



ZBASE SPECIAL TREK REMINDERS

The ZBASE experience is not risk-free. Staff will instruct participants in safety measures and participants must be prepared to listen to and follow these measures. Some Adventure Areas at ZBASE require pre-trek waivers or online course work. Participants will be *required* to have these on file BEFORE arriving at ZBASE. If participants are not able to show proof of completion, they will not be allowed to participate in that Adventure Area. The pre-course work is essential to understanding the associated risk and how to mitigate those risk. Below are specific Adventure Areas that require pre-trek attention:

ATV

- Light weight long sleeve shirt (rain gear is not suitable to wear)
- Light weight long pants (jeans are not suitable; zip off pants recommended)
- Over the ankle boots/ shoes (hiking boots the best choice)
- Signed waivers with names and dates of birth listed (forms found at www.zbase.camp/resources)
- Proof of completion of the ATV Safety Institute (ASI) e-course
 - Each ATV Participant must log onto: <https://atvsafety.org/atv-ecourse/>
 - Choose the “e-course”
 - Course is specific to each rider (no group viewing).
 - Course takes 1 ½ - 2 hours to complete.
 - At the end each participate can print off the certificate of completion (recommended to save as a PDF).
 - Certificates can be given to crew leadership.
- Crew leadership needs to bring to ZBASE and submit during check in OR scan and email to zbase@okscouts.org (be sure to include your Unit Number, start date of your trek, and adult leader name).

Personal Water Craft (PWC) (a.k.a. jet ski)

- All participants must provide signed waivers (forms found at www.zbase.camp/resources)
- All participants must show proof of completion of their state boater safety courses (recommended to take the Oklahoma Boaters Safety Course to understand local regulations)
 - Each crew can use the study guide before taking the test (good idea to do in a group setting and work together as a crew). Log onto <https://www.boat-ed.com/oklahoma/studyGuide/10103702/> for free study guide.
 - Each participant will need to complete the state boater safety course. Suggested to log onto: <https://www.boat-ed.com/> to choose your state and register to take the test.
 - **This site requires payment to take the course**
 - Course is specific to each rider (no group viewing)
- Download and understand *The Handbook of Personal Watercraft Basics*
- Crew leadership needs to bring to ZBASE and submit during check in OR scan and email to zbase@okscouts.org (be sure to include your Unit Number, start date of your trek, and adult leader name).