



Outdoor Recreation Leadership Training



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FamCamp
Creating Quality Time for Families

A program of the California State Parks that introduces community organizations to the benefits of outdoor recreation that may not otherwise have the opportunity. FamCamp® has 15 trailers statewide each loaded with camping gear to accommodate up to 36 people. The goal of FamCamp® is to strengthen personal bonds and encourage healthy, positive recreational activities emphasizing team building and group interaction among members of community based organizations.



This exciting training focuses on the role of outdoor recreation in developing leadership skills. The training combines outdoor recreation leadership, youth development principles, and community building tools. Participants will experience outdoor challenge activities as well as plan, implement and evaluate an overnight camping trip. Participants will be prepared, not only to lead overnight camping experiences with more confidence, but develop strategies and techniques to enhance *all* of their community programming. Upon completion of the training participants will have access to the California State Parks' FamCamp®* program, gear, parks, and network of other community organizations who share the pursuit of introducing community groups to camping and the benefits of outdoor experiences.

Training Topics Include:

- Role of recreation in community building
- Youth development principles and community improvement strategies with implementation tools and tips
- Leadership development and networking opportunities
- Outdoor recreation skill development and program planning
- Group facilitation with diverse communities
- Team building activities and opportunities to enhance programming

Next Training Dates and Location:

Northern California: Richardson Grove State Park

October 22, 23, 24, 2010

The training session consists of three-days & two nights of camping, starting 1:00 PM the first day, a full 2nd day and ending at 12:00 PM on the last day.

Registration Cost:

\$250 per participant, payable to *California State Parks Foundation*, at time of registration (includes: training and materials, camping equipment, and all meals.)

Space is limited. Register now!

Registration must be submitted two weeks prior to the training.

*FamCamp® is a collaborative program of the California State Parks Foundation and California State Parks.



