

Oklahoma Firefighter's Burn Camp #8 Request Shriners Help

By "Huffy and Friends" the Tulsa Firefighter's Educational Clowns

Thursday, August 17 through Sunday, August 20, 2006

Hello to All My Shriner Brothers:

We need your help and invite any and all interested Shriners to help with any of the following items.

- #1. Clowning at Burn camp.
- #2. Bring a boat, to take our campers & their councilors Fishing on Saturday morning August 19.
- #3. Bring a boat, and taking our campers & their councilors for Boat Rides on Saturday afternoon Aug 19th.
- #4. Bring Mini-Kars at some time.
- #5. Any other ideas that you can come up with, please contact me and let's discuss your ideas, or better yet, just show up.
- #6 Please read attached page entitled:

Do you know a child we need to contact for burn camp?

Please review the following information and feel free to contact me. My contact information is shown below. Tell your Shriner friends and let them know about this information. It can also be downloaded a from the Akdar Website at www.akdarshrine.org or, if your have signed up for **Akdar Flash News**, you will receive an email with this information.

Thank you for all your help.

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Following: *Do you know a child we need to contact for burn camp?*
4-Page Schedule for Burn Camp #8

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2006 "BURN CAMP" #8

Do you know of a child that we need to contact for burn camp?

2006 makes our seventh year for Burn Camp. It is a free 4-day camp designed for children that are burn victims, or children that have any disfiguring type injuries. **We are planning on 70 campers this year**, from all over Oklahoma, and four adjoining states that will attend **Oklahoma's only Burn Camp**.

Burn Camp is scheduled for August 17th (Thursday), 18th (Friday), 19th (Saturday), and 20th (Sunday). There are over 150 councilors & volunteers involved that range from firefighters, burn nurses, teachers, adult burn survivors, to many other volunteers. We provide a one-to-one ratio so that each camper has an adult counselor/buddy for all 4 days. We always work in teams. We have had great success with our camp for 8 years now! Our Burn Camp is one of the Top Burn Camps in the Nation!

The first day's registration will start at 10am – Noon, in front of Bells Amusement Park in Tulsa, the park will open for us at 11am to 3pm. At 3pm we will pack up everyone and transport everyone to Dry Gulch U.S.A., 10 miles north of Pryor, Oklahoma, in Adair County. We will be there that night, & the next three days.

The camps activities include: A western town theme, petting zoo, water park, over 50 clowns, go cart track, live music, arts and crafts, great meals, magic show, bass masters fishing guides on Hudson Lake, horse back rides, haunted spooky nature trails, team building games, Dry Gulch Hoe Down dance night, and much more.

Each child will receive a Burn Camp shirt, hat, fishing pole, plaque, picture, camp packet, Burn Camp Pin, picture button, toys, and more!

If you know of a child that has been involved in a fire or burn incident, or a disfiguring injury that you think might benefit from this camp please contact us as soon as possible. The parents or guardian must fill out and turn in an application.

We would love to discuss anything about this event or our organization with you.

**Please contact Burn Camp Director, Scotty Stokes: (918) 871-6351 or
the TFEC Pres., Tom Hufford, (918) 669-6191, 4306 S. Peoria, Box 911,
Tulsa, OK 74105**

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* * * August 17th through the 20th * * *

(*Under Construction - Revised July 9th, 2006*)

2006 Activities Schedule

This year's Theme is: "Safari"

Activity's by Greg Chapman, AKA "Jar Head" & Tom Hufford, AKA "Huffy" or "Jungle Tom"

Day #1. - Thursday, 17th

Please remember: You must stay with your camper at all times. . .

First Day starts by the Tulsa Fair Grounds, at Bells Amusement Park, Registration is at the "Pepsi" gate in front of "Bells" where you will pick up an identification bracelet and/or picture button. We suggest that you car pool. Please do not leave your vehicles at Bells Amusement Park.

Please sign up a day ahead of time for any competition activities that you are interested in.

8:00am to 9:00am – Councilors and Volunteers check in, and Doughnuts & Coffee!

9:00am to 10:00am – Required Meeting for all Councilors and Volunteers Meeting at Bells.

10:00am to Noon – Councilors will be assigned a Camper at the Burn Camp Tent.

11:00am to 3:00pm - Bells Amusement Park / **Rocking Road Show** / RockZilla Climb.

Noon to 1:30pm - **Lunch will be hosted & served by the great Wagoner, OK Firefighters! Akdar Shrine Clowns** – Face Painting, Balloons, and Clowning Around.

3:00pm -- Round up the Campers, Load Buses, and take off to Dry Gulch U.S.A.

5:00pm ----- Arrive at Dry Gulch USA, Check in, Get Cabin Assignments, & Unpack.

6:00pm to 7:30pm - Meet in chow hall for Roll Call, Burn Camp Up-Dates & Assignments.
Pledge of Allegiance / Dinner / Give the Cleanest Table award.
(Sign up for the Billiards, Basketball, Horse Back Riding, and Fishing.)

7:30pm to 10:30pm – **Safari Raft Building Contest.** (Only Building the rafts)

8:45pm to 10:30pm - Game room (video games, billiards, air hockey), and "Arts & Crafts."

10:30pm - **Campers / counselors return to cabins, and get ready for lights out.**

11:00pm - Lights Out, listen to TAPS on speakers. Get ready to get up & have some more fun!

Day - 1

Day #2. - Friday, 18th

Please remember: You must stay with your camper at all times. . .

Please sign up a day ahead of time for any competition activities that you are interested in.

Remember to put SUN BLOCK on your campers!

7:00am ----- Reveille on the speakers - Clean Bunk and Bathroom Areas.

8:00am to 9:00am ----- **Assembly in the Chow Hall.**

Breakfast...please clean up your mess when you are through.

9:00am to 10:30am - **Opening Ceremony in the Town Hall** – Honor Guard presents the Flag, Pledge of Allegiance, **Public Speaker & Burn Survivor John O’Leary.** (Pictures & T- Shirts)

10:30am to 11:30am --- **“Christian Strongman Show”** in the Town Hall auditorium.

11:30am ----- Clean up for Lunch

Noon to 1:00pm ----- Assembly / Lunch, - Entertainment: **“Jungle Tom’s Magic Show”**

1:00pm to 3:00pm ----- **All Kids - Basketball (5 on 5) & Billiards Tournament.**

1:00pm to 4:20pm ----- Swimming Pool, **Dry Gulch Swimming Cove** & Game Room is open.

2:00pm to 4:20pm ----- **Safari Raft judging and Raft Race** at Dry Gulch Swimming Cove.

4:20pm to 5:00pm ----- Clean Up for dinner.

5:00pm to 6:00pm ----- Dinner & Assembly for Camp Up-Dates, please clean up your spot.
Announce Basketball and Pool Tournament winners & Cabin Awards.
Entertainment: **Klowns Around Tulsey Town** Clown Alley

6:00pm to 7:00pm ----- **Safari Scavenger Hunt** – Bring everything to the Town Hall.

7:00pm to 7:25pm ---- **“The Great Steve Lancaster’s Magic Show”** Town Hall.

7:25pm to 8:00pm ---- **Little Kids - Talent Show Skits** – & Burn Camp Clowns Town Hall.

8:00pm to 9:00pm ---- **Big Kids – Talent Show Skits** – & Burn Camp Clowns Town Hall.

8:00pm to 9:00pm - Little Kids **Dry Gulch Haunted Safari Hay Ride** (Meet at Chow Hall)

9:00pm to 10:00pm - Big Kids **Dry Gulch Haunted Safari Hay Ride** (Meet at the Chow Hall)

11:00pm ----- Taps & Lights Out - (**Remember – Fishing is at 5:45am, Saturday**)

Day - 2

Day #3. - Saturday, 19th

Please remember: You must stay with your camper at all times. . .

(Morning Fishing Activities)

- { 5:45am to 6:45am – Breakfast for all the early Fisher Boys and Girls in the mess hall, with cereal, and snacks throughout the day. At 6:45am we will load up everyone & head to **Lake Shore RV Park & Ramp** 7:00am. Sponsored by the Salina FD.
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- { 7:00am to 10:30am - **Fishing on Lake Hudson with your Fishing guides!** Vic & Brenda Leake.
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- { 9:00am to 11:00am ---- **Grand River Dam Authority - Big Ranger's Boat & Helicopter.**
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- { 11:30am to 12:30pm --- Assembly / Pledge of Allegiance / **Fish Fry Lunch,**
“**Bartlesville Fun Attics**” **Clowning around & Fishing Awards.** Please clean up when you finish.

(Non- Fishing Folks)

7:00am – Reveille - 7:30am to 8:30am - Assembly / Breakfast - Pledge of Allegiance

8:30am to 11:00am - **Pontoon Boat Rides from Dry Gulch Docks,** Swimming pool, and Game room, video games, pool, air hockey, arts and crafts.

11:00am ----- Clean up, and get ready for lunch.

11:30am to 12:30pm ----- Lunch at Dry Gulch Chow Hall for non-fishing folks.

12:30pm to 1:30pm --- **Siesta** / nap time (Rest & Recover from all the Burn camp Activities)

1:30pm to 5:00pm ---- **Safari Joe's Animals** / Horseback Riding / Go-Carts / Swimming Pool

5:00pm to 5:30pm ----- Clean Up, get ready for dinner, head to the dining hall.

5:30pm to 6:30pm ----- Dinner – Entertainment by: **TJ and the Rocking Road Show** & our Burn Camp Clowns, + Announcements and Cabin Awards.

6:30pm to 7:30pm – **Safari Joe's Animals** / Life Flight / Water Gun fights / Swimming Pool

7:30pm to 8:30PM ----- Clean Up, Dress Up, and get ready for the Dance!

8:30pm to 11:30pm ----- “**The Wild Safari Dance Night**” at the “Town Hall” Auditorium, Ice Cream Floats & Watermelon, Announce the “**Burn Camp King and Queen.**”

Midnight ----- Taps & Lights Out

Day - 3

Day #4. - Sunday, 20th - The Last Day !

Please remember: You must stay with your camper at all times. . .

VERY IMPORTANT: PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU SIGN YOUR CAMPER OVER TO THEIR GUARDIAN, AND CHECK THEM OUT AT OUR “BURN CAMP DEPARTURE COMMAND POST” AT THE DRY GULCH FRONT GATE BEFORE YOU LEAVE.

7:00am to 8:00am ----- Reveille / Clean Up / Pack up your stuff for home.

8:00am to 9:00am ----- Pledge of Allegiance - Breakfast – Please clean up your mess.

9:00am to 9:45am ----- **Church service with Larry Bowles**, behind the Chow Hall.
Everyone is invited!

Remember: You must “sign your camper over” to their guardian at our “Burn Camp Check Out Station”- Please help us keep track of the most important part of Burn Camp – Our Campers...

9:45am to 11:00am ---- Get ready, the Parents and families will be arriving!
Tour Dry Gulch, and enjoy all of the open games and activities.

11:00am to 11:45am ---- Pack up / Clean Up, and get ready for lunch & Awards Ceremony.

11:45am to 12:45pm ---- Lunch, please clean up your space when you are finished.
Cabin / Table / Arts and Crafts Awards.

1:00pm to 2:30pm ---- **Slide Show, Outstanding Camper & Counselor Awards Ceremony (MC Larry Bowles) Located in Town Hall. * Everyone must attend.**

2:30pm ----- Departure Time for Campers and parents.

2:30pm to 4:00pm - **Counselors and Volunteers - Clean up and load all TFEC equipment.**

4:00pm to 6:00pm ----- Return home and unload your stuff.

Thank you for coming! We will miss you un-till next year!

Please keep us up to date with your new addresses and phone numbers!

Day – 4