



CHECK LIST FOR APPLICATION TO CONDUCT A CANOE TRIP AND ALL WATER TOUR PERMITS

WATERWAYS

- Permit requires name of waterway
- Is it flat water or whitewater?
- Need Put-in-point and Take-out point

CANOE CARDS

- Must have Sam Houston Area Council (SHAC) canoe card(s)
- SHAC requires one SHAC canoe card per trip, flat water or whitewater
- It is recommended one canoe card for every ten canoes but it is not required

SAFE SWIM DEFENSE

- Must have one person with safe swim defense per trip
- Must have names and expiration dates of training
- Safe swim defense cards are good for two years
- SHAC does not keep training records

SAFETY AFLOAT

- Must have one person with safety afloat for every ten youth on the trip if there are boating / float trip activities
- Must have names and expiration dates of training
- These cards are good for two years
- SHAC does not keep training records

CPR

- Must have one person with CPR for each trip
- Red Cross cards are good for one year
- American Heart Association cards are good for two years
- First aid is good for three years

TOUR PERMITS / APPLICATION TO CONDUCT A CANOE TRIP

- All blanks on the tour permit and application must be filled in, including number of scouts and number of leaders
- Information on outside vendor's canoe rentals / troop owned must be included
- Information on canoes, brand, type, and length must be included
- All council canoe rentals should be forwarded to the Camp Strake office to be approved
- Check auto information
- Applications must be signed by Committee Chairman
- Send copy of rules for council canoeing with all canoe permits