TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE

MISSION TEJAS STATE PARK FEE SCHEDULE

(no fees for anyone 12 and under)	\$2.00
CAMPING FEES TENT SITES – (water access only)	\$8.00
(sites # A and B)	
TENT SITES – (water & electricity) (sites 4, 5 and 6)	\$12.00
SMALL TRAILERS and POP-UPS – (water & electricity) (sites 1, 2, 3, 12, 13, 14 and 15)	\$12.00
LARGE RVS & TRAILERS – (water, electricity & sewer) (sites 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11)	\$14.00
GROUP SITE – (Water only tent sites) (maximum allowed – 32 people/8 vehicles)	\$20.00
GROUP PICNIC PAVILION – (Day use only)	\$25.00

NOTE: 8 PEOPLE AND 2 VEHICLES ALLOWED PER SITE. EXCESS VEHICLE CHARGE IS \$2/VEHICLE. IF MORE THAN 8 PEOPLE IN A GROUP, ADDITIONAL SITES MUST BE PURCHASED. RESERVATIONS ARE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

ENTRANCE FEES ARE IN ADDITION TO CAMPING FEES. TEXAS STATE PARKS PASS WAIVES ENTRANCE FEES FOR EVERYONE IN VEHICLE. PARKLAND PASSPORT WAIVES OR DISCOUNTS ENTRANCE FEES FOR INDIVIDUALS ONLY.

ASK AT THE OFFICE ABOUT RENTING THE MISSION SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS TEJAS FOR YOUR WEDDING. WEDDING PACKAGE RATES ARE NOW AVAILABLE.



MISSION TEJAS STATE PARK



Weches, Texas (936) 687-2394 Visit our state park store!

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Hiking sticks Whistles

Patches Coffee mugs

Magnets Posters

Books about: birds, insects, cooking, pioneer toys and games, Big Thicket, snakes, wildflowers ... and more.

Other unique gifts and souvenirs.

Don't Be a Pain in the Park!!

Ten Helpful Hints to Make Your Visit More Enjoyable

1) Before You Pop that Cold One

Public consumption or display of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in Texas state parks. Remember, you are in public if you are outside your camping unit (trailer, motor home, tent, etc.). Public intoxication and DWI are strictly enforced by state park police and other local and state law enforcement.

2) Campground Rules

After you check in, be sure to set up in the campsite you were assigned. Don't switch campsites without checking with the park office first. We may be selling that site to someone else, and you'd end up having to move. We will make every reasonable attempt to put you in a campsite that meets your needs and desires. Campsites are limited to eight occupants. Check-out time is 2 p.m., and renewals must be made by 9 a.m. on the due date pending site availability. Vehicle parking is permitted on the paved surface of the campsite only. Extra vehicles must park at the rest room parking area or the day-use parking area and are subject to extra fees. Respect the camping space of your neighbor by reminding children and others to use the park roads and trails to avoid walking through a neighbor's campsite.

3) Pets

All pets must be leashed and under your direct control at all times while in the park. Noisy, vicious or dangerous pets are not permitted. You <u>may not</u> leave your pet unattended in the park at <u>any time</u>. Pets are not permitted in any state buildings, including but not limited to rest rooms, offices or historic buildings.

4) Firewood and campfires

Gathering firewood (even dead wood on the ground) is prohibited in most Texas state parks, including Mission Tejas. Firewood is provided free of charge at the designated area at the head of the campground when it is available from local saw mills. **Donations to help keep the firewood program going can be made at the park office.** Campfires are allowed only in the campfire rings located at each campsite. Campfires should be supervised by a responsible adult, and small enough to be easily controlled. **County burn bans prohibit campfires when they are in effect.**

5) Quiet Hours

Quiet hours are from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. each night. During this time you cannot make noise by any means that exceeds the boundary of your immediate campsite. Vehicle use in the campground is restricted during this time as well. Excessive noise including but not limited to loud radios or other electronic equipment is prohibited at any time.

6) Gray Water-Garbage & Litter

State Law prohibits you from releasing any gray or black water from your camping equipment onto the ground. A dump station is available in the park

for your convenience. Campers should keep their campsites clean and litterfree at all times and dispose of all garbage and trash in the dumpster located in the middle of the campground. Trash cans located throughout the day use areas are not for campers' trash.

7) Responsibility for Children

Kids love the outdoors! And we want them to have the best time they possibly can, and maybe learn a little bit about nature and history. Our greatest concern is that their activities are safe and that they have a responsible person to watch them at all times. Park regulations allow us to hold the parents (or guardian) legally responsible for the actions of their children, so it pays to keep an eye on kids at all times.

8) Vehicles

State park roads are public highways, and all traffic laws apply inside the park just as they would on any other highway in Texas. Children are not permitted to ride in the bed of a pick-up or trailer. Obey the posted speed limits. Look out for kids on foot and on bikes—they can be unpredictable. Wear your seat belt. Report all traffic accidents to the park headquarters. Vehicles are not permitted off-road. ATVs, golf carts, dirt bikes or any other motor vehicle that is not "street-legal" are prohibited from being operated in a state park.

9) Armed and Ready

Leave the paintball guns, BB/pellet guns, slingshots, blow guns, bow and arrows, handguns, shotguns, rifles, hand grenades and missiles at home. A Texas state park is not the place to use arms and firearms. **Hunting is not permitted at Mission Tejas State Park.** Persons who hunt in the East Texas national forests, annual public hunting lands or area private leases who wish to camp in the state park are welcome to do so. Just remember that firearms (including bow and arrows) must be unloaded (even the magazines), and may not be displayed for any reason. Hunters, also remember that we draw visitors from all walks of life, some of whom may not appreciate being visually exposed to your fresh harvest. If you bring harvested animals into the park, please respect your neighbors by not making a public spectacle of it. State park police officers and game wardens will check your hunting license and tags as well.

10) Metal Detectors

Metal detecting or treasure hunting is becoming more and more popular. <u>It is, however, prohibited in Texas state parks</u>. Everything from wildlife, to plants, to rocks and soil, to the things that may be buried in the ground are protected in state parks.

Every state park rule and regulation on the books is there to make sure that your experience is safe and enjoyable, and at the same time to conserve the park's resources for the safe enjoyment of future generations. The preceding are just a few highlights. It is a very good idea to become familiar with <u>all</u> of the rules and regulations. Just ask at the park office for a brochure. During your visit, don't hesitate to let the park staff know about others who may be infringing on your rights, knowingly or unknowingly, you don't have to tolerate it. If you don't you may be shortchanging yourself or others. Just remember you are bound by the same rules.