

# Venturing Summit – 2011

## Information Sheet

This information sheet will help you prepare yourself and your friends for the fun and excitement at the “Venturing Summit” at Bovay Scout Ranch. This event will include fun, fellowship, and an opportunity to recognize those youth and adults who are being bestowed with the Venturing Leadership Award. This truly will be the premier Venturing activity of the year. Registration will be open to individual Venturers, Crews and Ships, and prospective members.

**Date** | August 12-14, 2011 (Friday evening to Sunday morning) You are welcome to come to the event all 3 days, for Saturday only, or just the banquet – whatever suits your plans and schedule! See the registration form for costs.

**Time** | Check-in begins 4 PM Friday afternoon; check-out 10 AM Sunday morning. Early check-out is appropriate on Saturday night after the banquet if you need to leave.

**Location** | Bovay Scout Ranch, Navasota, Texas



**Directions**

Directions thru Hempstead:

- From Hempstead take HWY 6 N for 16 miles
- Turn right onto County Road 317
- Travel to end of the road through camp gate.

Directions thru Conroe:

- From Conroe take HWY 105 W for 45 miles
- Turn left onto HWY 6 for three miles
- Turn left onto County Road 317 (just past Grassy Creek)
- Travel to end of the road through camp gate.



**Fees**

\$25.00 Friday – Sunday fee  
 \$20.00 Saturday *Only* fee, includes the banquet  
 \$10.00 Banquet Only fee



**Camping**

Canvas wall tents (on concrete pads) are available at each camping area. You are encouraged to bring your own tent also. All camping assignments will be made by the “Venturing Summit” staff. No youth will stay in the tent of an adult other than his/her parent or guardian. Non-married male and female leaders require separate tents.

Camping is by Unit. Each Unit must provide 2-deep leadership as appropriate.

There are lights in each campsite pavilion, the restrooms, and the showers but there are no lights in the canvas wall tents. There is one 12-amp receptacle at each campsite under the pavilion. Fans, lights, or any other electrical appliances may not be run on extension cords from the pavilion to the tents.

**Note:** Coordinate with the Venturing Summit staff and Medical personnel on-site if there are legitimate medical issues requiring electricity to a tent.

**Emergency number**

| 936-825-4120

<b>Uniform and Dress</b>	<p>All Venturing youth and adults are requested to dress appropriately at all times. Proper Venturing or Sea Scout uniforms are requested for the awards banquet. During the day appropriate and cool clothing is recommended. Activity areas require that proper attire (i.e. shirts for males) be worn for both modesty and for sun protection. Hats are not to be worn in the Dining Hall, the Front Office or the Medical facility. Swimming attire by both male and female attendees (youth and adult) will be modest. Females should wear 1-piece swim attire; Speedo swim attire for males is not to be worn.</p>												
<b>Music and Movies</b>	<p>Music provided for the dance is both age and content appropriate. Additions to the music play list are not solicited. Movies shown on Friday and Saturday night will be appropriate for the age group and adhere to the guidelines of Boy Scouts of America.</p>												
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<b>Restroom/Shower</b>	<p>There are Restroom/Shower facilities between two campsites. Each has at least 5 restrooms and 5 showers. Each restroom has a flush toilet and sink. Showers are individual with hot and cold water. Toilet paper is provided – but not paper towels. All facilities are uni-sex and have handicap restroom and shower available at each site.</p>												
<b>Dining</b>	<p>Meals are served in air-conditioned Dining Hall. Professional cooks prepare meals. Beverages will be available throughout the day.</p>												
<b>Medical</b>	<p>Medical forms will be collected for each person at camp (including visitors). Medications may be stored at the Medical facility. Fully qualified medical personnel are on-staff.</p>												
<b>Activity</b>	<p>Most activities will be on Saturday from 8:30 AM until 10:30 PM. All activities are supervised with qualified personnel. Activities will include campaigning for and election of leadership in the Venturing Officers Association.</p>												
<b>Registration</b>	<p>Forms are available on-line at <a href="http://www.shacventuring.org/">http://www.shacventuring.org/</a></p>												