

Eclipse Events at Treasure Mountain

Camping and Activity Events for Scouting Families, Guests, and Visitors
Friday - Monday, Aug 18-21, 2017, ECLIPSE IS MONDAY 10:00am - Noon

CAMPING INFORMATION GUIDE

This is a FAMILY FRIENDLY Event

- **Please no open use of alcohol. Illegal drugs are strictly prohibited.** Smoking is only approved in smoking areas or in your vehicle.
- **Please respect others space.** Quiet time starts at 10:00 PM and goes to 7:00 AM.
- **Remember the Boy Scout Values** – Trustworthy, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind
- **No Harassment or Hazing** - the Boy Scouts of America prohibit language or behavior that belittles or puts down other campers based on sex, age, race, religion, ethnicity, or for other differences. Unwelcome advances, racial slurs, chastisement for religious or other beliefs, or any other actions or comments that are derogatory of other people's differences.
- **NO** – Chainsaws, firearms, fireworks, loud music

Violation of this policy will result in the rejection of your group from camp with no refunds.

Camping Sites

- **Camping sites are SHARED sites booked to capacity.** This means that the campsite resources need to be shared with the groups who have booked the same site, including picnic tables, shelters, campfire benches, and campfire pits (if available) Campers can bring their own equipment (tables, elevated fire rings, etc.) if they wish. Tents or hammocks are approved camping gear (hammocks MUST be tied to trees using approved methods). There is NO room for RV parking at camp sites.
- **Camping sites must be kept free and clean of litter by the campers!** There is garbage service at the main camp areas for dumping garbage.
- **CAMPFIRES are ONLY permitted in established or elevated campfire pits.** You may bring your own elevated fire pit. Charcoal can be used on elevated surfaces and in established rings. Propane is always appropriate.
- **Food should be prepared with bear and critter safety in mind** – All food and smell-ables need to be placed in bear boxes or vehicles away from camp sleeping areas when not in use. This includes pet food. Please secure your coolers as well in your vehicles and do NOT leave them permanently in your campsite.
- **Pets must be kept on a leash ALWAYS** – Or secured in your RV or tent.
- **Please ONLY use established latrines**
- **Parking in the Parking Lot** – PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY AND BE ALERT AND ATTENTIVE WHILE OPERATING YOUR VEHICLE AT TREASURE MOUNTAIN. All passenger vehicles must remain parked in the parking lot. You may drive to your campsite or near your campsite to unload.
- **Personal equipment should be secured** – The camp is not responsible for lost or damaged items left unattended at camp.

Campground Features

- **A trading post will be open** part of the time for some sundry items and snacks.
- **Program areas and equipment are off limits without staff approval**
- **The camp contains a lake.** Please observe all Wyoming fishing regulation. Enjoy the lake at your own risk. You may bring and use your own non-motorized boats and floating equipment with PFD's. No swimming!

Bear Safety Regulations and Procedures

The area surrounding all of our Boy Scout Camps are known to be frequented by Black Bear and Grizzly Bear. Your vigilance in following the below-stated procedures will benefit all of camp now, and in the future. Bears have a great memory and will return to an encountered food source within a week or two of that date the following year. If they've found nothing, there's no reason to come back, making camping safer for you and for future campers.

BEAR SAFETY DISCUSSION: All participants must attend the bear safety discussion on Monday and your troop friend and your commissioner will visit your campsite for a discussion on bear safety, recognition, and how to avoid encounters. **Prior to visiting camp, all troops and leaders must view the bear safety videos on the Wyoming Game and Fish Department's website, <https://wgfd.wyo.gov/Wildlife-in-Wyoming/More-Wildlife/Large-Carnivore/Grizzly-Bear-Management/Bear-Wise-Wyoming>.**

ATTRACTANTS: Keep all attractants in bear boxes, i.e., all food items (snacks, candy, all drinks and soda pop), all toiletries (tooth paste, deodorant, bug repellent, lotions), any petroleum based products (gas, oil, household cleaners), and any other items with a scent that may cause a bear to become curious.

BEAR-RESISTANT CONTAINERS: There are approved IGBC (Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee) bear-resistant containers in each campsite. Bear boxes must be secured with both carabineers to be bear resistant. When items do not fit in provided containers, items will be locked in your vehicle or stored in an IGBC *certified* bear resistant container. If you have brought a cooler for food or water storage it must be an IGBC *certified* bear resistant or secured in your bear box or locked in your vehicle. If your cooler *has only been used for water*, and *will only be used for water during your stay*, it may be allowed. There is no reason to keep a cooler in camp.

GARBAGE AND BEAR-RESISTANT DUMPSTERS: IGBC approved dumpsters are located throughout camp. When using these dumpsters, insure that the latches are firmly engaged. Uncontained garbage bags, open garbage cans or other receptacles are prohibited. All garbage, including food waste, must be removed from your campsite immediately and always prior to bedtime. If you have left-overs from your meal, it is considered garbage and should be taken to the dumpster for disposal. Do not store food such as milk, soda pop, or other attractants in the creek or streams. Please let the commissary know if you are receiving too much food or milk, and they will make the appropriate changes for your group. Do not dispose of food or drink in the bushes, in fire pits or

on the ground as it is a bear attractant.

TENTS AND SLEEPING AREAS: No attractants will be allowed in tents or sleeping areas. Leaders should check tents, sleeping bags, and sleeping areas each night to insure that no food or other attractants are taken to tents.

DISH WASHING AND GRAY WATER DISPOSAL: Dish water will be strained then broadcast. Strained food particles are to be discarded in garbage bags and then disposed of in the dumpsters. Straining cloths are to be secured in your bear boxes when not in use.

EATING AREAS: Need to be cleaned so that all tables and equipment are not bear attractants. This includes substances like microtrash, drink spills, chip crumbs, ketchup and mustard spills, etc., are cleaned after each meals or snacks. While these may not lead to a food reward to the bears the smells can attack bears to the camps leading to other bear problems.

CAMP COMMISSIONERS: Your camp commissioners will inspect your campsite each day to help you with questions and compliance to these important procedures. Your camp friend will also visit your campsite several times each day. You will use the "Bear Guard Plan" (a self evaluation tool) to help you be prepared for your daily inspections.

BEAR SIGHTINGS: If a bear is sighted, the Camp Director must be informed immediately. Do not engage a bear. If a bear reward (eats human food) or other problem occurs, remove the attractant if safe to do so and follow the identified notification protocol. Forest Service and Game & Fish will work with the camp to assess how to address the bear.

SAFETY: Never do anything to entice or invite a bear into your campsite, and especially not into your tent. Never provoke a bear to act aggressively. Do not throw rocks or any objects at the bear, use camera flash, approach, or go close to a bear. A mother with cubs is very protective and easily provoked. Give all bears a wide berth. (minimum 300 feet)

COMPLIANCE: All Boy Scout Camps in the Grand Teton Council reserve the right to dismiss any individual or group that does not comply with these regulations. Everyone is required to follow Food Storage Orders (Order # 04-15-117). Blatant violations could result in expulsion from camp property, forfeiture of camp fees and possible Forest Service citation.

Treasure Mountain Map

