

Texas Skies District

2018

Wild West CUB-O-REE

At Long Meadows Ranch

Sheriff Van Odell 281-467-2673

Deputy of Cast Iron Cook Off Clay Nolen 662-230-2635

Deputy of Interfaith Services Bryan Zschiesche 832-746-6861

Deputy of All Things Good Joe Dante 832-859-6007

Deputy of Programs Jeremy Odell 713-306-3956

Deputy of Volunteers Shawn O'Hearn 281-413-9071

[Welcome to Cub-O-Ree](#)

[Cub-O-Ree Staff](#)

[Event Help](#)

[Event Details](#)

[Camp Location](#)

[Parking](#)

[Check In](#)

[Check Out](#)

[Uniforms](#)

[Cracker Barrel](#)

[Interfaith Service](#)

[Utilities](#)

[Rules](#)

[Cub-O-Ree](#)

[Long Meadow Ranch Rules](#)

[Competition](#)

[All-Around Cub-O-Ree Pack Award](#)

[Pack Scoring Explanations](#)

[Participation In Events](#)

[Volunteers](#)

[Campfire](#)

[Flag Competition](#)

[Campsite Inspection](#)

[Spirit](#)

[All-Around Cub-O-Ree Den Award](#)

[Den Scoring Explanation](#)

[Participation in Towns](#)

[Covered Wagon](#)

[Covered Wagon Items](#)

[Scout Skill](#)

[Song or Skit at Campfire](#)

[Den Flag](#)

[Scout Spirit and Sportsmanship](#)

[DUTCH OVEN CHILI COOK-OFF](#)

[Rules](#)

Welcome to Cub-O-Ree

Welcome to the 2018 Texas Skies District Cub-O-Ree. This guide contains all the information that your unit will require to have a successful and fun-filled weekend.

DISCLAIMER

As with any program, changes can and often do occur. Accept this as inevitable. We've spent many long hours ensuring you will have a well-planned and enjoyable event, but sometimes things happen, which are beyond our control. We only ask that you please bear with us if we must make changes. This is a Rain or Shine event.

Cub-O-Ree Staff

Van Odell	Organizer	odellvs@gmail.com	281 467 2673
Clay Nolen	Chilli Cook Off	lonestareagle98@aol.com	662-230-2635
Shawn O'Hearn	Volunteer Coordinator	rustpuppy@gmail.com	281-413-9071
Joe Dante	Range Coordinator	josephpdante@gmail.com	832-859-6007
Bryan Zschiesche	Interfaith Service	cubmaster@pack1182.com	832-746-6861
Jeremy Odell	Programs	jeremyodell@gmail.com	713-306-3956

Event Help

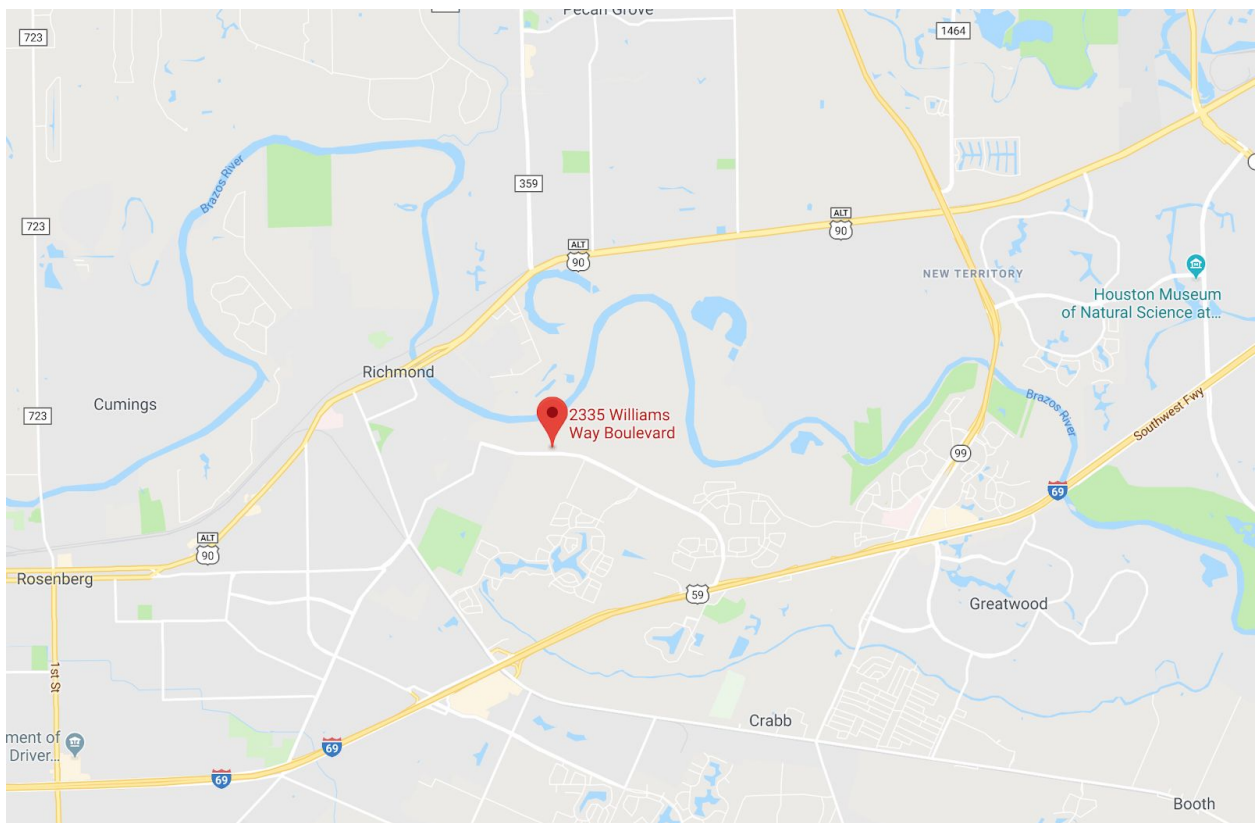
Each Pack will need to provide the Cub-O-Ree with 1 volunteer per 25 cubs. These parents will help at towns, judging and other activities. Please contact Shawn O'Hearn at 281 413 9071 with the information for your volunteers.

Event Details

Camp Location

Long Acres Ranch is a privately-owned venue spanning 768 acres and 2.5 miles of undeveloped land along the Brazos River in Fort Bend County, Texas.

The physical address is 2335 Williams Way Blvd, Richmond, TX 77469



Map showing Long Acres Ranch Location in Richmond.

Route from Fulshear

To avoid going through town, Travel down 723 from Fulshear to 59, Turn left (north) on 59 and exit to Williams Way Boulevard, Turn left on Williams Way Boulevard and go to the entrance of Long Acres Ranch.

Route from Katy

Go south on Grand Parkway to 59, Turn right (south) and travel to Williams Way Boulevard exit. Turn right on Williams Way Boulevard and go to the entrance of Long Acres Ranch

Parking

For obvious Safety reasons there will be NO vehicles allowed to park in camping area. Parking will be available in the parking lot assigned. Vehicles will be allowed to drive down to the main campsite and unload all gear. The vehicles then need to be moved to the parking area. After Check-in on Friday night and Saturday Morning no vehicles will be allowed in the camping area.

Check In

Check-in procedures are as follows.

- One person from your pack must check in.
- Upon arrival (after 4 PM) Friday, proceed to the headquarters area.
- There will be an event staff to assist in completing your unit's Registration.
- Check in your unit with a completed unit roster.
- You will then be shown where to drive to the campsite and unload. After unloading move your vehicles to the parking area.
- All units attending the event should be fully checked in at headquarters, by 9:00 pm Friday night.
- If no one from your unit is camping Friday night contact Van Odell to inform him. Saturday check in will be from 7:30 am - 8:00 am.
- Provide list of volunteers at check in. We are asking for 1 volunteer per 25 cubs.

Check Out

- The road to the campsites **will not be open until AFTER** the interfaith service (approximately 7:50 a.m.)
- Packs will need to check out at headquarters.
- Site will be inspected before receiving departing patches and awards.
- Leave No Trace.
- Campfire area must be covered back up.

Uniforms

Because this is a Scouting activity, we encourage the use of Official scout uniforms.

All scouts are encouraged to be in scout uniform or pack T-shirts.

- Class A should be worn during opening ceremony held at the Flag Pole.
- Class B should be worn during events.
- Class A should be worn for closing flag ceremony and interfaith worship service.

- Class A or B should be worn for the campfire.

Remember a part of the ranking system is based on uniforms!

Cracker Barrel

An adult leader must attend each Cracker Barrel (Friday @ 8:00pm). This is your main source of information throughout the Cub-O-Ree. Any and all issues will be discussed at that evenings gathering. If issues are not brought to the attention of the committee on that night, the issue becomes null and void.

Interfaith Service

A Scout is Reverent. Please join us for a short interfaith worship service at the Flag Pole at sunrise (7:30 a.m.) on Sunday. Please wear Class A uniform and feel free to bring your camp chair.

Utilities

To make your camp a better experience it is suggested that you set up a hand sanitation station near your cooking area. Make sure every adult and scout carry a full canteen of water. Also bring in several Igloo coolers for water in your site, these can be filled at the hydrant site. There will be coolers at each event Town for the scouts to fill up their canteens.

- There is no electricity available on site.
- There are two water hydrants, one at each end of the campsite
- Porta potties will be available at the campsite.
- No Showers

IMPORTANT : No dish washing will be allowed at the hydrants. Please use the three pot method in your campsite for washing dishes. The water for this should be carried from one of the two hydrants to your cooking site for clean up. If dishes are washed at the hydrants it will create a health hazard not to mention a muddy mess. Thank you for your cooperation.

Rules

Cub-O-Ree

FIRST AND FOREMOST. WE MUST MAKE THE CUB-O-REE "FUN AND SAFE"

2018 Texas Skies District Wild West CUB-O-REE

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING RULES. PLEASE READ THEM CAREFULLY AND SHARE THEM WITH YOUR PARENTS.

1. Policies and procedures of the Boy Scouts of America will be strictly observed
2. Current medical forms should accompany each Cub Scout and Adult Camper and you must have emergency contact numbers and medical information for each participant.
3. Two (2) deep leadership at all times in campsite.
4. Cubs are not allowed to handle an axe or hatchet of any kind. All Sharp cutting tools must be stored in a sectioned-off area; Cutting edge must be properly covered.
5. Buddy systems in place at all times.
6. Headquarters: Only Adult Leaders are allowed at headquarters.
7. Respect each other's campsites - no one can cross through anyone's campsite. If anyone wants to visit another's campsite. Please tell this to your boys.
8. NO ELECTRONICS DURING EVENT– Cell phones, I-pads, Gameboys, PSPs, radios, etc., except as needed for skit or song. Objects will be taken away and returned when the pack is checked out on Sunday.
9. NO FLYING OBJECTS – Frisbee, football, baseball, etc. Objects will may be taken away and returned when the pack is checked out on Sunday.
10. NO DRONES.
11. NO SKATEBOARDS, INLINE SKATES, OR BICYCLES - These will be taken away and returned when the pack is checked out on Sunday.
12. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - Evidence of any alcoholic beverage by any person will require immediate dismissal from the Cub-O-Ree of the entire Pack.
13. Only one campfire per Pack. Campfire must be dug out and soil replaced upon leaving. NO OPEN FLAMES AROUND TENTS.
14. Fire Buckets (Water) - all must be placed in a near cooking fire and campsite.
15. Cooking Fires - Adult Leaders, be sure grills are off the ground so the grass is not burned.
16. Water - We suggest each pack bring at least two water coolers. We have two water stations and will have coolers at each town. Additional coolers at each camp will be helpful.
17. Vehicles - There will be a designated area for ALL vehicles. Vehicles must leave the campsite immediately after unpacking.
18. A SCOUT IS CLEAN: Each Pack will have a designated area to clean before checking out. The Pack cannot leave camp without a check out approval by the checkout team inspector. WE LEAVE THE AREA CLEANER THAN HOW WE FOUND IT.
19. Spirit Award: You will not know who is on the spirit team. This is the time to display your pack's manners, sportsmanship, songs and cheering. Let them be loud and proud!
20. HAVE FUN!

Long Meadow Ranch Rules

1. Please no climbing trees.
2. Bring your own firewood.
3. Leave no trace with campfire.
4. Speed Limit is 20 MPH.

Remember we are guests here and if we treat the camp well we will be invited back.

Schedule

Friday	4:00:00 PM	Pack Registration	
			One person from the pack checks in
			Pack will supply roster of all people attending
			Pack will supply and turn in all medical forms
			Pack will get a 'Sherrif Badge' per den.
			Pack will be sent to their 'town'
	8:00:00 PM	Cracker Barrel	Mandatory Leader meeting
	9:30:00 PM	Astronomy	
	10:30:00 PM	Lights Out	
Saturday	8:30:00 AM	Flag Ceremony	Wear Class A
			Get a pack responsible for presenting colors
			Welcome to camp
	9:00:00 AM	Wild West Competition	3 morning sessions 40 minutes each
	11:30:00 AM	Lunch	
	1:00:00 PM	Wild West Competition	3 afternoon sessions 40 minutes each

2018 Texas Skies District Wild West CUB-O-REE

	3:40 PM	Closing Flag Ceremony	Wear Class A
	4:00:00 PM	Cast Iron Competition	
			Any den wanting to compete has 90 minutes to complete a dish
	4:00:00 PM	Pack/Den Time	
	5:00:00 PM	Free Time/Cook Dinner	
	5:30:00 PM	Skits Due for Campfire	
	6:49:00 PM	Sunset	
	7:30:00 PM	Campfire	
			Present Awards (wild west, cast iron, Pack spirit)
Sunday	7:30:00 AM	Interfaith Service	
	10:00:00 AM		Packs must be checked out

Competition

All scores are final. The Cub-O-Ree staff will remain fair in all situations. All disputed results should be addressed at the time of the event with the event coordinator/Judge. If the matter cannot be resolved, an adult leader should see a Cub-O- Ree staff member ASAP.

All-Around Cub-O-Ree Pack Award

Category	Max Score
Participation In Events	200
Volunteers (1 per 25 scouts)	200
Campfire	100
Flag Competition	100
Campsite Inspection	100
Spirit	100

Total	800
-------	-----

Pack Scoring Explanations

Participation In Events

Category	Max Score
Pack Registered by Friday 9pm	50
Pack has leader at Cracker Barrel	50
Pack at Opening Flag Ceremony	50
Pack at Closing Flag Ceremony	50

Volunteers

We need volunteers to make this event a success. A pack is asked to provide one adult per 25 Cub Scouts. Points will be awarded proportionally with a max of 200 points. Volunteers need to be provided at check in.

Campfire

Pack will have at least one skit or song for campfire. Skit or song must be turned in by 5:30 PM. If a skit or song is already being done, you will be asked to come up with another. Turn it in early!

Flag Competition

Each pack will be given flag cloth, and a pole at registration. Flag will be judged on the following criteria.

- Pack Numbers
- Theme
- Creativity
- Scout Spirit

Flags will need to be at both flag ceremonies to receive max points.

Campsite Inspection

Camps will be judged at lunch time. An adult leader must be present to be judged.

Category	Max Score
General Appearance	20
Duty Roster Clearly Posted	10
Campfire Pit Dug out (if using pack campfire)	10
Water buckets or Fire Extinguisher	10
First Aid Kit	20
Medical Forms available when asked for	10
Trash can available and not overflowing	10
Cleaning Station (can be washing hands or dishes)	10

Spirit

Overall pack spirit will be judged throughout the day. Songs, yells and general scout spirit.

All-Around Cub-O-Ree Den Award

Category	Max Score
Participate in all town events	60
Covered Wagon	100
Scout Skills	100
Covered Wagon Items	100
Song or Skit at Campfire	50
Den Flag	50
Scout Spirit and Sportsmanship	100

Total	560
-------	-----

Den Scoring Explanation

Participation in Towns

A den will receive 10 points per town they attend for a max of 60 points.

Covered Wagon

A den will need to bring a covered wagon. You can use any type of wagon and make a cover for it. Use your imagination. Points will be awarded for having a wagon, making it a covered wagon, and style points.

Covered Wagon Items

A den will want to have the following items in their wagon.

- Rank handbook
- Water
- The Six Essentials
- A hammer
- Den Flag
- Paper Towels

Scout Skill

A den will display a scout skill at each town. Skill will range from Scout Oath, Scout Law, Den Yell and knot tying. This will be tailored for Tigers.

Song or Skit at Campfire

A den will receive a max of 50 points for having a song or a skit for the campfire. Please note the due time for all skits or songs to be approved by.

Den Flag

A den will receive 50 points for having their den flag at the opening and closing ceremony.

Scout Spirit and Sportsmanship

A den can receive up to 100 points for demonstrating Scout Spirit and good Sportsmanship.

DUTCH OVEN CHILI COOK-OFF

Remember that the most important thing about this competition is that your Chili should reflect the creative nature of the Pack that you represent. Webelos dens may compete. Each den must have at most 2 adults help.

Protocol:

A copy of the recipe must accompany every entry, as the judges may want to recreate their favorite chili.

Your chili must be ready to eat prior to the judging start time **6pm**; remember that a burned judge is not a happy judge. A late chili will be eaten, but not included in the judging of the chilis. Presentation is everything in this competition; spare no expense as the judges may easily be bought off by a flashy presentation. It is not just the taste or the presentation that makes a winner! It's the whole package!

Rules

Be prepared to pick up more rules at the check-in area. In the meantime, the following rules will be observed.

- 1) Be prepared to bring and cook your Chili within a marked off area that, after the cook starts cooking, may not be crossed by the cook, any person aiding, assisting, or helping the cook, or any item, food, or spice. The rule here is: what you bring is what you use to cook. This includes **your Dutch oven. Don't forget!**
- 2) Your Chili and ingredients must be cooked during the Competition not precooked at another location.
- 3) **Cooking time will begin at 4:30pm and judging will begin at 6PM sharp!** Hot charcoal will be provided ready for your start time.

Judging criteria is as follows:

- 1) Did the Unit present a recipe for its Chili?

2018 Texas Skies District Wild West CUB-O-REE

- 2) Is the Chili cooked properly?
- 3) Is the Chili burned?
- 4) Does the Chili smell good?
- 5) Does the Chili look good?
- 6) Does the Chili taste good?

THE JUDGES DECISION IS FINAL!