

Meet Director Notes

Tyler State Park

April 15, 2023

Welcome

Welcome to NTOA's annual April meet at beautiful Tyler State Park. Carl Bridges has worked hard on designing a set of challenging courses for this jewel of the State Park system. There are some slight operational changes from years past. So, please read carefully.

Park Entrance Fee

1. There is an entrance fee for each person as you enter the park. Please contact the park for the exact fee.
2. School groups may qualify for a discount. Please call the park at 1-903-597-5338 to make arrangements.

Registration

We will **NOT** be using the large group pavilion as we have in previous years. The Parks Department is supposed to be upgrading the pavilion and the parking lot will have equipment stored there. See the map on the website for alternative locations as described below.

Headquarters and Registration and E-punch downloading:

This will be set up at the small parking area that is between the bus parking and the group pavilion.

Start and Finish:

Start will be just across the street from where the buses will park.

Finish will be at the end of the parking lot that is near the lake. It is called Brown's Point. Be sure to download as you walk back to your car or your bus. You will pass the download station at the HQ as you do so.

Parking

Buses: We will use the large parking lot at the boat ramp that is about 200 meters north of the group pavilion.

Cars: There is parking at the boat ramp, but buses have priority here. You can fill in where you can. Otherwise, there is parking in other areas, such as also the boat house where the bathrooms are. Parking is also available at the long parking area that parallels the lake near the Finish. So, you may park here and have your car there.

Restrooms

There are restrooms at the bath house area. There are also facilities located near the campgrounds throughout the park.

Assisting School

Our original assisting school had to cancel – if your group can help, please contact me at the email below ASAP, and thank you! There is an honorarium paid for helping, more if you can help pick up bags.

Finally

Some areas of the park are marked as “Out of Bounds.” This includes camping grounds that are marked by red stripes on the map. Do not go into these areas. Otherwise, please be respectful of others and pick up after yourself if you bring in water, etc.

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