Cowboy Camp 2020
Application Packet

Please note: The safety of your children is most important to us at CTHM; therefore, we will be following all guidelines set forth by the governor of Texas regarding summer camps and social distancing. This may involve limiting the number of campers or even cancellation of camp activities.

Camp Dates: June 8th- June 12th

Camp Times: 9:00 am -12:00 Noon

Location: 302 N. Esplanade, Cuero, TX

Cowboy Camp campers should be between the ages of 7 and 12.

What can you expect?
Each day at Cowboy Camp is filled with activities that teach and entertain in the “cowboy way”. Some examples of these activities include a photo taken on a real longhorn, leather work, calf roping, horse etiquette, branding, Dutch oven cooking, and cowboy music!

What to wear?
Campers enjoy many activities during the week that held indoors and out of doors. A 2019 Cowboy Camp t-shirt will be provided for each camper. A big part of the fun is for campers to dress up in their best cowboy duds! Have fun with this and maybe you could win a prize! This is Texas and the weather is warm so you may want to wear sunscreen and a hat.

Snacks
Campers are given a snack and plenty of water during the day. We round out the week with a fun day of chuckwagon cooking, complete with homemade peach cobbler in a Dutch Oven!

Camp cost
CTHM has always offered and continues to offer the wonderful experience of Cowboy Camp free of charge to all campers. As corporate sponsorships have declined, we encourage families who are able to make a donation to the Museum to help cover the costs of Cowboy Camp.

Waiting List
Please be aware that space is limited to 40 campers. We offer a waiting list in case a spot becomes available at any time during the week.
Activity Permission & Medical Release Form

I, _______________________________ will obey all directions and rules given by the Cowboy Camp staff. If I break any rules, I understand that I could be sent home or not allowed to participate in certain activities during the remainder of the camp.

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Camper Signature

_____________________________  
Date

Parent Permission

My son/daughter, _______________________________, has my permission to participate in activities at the Cowboy Camp in Cuero, Texas from June 8th – June 12th. In the event of a medical emergency, I hereby give permission to the Chisholm Trail Heritage Museum Cowboy Camp Staff to secure proper treatment for the registered camper named on this form. I also agree to pay for any fees incurred and I understand that the Chisholm Trail Heritage Museum Cowboy Camp and its staff will not be held responsible or liable for any related expenses.

_____________________________  
Parent Signature

_____________________________  
Date

Medical Information

Family Physician _______________________________ Phone _______________________________

Activity Restrictions ____________________________  Allergies _______________________________

Medications ________________________________

_________ (initial) THE CAMPER’S FAMILY INSURANCE PLAN IS THE PRIMARY SOURCE OF COVERAGE FOR ACCIDENTS.

_________ (initial) I give my permission to have my child photographed

_________ (initial) I give my permission to have my child’s photograph published on the CTHM website, newsletter, and social media outlets.

Emergency Contacts

Name _______________________________ Phone _______________________________ Relationship _________

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Open to all cowpokes ages 7-12. Send in your completed application for the ninth annual Cowboy Camp today! We’ll head ‘em up and move ‘em out at the CTHM building, 302 N. Esplanade, June 8th - 12th, from 9:00 to 12:00 noon.

Please submit your application. Email to: selena.milstead@chisholmtrailmuseum.org or mail to CTHM PO Box 866 Cuero TX 77954.
Telephone: 361.277.2866. Remember, space is limited!

Name__________________________________________DOB________AGE________

Parent/Guardian__________________________________________

Address_______________________________________________________

Email_________________________________________________________Phone________

Shirt size (please circle one): YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL

1. What skills and abilities do you have that would be useful on a real trail drive in the 1800’s?

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2. Okay, you’ve signed on as a rail hand on a drive to Missouri from DeWitt County, TX in 1866. You will be outdoors in all kinds of weather for 2 months or more. What clothing and gear will you pack? Remember, you’ve got to carry everything in your saddlebags and blanket rolls on your horse.

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3. Identify some hazards and dangers you might encounter on the trail and how you would handle them.

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