

Fort Chadbourne Hospital Excavations Continue

The CVAS and SMART's groups will continue excavations on the post hospital during the month of March. Excavation dates are March 15-19 and March 22-26. On Thursday March 25th, a group of 7th grade history students from Denton will join the excavations. The group of 60 will camp out at the Fort. The group will learn about archeological technique and the history of Fort Chadbourne. It will be our duty to teach them what we know about archeology, etc.

Again this year the SMART's group will provide breakfast and Fort Chadbourne will provide a noon lunch for workers. Remember to bring clothing to fit the day (could rain, snow, be warm, be cold). Who knows? Bring any snacks or drinks that you may want.

A reminder-- No pets, No alcoholic beverages, No smoking except in designated areas. You will be required to sign a new liability form for activities during this project.

Work has started on the visitors center and the road through the parade ground has been closed (removed). Please follow the road to the office (signs will be posted). All vehicles will park in the office parking lot (No vehicles will be permitted at the site unless authorized).

If you plan to camp on the grounds during the project please contact Fort Chadbourne.

During last years excavations valuable information about the construction of the hospital was obtained. We look forward to completing excavations of the hospital and learning more about the building.

FMI: Contact Larry Riemenschneider (653-8216) or Fort Chadbourne (743-2555)

Hope to see you there,
Larry Riemenschneider