

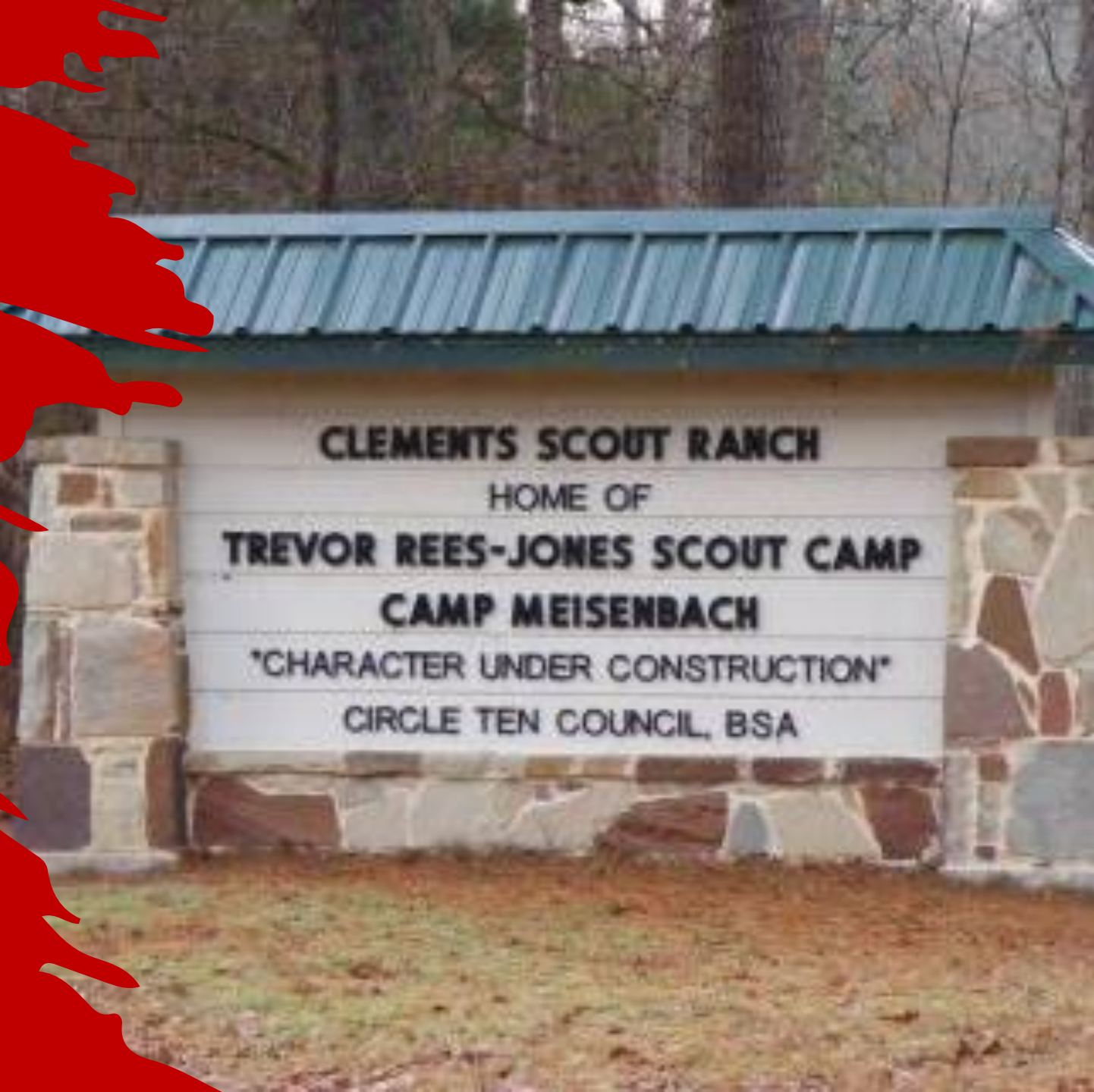
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***2024 Trevor Rees-
Jones Summer Camp***

Welcome! We will begin shortly.

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*Get READY
for the*

ATHENS GAMES!



The background of the slide is a scenic photograph of a lake. In the foreground, several people are paddling in green canoes on the water. They are wearing blue life jackets. The lake is surrounded by a dense forest of tall, green pine trees under a clear blue sky. The water is calm, reflecting the surrounding greenery. A white, brush-stroke-like graphic element is overlaid on the image, framing the text.

2024 Class Catalog

- 2024 TRJ Class Catalog is now available to select classes!
- Scouts must be **current** on their fee schedule to be able to select classes.
- 2024 TRJ Class Catalog Weeks 1-2
- 2024 TRJ Class Catalog Weeks 3-5



2024 Leaders and Program Guide

- [NEW TRJ Summer Camp Website](#)
- [2024 TRJ Leaders Guide](#)
- [2024 TRJ Program Guide](#)

ATV

- **Our All-Terrain Vehicles Experience will be back but BIGGER and BETTER than ever!**
- **We have increased our class size to eight Scouts!**
- **This opportunity is for Scouts 14 years of age and older. There will be an additional \$90 charge to participate in the program which will be added to the troop invoice in Black Pug.**
- **Scouts will earn the ATV Safety Institute rider certification and get a chance to experience a rare opportunity to see over 2,000 acres of land on the back of a four-wheeler. Fly through the air with us this summer!**
atvsafety.org





Lakefront & Aquatics

- **Take a trip to Lake McElvaney where Scouts have the adventurous opportunity to bounce on our blob, compete through our blob city water maze, tube down our slide, and if they are brave enough, swing through the air and immerse themselves into the water!**
- **When it's time to relax they also have the opportunity to kayak, canoe, row, or even paddleboard through the lake in their free time.**





NEW AQUATICS CENTER UNDER CONSTRUCTION!

- We will be welcoming a brand-new pool this summer! We all know that in the heat of the summer the Scouts love jumping in the pool to cool down. This new addition to our aquatics area will give the Scouts more space for classes and free swim.
- During free swim, we will have basketball and volleyball games running in the water! We are so excited for this new addition to our camp so make sure that you come out to see us and stop by to enjoy the new pool!

Climbing & Rappelling

- Trevor Rees-Jones Scout Camp's climbing tower has four levels of climbing – 12', 24', 36', and 48'.
- Two levels of rappelling - 36' and 48'.
- The tower is designed to challenge both the beginner and the more experienced climber with its different challenges and levels.
- Also located in the climbing area is a bouldering wall which is a horizontal climb that challenges the Scouts' climbing technique and endurance.



A photograph showing a person in a maroon shirt and blue shorts climbing a tall wooden wall. Several other people are at the base of the wall, reaching up and cheering. The background is a dense forest of green trees.

Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience (COPE)

- **We are so excited to reopen our COPE program this summer at Trevor Rees-Jones Scout Camp. Youth 13 years of age and older can sign up to be tested on our week-long course.**
- **Scouts will be immersed in learning leadership skills, teamwork, trust, and communication.**
- **If you are adventurous and want to challenge yourself while having some fun, sign up to enjoy our ZIPLINE this summer. No age requirement: if the Scout fits in the harness, they get to zip!**

CIT/COM

- Tired of the heat? Come join us in our CIT/COM area! Whether it is battling on the chess board, learning to make a movie, or building a robot, this area will test your knowledge.
- For Scouts in the Communication merit badge, they will be MCs for the closing campfire. On Friday we will show the movies made in moviemaking and photography in the dining hall.
- For all our chess lovers, join us Friday afternoon for our chess tournament. This area is also available for Scouts to utilize for homework requirements for merit badges throughout the week.



First Year Camper (FYC)



- For all new Scouts - come join us at our First Year Camper area! Throughout the week the Scouts will work on their rank advancements for Tenderfoot, First class, and Second class.
- We have upgraded our program and now we will be offering two separate times for this class 9am-11am and 2pm-4pm.
- In addition to the regular FYC class during open area time we will be offering totin chip, fireman chit, and the Paul Bunyan award. On Friday morning our FYC staff will be leading the FYC classes and anyone else who would like to join in on a five-mile hike through our beautiful camp!
- We also recommend that in addition to the FYC class, Scouts take the instructional swim or basketry/leatherwork merit badge classes

Horsemanship

- In addition to our Horsemanship and Veterinary Medicine classes we are offering a new program!
- **Horse Overnighter/Cavalcade:** We are bringing back a Scout favorite! Each Tuesday and Thursday night at 5:00 p.m. there will be an overnight horse cavalcade. Space is extremely limited to 7 Scouts a night so units can sign up **ONE Scout** on a first come first serve basis. We recommend the unit nominate an honor camper that displays Scout spirit and is living up to the Scout Oath and Law! The Scouts will meet at the Upper Corral, load up, and hit the trail via horseback. The Scouts will have a campfire meal that evening that they will prepare, learn to take care of their horse, and most importantly have a ton of FUN!!





Handicraft

- **Painting, sculpting, making baskets, welding, wood carving, and having fun are what makes the Handicraft area so awesome!**
- **Scouts have a chance to express their creativity in the form of art. We have added new class slots for our popular Art and Sculpture merit badge.**
- **Along with the other activities we offer we will now have a tie-dye station at our Handicraft area! You will be able to purchase a white TRJ t-shirt from the trading post, head to Handicraft, and make your own awesome creation.**

Nature & Fishing

- Hike through our 3000 acres of beautiful piney woods where you will see a variety of wildlife and trees over 100 feet tall! Look at the clear blue night skies at our Tuesday evening star party, or visit our animals and reptiles in our Living History Museum
- Trevor Rees-Jones Scout camp is known throughout East Texas for its excellent fishing! As this is one of our most popular activities, we want to ensure EVERY Scout has the opportunity to catch a fish this summer! Our lakes have been fully stocked with many fish for the catch! No fishing license is required. Please remember that we are catch and release only.
- We have a new fishing pavilion that is equipped with fishing poles for the Scouts to use during free time. Come out and cast to your heart's content. Who knows, maybe you'll catch a 10-pound bass!





Scout Skills

- **Every Scout should know the basics of camping, how to lash, and which knots to tie. This area is great for Scouts to develop skills to survive the wilderness, cook meals, pioneering, and first aid knowledge. These outdoor skills will teach them lifelong expertise!**
- **During your down time in between competitions, try your hand at woodturning! Join our amazing instructor and learn how to make a pen. Signup online or at headquarters to book a one-hour slot!**

Target & Range Sports

- Scouts can come develop their marksman skills this summer at Trevor Rees-Jones Scout Camp in archery, shotgun, or rifle ranges while learning safe practices!
- There is no age limit for these merit badge classes but they do require a certain amount of strength and control to use.
- Show off those marksman skills at our new Action Archery program by shooting arrows at discs that fly through the air!



Adult Opportunities

*Adult Class Catalog is available to view April 1st
and you can select classes starting today April 2nd
@2pm*

• **Climbing Level 1** (\$30)

• **CPR/First Aid** (\$50)

• **Introduction to Outdoor Leadership (IOLS)** (\$5)

• **Paddle Craft Safety** (\$5)

• **Pen-Turning** (\$10)

• **Wood Working Workshop**

• **Adult Only Night Swim/Climb**



Daily Events

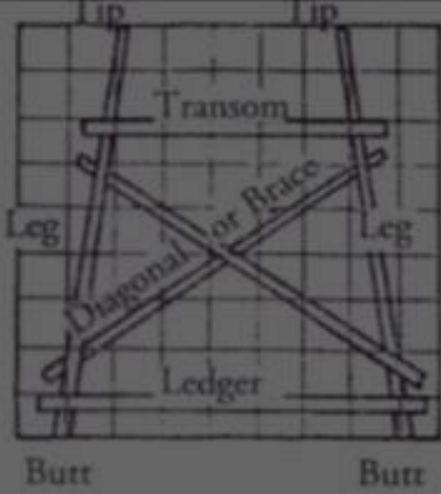
- Sunday Night Opening Ceremony
- Monday Night Marathon
- Tuesday Evening Qualifiers/Soccer Playoffs
- Wednesday Western Fair
- Thursday Evening Qualifiers
- Friday Gold Medal Event



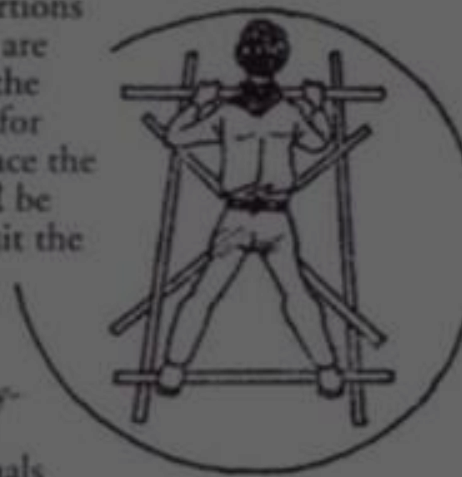
Additional Programs & Special Events

- **Chariot Racing**
- **Pen-turning**
- **Wilderness Survival
Overnighter**
- **Movie Night**
- **Star Party**
- **Scoutmaster Shoot**



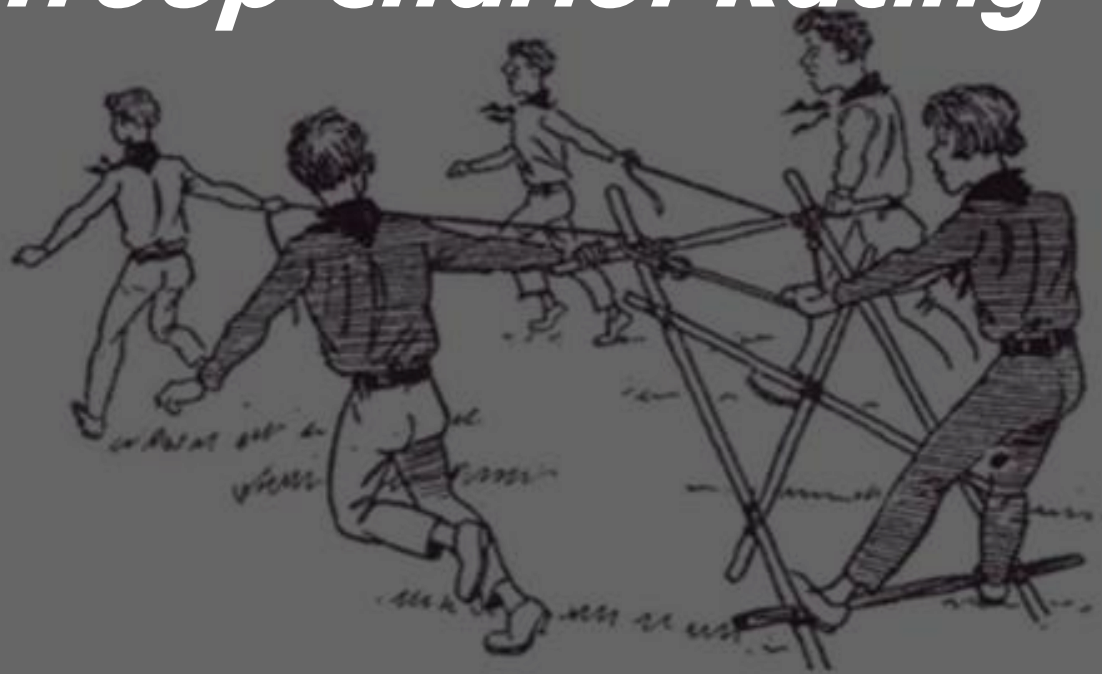


In mainline Pioneering the classic proportions of the trestle are as shown in the diagram but for the chariot race the trestle should be tailored to suit the charioteer.



Square lashings everywhere except where diagonals cross each other.

Troop Chariot Racing





Order of the Arrow

- Upon Arrival:** Provide a list of names for Call-out to our Camp Chief Kayla Bell
- Monday:** Brotherhood candidates pick up re-dedication paperwork from Camp Chief
- Thursday:** Brotherhood walk and ceremony (after evening programming)
- Friday:** A Call-out (after Campfire)
- OA members:** encouraged to wear sash, with a full field uniform, on Friday during dinner
- Out-of-Council Troop:** If your home Lodge is not Mikanakawa (Circle Ten Council), we still may host your call-out. We will need a letter/email from your Lodge Chief (or Lodge Adviser) permitting us to do so. Similarly, we can only seal your membership with Brotherhood with specific permission from your Lodge.

Miki Corps Week 4: Cheerful Service

- As an Arrowman in good standing, you are eligible to attend summer camp at Trevor Rees Jones; work on small camp projects in the morning, participate in activities of your choosing in the afternoon and evenings, and get the full benefit of what camp has to offer.

Who: Mikanakawa Lodge Arrowmen

What: Summer Camp at TRJ

When: June 23 - 29, 2024

Price: \$160

Where: Trevor Rees Jones Scout Camp, Athens, TX

Registration: (Use this link and select week 4, OA Member)

<https://scoutingevent.com/571-2024SummerCampTRJ>

Passcode: CheerfulService

- For participating in Mikicorps for the week, you will receive the limited edition Mikicorps patch and a new set of work gloves.



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Maverick Program

- The Maverick registration is reserved for persons who do not meet the minimum (2) youth and (2) adult registration requirement. To ensure the best experience for the Scouts and adult leaders, each Maverick Scout must be accompanied by a parent/guardian (Maverick Adult). The Maverick Adult must be a currently registered member of the BSA.



Trading Post

- Pre-Order Online
- Small – XL Shirts \$15
- XXL \$16
- XXXL \$17
- XXXXL \$18



Required Documents/Paperwork

UNIT BINDER

Unit binder with the following organized into the following sections (preferred):

1. Unit Roster (downloaded from my.scouting.org with those attending marked). All persons attending camp must show on this roster.
2. Adults: Youth Protection Training Certificates (YPT) for all adults on camp. Must be valid through end of stay at camp.
3. Adults: Weather Hazards Certificate (at least one adult; recommended that multiple adults have)
4. Adults: Adult In-Camp State Compliance Form

HEALTH FORM BINDER

All: BSA Annual Health Record ABC with copies of insurance card.

This is for both youth and adults (full and part-time). Must include Part C and must be valid through the end of camp stay.

SCOUTS

1. Class schedule
2. Camp map

SWIM CHECKS

All: Swim Check Roster (turn into Aquatics Director after main check-in)

- Swim checks may be done after check-in.

Important Deadlines

All participants - final balance DUE including all additional fees such as t-shirts, classes, etc.

Regular Registration: \$375 per Scout begins May 15, 2024, at 11:00 p.m. CST

15 May 2024, 10:59 PM

15 May 2024, 10:59 PM

15 May 2024, 11:00 PM

Early Registration: \$355 per Scout ends May 15, 2024, at 10:59 p.m. CST

2024 Circle Ten Council Staff Service Project

- The Circle Ten Council staff is conducting a service project this summer, benefitting the Genesis Women's Shelter. We need your support! Donate items or conduct a drive to collect these items from your community. The staff will put the kits together following summer camp.
- Your unit will receive recognition at summer camp for items contributed

Items Needed:

Youth

- Activity books
- Crayons
- Small games (cards, travel size, etc.)
- Toothbrush, toothpaste
- Shampoo
- Soap

Women:

- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Soap
- Toothbrush, toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Lotion
- Razors
- Hand sanitizer
- Vaseline
- Scrunchie





There's Still Time to Apply!

Camp Staff Needs:

- Lifeguards (16+)
- Wranglers (18+)

Eagle Scouts GREATLY Encouraged!

<https://ctcbsa.workbrightats.com/jobs/>

Questions?

Next Leader/SPL Meetings via ZOOM

- Wednesday May 8th @7pm

