



# NORTH TEXAS ROYAL RANGERS



## SHAWNEE TRAIL CHAPTER

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### FRONTIER ADVENTURE

Ready to join FCF? The FCF adventure for all incoming FCF candidates is coming up April 3-4. Sponsors get your candidates ready and their applications mailed in to the address stated on the

application by **March 6**. You can bring the application and fees to Brush Poppin' and turn in to Art "Flintlock" Sullivan if needed. If you're interested in FCF but don't have a sponsor, contact FCF

Vice-President Rodney "Bow Breaker" Briggs and he'll help arrange someone in your area to be your sponsor and help you get ready for membership.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- March 28, 2009  
Pow Wow/Camp Work Day, Lakeview
- April 3-4, 2009  
FCF Adventure
- April 24-25, 2009  
Pow Wow, Lakeview
- May 2, 2009  
Junior Academy, Lakeview
- May 16, 2009  
Commander's Conference
- June 7-12, 2009  
Junior Leadership Training Academy
- July 14-17, 2009  
Territorial Rendezvous, New Mexico
- September 11-12, 2009  
Academy of Ranger Training, Lakeview
- September 26, 2009  
RK Field Day
- October 2-3, 2009  
Commander's Retreat
- October 23-25, 2009  
FCF Family Days, Lakeview

### SHAWNEE TRAIL CHAPTER FACEBOOK GROUP

Social networking has grown exponentially over the last few years with more and more people joining these types of sites. More of our young people appear on either Facebook and MySpace. We are also seeing growth in social networking sites among professionals, as well. As a result, we need to do things that get us out where the boys are at. One of the ways that we can do this is through Facebook and MySpace. Several of our

national staff have created Facebook accounts that allow them to connect with those in the field through a new media. In our own district, FCF Sutler/Promotions David Trower along with Deputy District Commander Rick Beebe and Deputy Regional Training Coordinator and South Division Divisional Commander Rick Adkinson are on Facebook.

I am pleased to announce that the NTX FCF Shawnee

Trail Chapter has a group on Facebook where members can join the group and stay connected. I look forward to utilizing our Facebook Group to get and stay connected with those on Facebook that are involved in FCF, especially those from our chapter. If you have a Facebook account, feel free to join our Facebook group. If you haven't yet joined Facebook, go create an account and join our group.

### DISTRICT POW WOW

This year's District Pow Wow is being held at Lakeview, April 24-26. The theme for Pow Wow is "Be Transformed" and is based on several different scripture passage: Romans 12:2, 2 Corinthians 3:18, and Philippians 3:21. The FCF will be having a village

at Pow Wow this year. During the day Saturday, the FCF village will be open for the boys to explore. FCF will be hosting several different activities that the boys can participate in. Hawk throwing is always a favorite activity, however there will be other exciting

activities available in the village. FCF members are strongly encouraged to set up their trade in the village and be actively engaging in their trade throughout the day Saturday while boys are exploring.

