

Camp Tapico Fire Prevention Procedures

Fire prevention is important! The following: **Must** be done in every troop:

- You will be provided with a unit fireguard chart which will be explained at the Sunday check in, and must be filled out and posted on your camp bulletin board.
- Fires may be built only in the designated areas and under proper supervision.
- Fires should never be left unattended.
- Troop leaders should instruct all Scouts on the proper procedures in putting out fires.
- Fires should be started only with natural materials. No liquid fuels may be used.
- In case of an uncontrolled or wild fire, notify the Administration Building at once.
- Within 24 hours of arrival, a fire drill must and will be conducted at Camp Tapico.

No flames of any kind in tents at any time

- National policy prohibits the use of open flames in tents, which includes mosquito coils, catalytic heaters, gas lanterns, stoves, candles and smoking materials.
- **No Flames in** sign posted on each tent.
- Fireworks are prohibited.
- Liquid or propane fuels should be used only under adult supervision.
- Propane cylinders and cans of liquid fuel must be stored under lock and key. Under NO circumstances are they to be stored in campsites.
- Empty cylinders and cans must be taken to the camp ranger for disposal.