



SCOUT
Camp Night
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Scout Camp Nights

Dear Camp Night Participant,

Thank you for participating in the **Scout Camp Nights Program** at Gilroy Gardens Family Theme Park. We are excited to have you involved in this program.

Enclosed you will find the following:

- **Overnight Tickets** - (Tickets will be collected and wristbands issued as you enter the campground. Please distribute tickets to individuals that are arriving separately.)
- **Family and Friends Tickets** - (Guests should enter through the main gate. Tickets will be collected at the turnstiles; wristbands are included along with the tickets mailed out to you for access to the lunch area. Please distribute tickets to individuals before arrival.)
- 1. Chaperone Information
- 2. Itinerary and Directions
- 3. Meal Menu
- 4. Camp Site Map
- 5. Tent Specifications
- 6. Camp Nights Prohibited Items
- 7. Learning Activity Packet

Scout Camp Night T-Shirts that were pre-purchased are available for pick-up at the merchandise table during the dinner hour. Additional T-Shirts will be available for purchase on a first-come, first-served basis.

Gilroy Gardens is providing many wonderful activities for scouts and their families.

If you have any questions prior to the event or about your tickets, please call us at (408) 840-7112.

Thank you again for supporting Gilroy Gardens Family Theme Park, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

Chaperone Responsibilities

Thank you very much for taking the time to chaperone this group through Gilroy Gardens Family Theme Park. We hope you have a wonderful time exploring the Park. To ensure the best experience for your group and our other Guests we ask that Chaperones be responsible for the following:

- Please distribute all tickets to Guests prior to entering the camp areas. Tickets will be collected as you enter the camp location.
- Be aware of the schedule of events and communicate them to participants.
- Lights out/quiet hours are 10:30pm–6:00am. For the comfort of all Guests, please ensure that all participants are in their tents and quiet during these times.
- Please keep your group together and guide them through the Park during the entire event.
- In the Park, you are responsible for monitoring your group's behavior.
- Please discourage destructive behavior and make participants aware of other visitors' experiences.
- Please report ALL injuries to our safety staff.

**In Case of an Emergency:
408-840-7199**

Itinerary & Directions

That Evening

4:00P - 6:00P **Set-up time**

Once you enter at the Gilroy Gardens sign, take another immediate left and do not go towards the Theme Park. Proceed through the Security Gate, and go approximately 200 yards. On your right-hand side enter a dirt lot "Parking Lot C" (Gate 8). Parking is Free to overnight campers.

6:00P **Dinner is served**

7:00P **Camp Night Showcase in Lakeside Amphitheater**

Due to numerous requests for the Amphitheater, Gilroy Gardens will be supplying an MC to help organize the event. Each troop will be given 5 minutes to present their skit or song that they have prepared in advance. Bringing guitars for sing-alongs, music for dance performances, etc. is encouraged. We can provide microphones and Cassette/CD system.

10:30P – 6:00A **Lights Out/Quiet Hours**

Next Morning

7:30A-8:30A Breakfast is served

9:15A Interactive educational activity lead by Docents – *Meet outside Sugar Plum Farm*

10:00A Rides & Attractions open; Front Gate opens

12:00P Lunch served in camping area

3:00P Attendees must be cleared out of camping area

Directions

Take the 101 towards Gilroy
Exit on Leavesley Rd./CA 152-W/ CR-G9 W toward Gilroy/Watsonville
Turn left at Monterey St/CA-152
Turn right onto First St. /CA-152
Continue to follow CA-152
Enter at the Gilroy Gardens sign and follow directional signs to Camp Nights

Meals Served at Scout Camp Nights:

All meals include unlimited Coca-Cola soft drinks and water

Day 1

Dinner 6:00pm-7:00pm

Spaghetti w/ marinara sauce, BBQ chicken, fruit salad, freshly baked rolls, and ice cream favorites.

Day 2

Breakfast 7:30am-8:30am

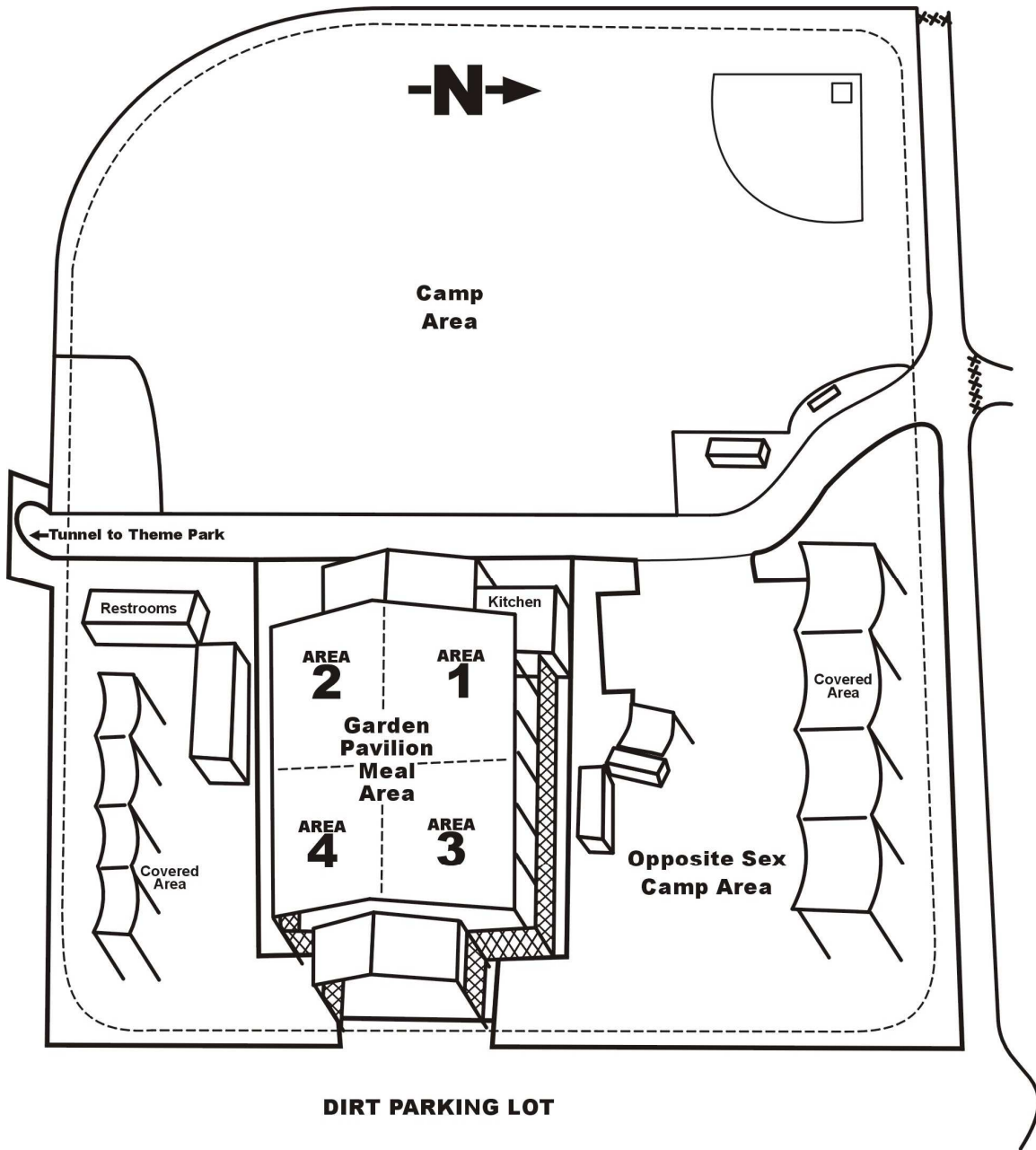
Scrambled eggs, bacon, home style potatoes, juice, and coffee.

Lunch 12:00pm-1:00pm

Turkey and ham sandwiches, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches, all beef hot dogs, and ice cream favorites.

(Wristbands are required to enter the camping and meal areas)

Camp Nights Map

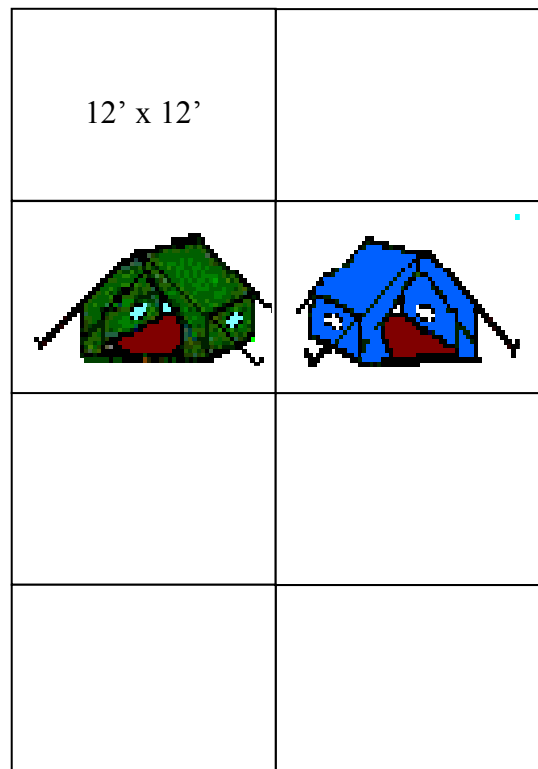


Tent Specifications

Due to the growing number of campers at Scout Camp Nights:

- Each troop may be assigned a number of 12' x 12' tent spaces on the field based on the number of people in your group [Example: 9-12 people in a group would receive (3) 12' x 12' spaces on the field].
- Each tent space can hold up to 3-4 people comfortably.
- In support of council rules, members of the opposite sex have a designated sleeping area. Location is noted on the Camp Site Map.
- Please set up tents according to the example of the grid below.
- Please have entrance into tent facing the walkway.
- Please respect the grounds and pick up trash.
- Be aware of water lines, while pounding in stakes for your tents. If you feel resistance, please remove the stake and move it over to another location.

Example:



Prohibited Items List

For your safety and the safety of others we ask that the following items be left at home and not brought to Camp Nights:

Weapons/Firearms -

1. Pistols/Rifles/shotguns
2. BB guns
3. Paint guns/rifles
4. Knives of any kind and size
5. Pepper spray/mace

Outdoor equipment -

1. Shovels or any digging equipment
2. Saws
3. Axes/picks/hoes

Cooking equipment -

1. Gas/charcoal/wood stoves
2. Steno stoves
3. No open flame

Game/play equipment -

1. Lawn darts
2. Horse shoes
3. Roller skate/inline skates
4. Skate boards
5. Bicycles
6. Motorized vehicles

No pets of any kind except for “working” dogs.

No alcohol or controlled substance.

No campfires or other type of burning equipment.