring your own, cook your own or go hungry camp out! Rangers will need to bring food for Friday night.. (Please eat a meal before you arrive at the pickup place, but we recommend a snack for later in the evening) and food for Saturday morning and for Saturday lunch. Since the boys will be hiking about a ½ mile to the cave, we recommend light meals and snacks.

Remember to dress warm! It could get cold! The back of the cave will be around 55 degrees, so sleeping should not be too uncomfortable. Make sure your boy brings a LED head lamp (walmart camping section)...its dark in the back of the cave! Pack light, we will be crawling thru the cave!

My son, _____ has permission to attend the Royal Rangers “Bat Cave” camp.

Boys Name: _____

Parents Name: _____

Parents Signature: _____

IMPORTANT: Phone number/Cell number where parents can be reached in case of emergency or event getting over early: _____

Please include medical release form w/ this permission slip!

Questions? Call: _____



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Outing Check off List

Suggested Items or equivalent check list.
 cover alls

water proof boot/shoes

[+] 2 small reserve LED Head ights AA are Best!

[+] hard hat / helmet / stocking cap / winter cap.
 Extra batteries

[+] plastic trash bag to put soiled clothing into

[+] 2 Candles

rope
 camera
 paper
 compass
 pencil
[+] Plastic drop cloth to sleep on and keep your sleeping bag wrapped in while climbing through the cave.

Special note: Caving safety rules will be followed to the letter.

Small first aid kit
 Mess kit
[+] Canteen _32_ Ounces Water
Cold Weather Clothing
 Wool stocking cap
 Long-sleeve shirt
 Socks
 Insulated winter coat
 Winter boots
 Long underwear
 Mittens or gloves
 Wool shirt
 Wool pants
 Royal Rangers sweatshirt

Hiking boots

You will need some type of pack to carry your stuff approx. 1/2 mile to the cave. This is a trip along a River in the dark crossing fences and then a easy climb through the upper levels of the cave.

[+] Food Bring all you need!

[+] Waterless Hand Cleaner purrel or germx.

Overnight Camping Equipment

[+] Personal essentials
[+] Sleeping bag
 Blanket
 Backpack or Daypack
 Air mattress or foam pad
 Pillow in Pillow Case
 Mess kit
 Eating utensils
[+] Extra clothing (seasonal)
[+] Ground cloth
 Soap
 Toothbrush and toothpaste
 Comb
 Washcloth
 Towel
 Watch
 Camera and film
 Royal Ranger Bible

 2 Heavy Duty Large Leaf Trash Sacks Labeled.

 Small Tent
 candles for the cave!!!
 small battery lantern
 Dust Mask

 Lighter the Better!!!

[+] A change of clothes and shoes to change into at the return vehicle. YOU will be Dirty.

****Checked items are Required for this Outing***



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EMERGENCY MEDICAL INFORMATION AND AUTHORIZATION

Ranger's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
 Father's Name: _____ Occupation: _____ Work Phone: _____
 Mother's Name: _____ Occupation: _____ Work Phone: _____
 If cannot be reached, call: _____ Phone: _____
 Ranger's Home Address: _____ Phone: _____
 Family Doctor: _____ Phone: _____
 Address: _____ Phone: _____

Medical Questionnaire

1. Is your son presently being treated for an injury or sickness or is he taking any form of medication for any reason?
2. Is your son allergic to any type of medication?
3. Has your son ever had an operation?
4. Does your son require a special diet?
5. Does your son have (or has he ever had) any of the following: (please circle)
 Seizure disorders asthma Heart Murmur Diabetes Hay Fever Kidney Disease
6. Does your son have any allergies another then medical?
- 7 Is there any family history of any medical disease?
8. Does your son ever sleepwalk?
9. Does your son get nervous or upset easily?
10. Is your son hyperactive?
11. Can your son swim? Circle: Beginner Intermediate Advanced
12. Does your son have any physical handicap or illness which would prevent him from participating in normal rigorous activity?

If he has any medication that he needs supervision to take please bring it to the attention of the person in charge of the outing.

MEDICAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION

My son has permission to participation any sanctioned activity of the Central Royal Rangers, Outpost 6, Springfield, MO, provided he is properly supervised by authorized Royal Ranger Commanders. Such activities would include field trips, tours, camp outs, hikes, ball games, etc., any other normal Royal Ranger activities. I understand that all the necessary precautions have been taken for the safety of my son and that I will be called in the case of an emergency. I authorized the calling of a doctor and the providing of medical services in the case of an accident, injury, or sickness. I understand that this form is effective while my son is on the Royal Ranger Outing, but may be changed or revoked at any time by notifying an authorized Commander or the pastor. I agree to notify the Royal Rangers in the event of any health changes which would restrict my son's participation in any of the normal activities of the group. I also understand that the Commander-in-Charge reserves the right to restrict any boy from any activity that he does not feel is within the physical capabilities of the boy.

(MAKE COPIES OF THIS FORM AS WE WILL NEED ONE FOR EACH OUTING HE ATTENDS)

TODAY'S DATE: _____

(Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian)

**SOUTHERN MISSOURI DISTRICT ROYAL RANGERS
EMERGENCY MEDICAL INFORMATION AND AUTHORIZATION FORM**

Ranger's Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Mailing Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Phone _____ Soc. Sec. # _____ Age _____ E-mail _____
Father's Name _____ Time of Day/Night you Work _____
Place of Employment _____ Work Phone _____
Mother's Name _____ Time of Day/night you Work _____
Place of Employment _____ Work Phone _____
Family Doctor _____ Office Phone _____
Insurance Company _____ Policy # _____
Address _____ Phone _____

PERSONS (OTHER THAN PARENTS) TO CONTACT IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY:

_____ Phone _____
_____ Phone _____

MEDICAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Please answer all of the following questions. **EXPLAIN** any "YES" answers.

1. Is your son being treated for any injury or illness? ___ YES ___ NO
 2. Is your son taking any medication? If so, What? & When? ___ YES ___ NO
 3. Does your son have asthma? ___ YES ___ NO
 4. Is your son allergic to any form of medication? ___ YES ___ NO
 5. Does your son have hay fever? ___ YES ___ NO
 6. Does your son have any known allergies? ___ YES ___ NO
 7. Has your son had his tonsils removed? ___ YES ___ NO
 8. Has your son had his appendix removed? ___ YES ___ NO
 9. Has your son had any other operations? ___ YES ___ NO
 10. Is there any family history of any disease? ___ YES ___ NO
 11. Does your son require a special diet? ___ YES ___ NO
 12. Does your son have any chronic medical problems?
(i.e. cardiac, respiratory, kidney, seizure or other) ___ YES ___ NO
 13. Has your son had any "childhood diseases"?
(i.e. measles, mumps, chicken pox, etc.) ___ YES ___ NO
 14. Does your son sleepwalk? ___ YES ___ NO
 15. Is your son hyperactive? (If so, is he on medication?) ___ YES ___ NO
 16. Are there any medical considerations not mentioned? ___ YES ___ NO
- (over)
17. What is the date of your son's last physical exam? _____
18. What is the date of your son's last tetanus shot? _____

IF YOU ANSWERED "YES" TO ANY OF THE ABOVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE EXPLAIN.

PLEASE LIST ALL MEDICATIONS BEING TAKEN BY YOUR SON AT THIS TIME.

AUTHORIZATIONS

My son has permission to participate in any sanctioned event of the Southern Missouri District Royal Rangers provided he is supervised by authorized Royal Ranger leaders who are approved by the Southern Missouri District Royal Rangers. I understand that I will be contacted as soon as possible in the event of an emergency (accident, injury, or illness). I authorize the Commander-in-charge (or designate) to give consent for treatment of my son by a licensed medical personnel in the event of such an emergency. I also understand that the Commander-in-charge of any activity has the responsibility and right to restrict any party from any activity which he feels is beyond the physical capabilities of that party.

I understand that my personal insurance will be the primary insurance policy to be billed in the event of any medical treatment or evaluation and that the local church will be billed as the secondary insurance policy with the Southern Missouri District being the third insurance carrier. I will not hold the Southern Missouri District Royal Rangers, the National Royal Rangers Organization, any authorized Royal Ranger leader, or any medical personnel financially responsible for any accident, injury, or illness when reasonable precautions have been taken for my son's safety.

SIGNATURE OF FATHER, MOTHER OR LEGAL GUARDIAN DATE

Event Permission Slip

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I understand this event will include the following marked boxes below:

- I understand that photographs will be taken at this event and used for Ranger purposes
- I understand that that my child will be riding in a church vehicle
- I understand that that my child will be riding in a personal vehicle
- I understand that that my child will be swimming

Swimming Ability: _____

- I understand that that my child will be participating in activities with Archery
- I understand that that my child will be participating in activities with BB Guns
- I understand that that my child will be participating in activities with Small Bore Rifles
- I understand that that my child will be participating in activities with Black Powder Rifles
- Other Activities**

Climbing and camping in a cave. Backpacking along a river at night. Exploring in the cave. Having a lot of fun and adventure for sure.

As the parent or guardian, I have read the above activities and I am giving my child permission to attend this event.

In case we cannot be reached during an Emergency, I (we) the undersigned give permission for our child to be treated by a licensed physician, and for said physician to administer whatever care is necessary, including anesthesia, for their safety and care.

By signing this form, I realize the risk of an injury occurring during this event or program and that Central Assembly of God or it's volunteers are not responsible/held liable for any injury occurring while at this event or program.

Name of Parent or Guardian _____

Date _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____



Event Permission Slip

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Event Information (Filled out by Ranger Commanders)

Event Name: Bat Cave Campout 2014

Event Location: Morgan Mo Big Bat Cave

Event Date: 01-31-2014

Description of Event:

Men and boys and some brave ladies will be camping in the Big Bat Cave. We will come in at night and backpack in along the Osage Fork River on a trail that requires crossing a fence and over, under and around logs. Slipping, tripping and all the things a real adventure entails. The cave is like camping in a huge basement with personality with a dirty floor. A camp fire will be at the opening of the cave to cook on. Its bring your own cook your own or go hungry..that means if you don't bring it..you won't have it.

Rangers Information:

Rangers Name: _____

Parent's Contact Phone Number: _____

Alternate Phone Number: _____

Special Notes: (Ex: Medication, Allergies, etc.)

Please read and sign the back.





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Suggested Bat Cave Meals

Supper:

McDonalds. Eat before you arrive at Church. Snack at 10pm Oat meal, hot chocolate.

Breakfast:

Instant Oatmeal, Bacon Eggs, Fruit Tang packet 1 Coffee packets, Home made donuts

Lunch: Peanut Butter Crackers, Orange, Trail Mix, Colby Chunk Cheese, Mixed Nuts, roll of Sausage, energy bar Sport Drink.

1 nights stay:

- 1 Oranges
- 1 packages of trail mix (M&Ms, nuts, raisins, walnuts)
- 2 packages of Instant Oatmeal
- 1 Trail Bars
- 1 Peanut Butter Crackers
- 2 String Cheese Sticks
- 1 Coffee Packs
- 1 Hot Chocolate with Marshmallows
- 1 Tang Packs
- 1 packages of Sugar
- 3 zip lock Sandwich Bags
- 2 1 gallon zip lock Sandwich Bag
- 2 Large Trash Bags Leaf Size Heavy Duty. Put gear in and pick up trash or use as a ground cloth.
- 1 Package of Dentine Gum
- 6 pack of AA Batteries
- 2 eggs (mash proof container)
- 4 strips of bacon put in plastic bags
- Can of biscuits
- Cooking oil
- Powdered Sugar
- Paper Sack for donuts
- 2 Sport Drinks 20 oz size
- 2 Water Bottles
- Small package of baby wipes are real handy.
- 1 small bottle of soap (environment friendly soap) Walmart camping section.