

Bonclarken Conference Center

2012 Recreation Information, Pricing, & Group Size Limits

Adventure/Challenge Activities

Caving

Participants enter the cave via a 15-foot ladder and explore the main chamber and its nooks and crannies. Those who desire a challenge have the option to brave a tight squeeze. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as flashlights and helmets are provided. No experience with caving is necessary.

Minimum requirements: 10 years of age; must be able to hike up and down hills and climb up and down ladders. Participants must wear long pants, long sleeve shirts, hiking or tennis shoes - expect clothes to get very dirty.

Cost | \$200 for up to 15 participants (must have 2 leaders and 13 or fewer participants). Groups are responsible for transportation to and from the cave site (15 miles each way). Allow 3-4 hours for round-trip travel and cave exploration. Flashlights and helmets are provided.

High Ropes Course

Participants climb 45 feet off the ground to explore two levels of challenging ropes elements including a Burma bridge, trolleys, a vine traverse, a catwalk, and an hourglass element. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as harnesses, carabineers, lobster claw clips, helmets, and ropes are provided, managed, fitted, and set up by our trained and experienced staff.

Minimum requirements: 12 years of age and 5 feet tall. Participants must be able to fit into our harnesses- NO special rigging can be allowed. All participants must be present at the beginning of the session for rules and safety orientation.

Costs | \$500 for up to 14 participants (up to 3 hours – AM or PM)
\$1000 for 2 session day - can be AM and PM split OR both levels run simultaneously (PM Only) for up to 30 participants

Leap of Faith

Participants climb a 20-ft. telephone pole, leap to tag a hanging element, and descend gently to the ground. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as harnesses, carabineers, helmets, and ropes are provided, managed, fitted, and set up by our trained and experienced staff.

Minimum requirements: 8 years of age and must be able to fit into our harnesses- NO special rigging can be allowed.

Cost | \$200 for unlimited use for session up to 4 hours.

Swing

Participants climb a cargo net to a platform where a trained staff member clips them to the steel cable swing. After stepping off the platform, there is an exciting drop followed by 2-3 minutes of giant swings. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as harnesses, carabineers, lobster claw clips, helmets, and ropes are provided, managed, fitted, and set up by our trained and experienced staff.

Minimum requirements: 10 years of age and 5 feet tall. Participants must be able to fit into our harnesses- NO special rigging can be allowed.

Cost | \$300 for session up to 4 hours. Maximum of 30 participants.

Zipline

Participants climb to a platform where a trained staff member clips them to a zipline pulley. From the platform, there is an exciting drop followed by a speedy ride along the cable. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as harnesses, carabineers, lobster claw clips, helmets, and ropes are provided, managed, fitted, and set up by our trained and experienced staff.

Minimum requirements: 8 years of age and must be able to fit into our harnesses- NO special rigging can be allowed.

Cost | \$300 for session up to 4 hours. Maximum of 35 participants.

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Climbing Tower

Bonclarken's 45-foot climbing tower simulates the popular activity of rock climbing. Participants have the option to scale a climbing wall with options ranging from very easy (mouseholes) to very challenging. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as harnesses, carabineers, helmets, and ropes are provided, managed, fitted, and set up by our trained and experienced staff.

Minimum requirements: 6 years of age and must be able to fit into our harnesses- NO special rigging can be allowed.

Climbing Activities

Costs	\$200 for two climbing routes available for session up to 4 hours. Maximum 30 participants.
	\$275 for three climbing routes available for session up to 4 hours. Maximum 50 participants.
	\$350 for four climbing routes available for session up to 4 hours. Maximum 70 participants.
	\$700 for full access for session up to 4 hours including the lift and two climbing routes of choice.

Indoor Climbing Wall

The indoor climbing wall is generally only available to groups that have already reserved the Youth Activity Building and have scheduled this activity in advance.

Our indoor climbing wall gives participants have the option to scale three different climbing routes ranging from easy to challenging. All adventure activities are conducted with the utmost attention to safety. All necessary equipment such as harnesses, carabineers, helmets, and ropes are provided, managed, fitted, and set up by our trained and experienced staff.

Minimum requirements: 6 years of age and must be able to fit into our harnesses- NO special rigging can be allowed.

Costs	\$200 for two belayers & three climbing routes available for session up to 4 hours. Maximum 30 participants
	\$275 for three belayers & three climb routes available for session up to 4 hours. Maximum 50 participants.
	\$80 additional cost to include bouldering wall per indoor climbing wall session. (Requires staff member to set up/monitor)
	\$100 for unlimited use of bouldering wall only for session up to 4 hours. (Requires staff member to set up/monitor)

Paintball

Participants play on two teams of up to 5 people each in an exciting game of last man standing. Bonclarken provides extensive safety orientation; paintball markers (guns) and paintballs appropriate for use on our wooded course; and protective equipment including full face masks.

Minimum age: 12 years of age. Participants must wear long pants, hiking or tennis shoes - expect clothes to get very dirty. Outside equipment and paint is not permitted.

Other Recreation Activities

Cost	\$20 per person for session up to 4 hours (Minimum of ten participants). 1 staff member & gear for 10 provided.
	\$45 per box of paintballs (2000 paintballs per box). \$100 cleaning fee if non-approved (oil based) paint is used.
	Arrangements must be made at least one week in advance for any group-provided paint or equipment.
	Groups will meet in back corner of athletic field for orientation.

Boating

Available Memorial Day-Labor Day during posted hours

Participants can use paddleboats or funyaks to navigate Bonclarken Lake. In order to use funyaks, participants must be at least 12 years old. All ages may ride paddleboats or aquabikes; however, children under age 8 must be accompanied by an adult. Our trained and experienced lifeguards manage and guard the waterfront, check boats out to participants, provide extensive safety orientation, and fit participants for personal flotation devices (PFDs). Safety equipment provided includes US Coast Guard approved PFDs in the appropriate sizes.

Cost	\$175 for session up to 4 hours. Lifeguard provided.
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Campfire

\$10.00 per campfire. Campfire wood with starter fuel will be set up for the group by Bonclarken staff. The group is responsible for supplying matches and lighting the campfire, and extinguishing the campfire.

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