

Rubicon Jamboree

Itinerary and Information

Important Information:

NO OFFROAD TRAILERS – NO EXCEPTIONS

NO PETS, NO EXCEPTIONS

- EVENT CHECK-IN IS AT THE JEEPERS JAMBOREE OFFICE 6275 MAIN ST. GEORGETOWN, CA.
- **CHECK IN IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ATTENDEES.**
 - ◊ HAVE YOUR ADMISSION TICKET AND DRIVERS LICENSE WITH YOU AT CHECK IN.
 - ◊ RELEASE OF LIABILITY WILL NEED TO BE SUBMITTED BEFORE THE TRIP CHECK IN DATE.
- Check in for the Rubicon Jamboree event is the day before the trip starts and no later than 8am the morning of the event. Once you check in you can camp at Uncle Tom's Cabin or at the trail head at Loon Lake (no fee). If you would like to stay at a hotel the night before we suggest making a reservation as soon as possible. If you are towing your vehicle, we have parking areas available, please refer to the vehicle information section of this packet.

*Note: Jamboree Camp Rubicon schedule will be given at a later time.

Thursday – July 30th (CHECK-IN)

8am-8pm: Registration check-in is at the Jeepers Jamboree office in Georgetown, California. **CHECK- IN IS MANDATORY for all participants.** Make sure to have your admission ticket and driver's license with you at check in. All participants will **need to submit prior to check-in** their signed Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk waiver in order to participate in the event. Wristbands, vehicle stickers, and goodie bags will be given at check-in.

MAKE SURE you have a full tank of gas when you leave Georgetown.

Georgetown available services: Groceries, ice, ATM, gas, restaurants, and lodging.

*Gasoline is available 24 hours *

Friday – July 31st (LATE CHECK-IN - Travel to Rubicon Springs on the Rubicon Trail)

6:00am – 8:00am: Late registration check-in at the Jeepers Jamboree office in Georgetown, California. **CHECK- IN IS MANDATORY for all participants.** Make sure to have your trip confirmation ticket and driver's license with you at check in. **MAKE SURE** you have a full tank of gas when you leave Georgetown. (It takes about 45 minutes to get to the trail head from Georgetown).

RUBICON TRAIL – LOON LAKE STAGING

6:00am-9:00am: Arrive at the Rubicon Trail - trail head at Loon Lake. Air down your tires; grab your trail breakfast and boxed lunch. We do not inspect vehicles or line up, so once you grab your meals and air down, you can head on in.

- There are no scheduled stops while on the trail, so please stop to rest or eat when you need to.
- Please make sure you pull off the trail so others can get by.

Upon arrival to Rubicon Springs, you will be greeted by our friendly Jamboree staff who will direct you to a camp site if you are unfamiliar with camp. Set up your tent and camp area, then come to Main Camp for dinner and entertainment. The no host camp bar will be open before dinner.

We are fortunate to use Rubicon Soda Springs as our main campground and meeting point for our event. Rubicon Soda Springs is steeped in rich history, including our deepest Jamboree heritage, and we consider this sacred land.

Please treat Rubicon Soda Springs with care and respect.

- **Clean up after yourself – Pack out what you pack in.**
- **Outhouse facilities – Please use them properly. Garbage and toiletries do NOT belong in the outhouses. If you come across a facility that needs attention, please notify staff at the sales booth in camp.**
- **Leave no trace – Help us preserve the natural beauty of this special place.**

5:30pm – 7:00pm: Dinner in Rubicon Springs (Don't forget your flashlight & a cup)

8:00pm – 11:30pm: Entertainment

Saturday – August 1st

7:30am-9:00am: Breakfast in Main Camp

9:00am: Historical Talk by Rick Morris Main Stage/grass area in Main Camp. (***Bring your chairs***)

12pm-1:30pm: Lunch in Main Camp.

5:30pm-7:00pm: Dinner in Main Camp. (*Don't forget your flashlight & a cup*)

8:00pm-11:00pm: Enjoy our entertainment and music. Also, enjoy the no host bar served by American Legion Post 119 at the famous Amos' s Place in Main Camp.

*Jamboree Camp Rubicon itinerary will be available closer to the trip.

Sunday – August 2nd

6:00am-7:00am: Express breakfast in Main Camp for those who wish to get an early start.

6:00am - Rockrollers will be on the trail.

7:00am-9:00am: Hot breakfast in Main Camp.

10:00am – Trail lunch **will** be served at Observation Point.

Please make sure you pack out everything you packed in (including water floaties!).

There are dumpsters, recycle bins, and an air station at the end of the trail.

PACK IT IN- PACK IT OUT

Vehicle Requirements and Information

**DRINKING AND DRIVING IS NOT ALLOWED AND IS AGAINST THE LAW
- INFRACTIONS WILL BE CITED -**

NO OFF-ROAD TRAILERS, NO EXCEPTIONS

Vehicle Requirements:

- All vehicles must be registered for the event
- All vehicles must have valid insurance
- All vehicles must be street legal or green stickered
- Seat Belts for all passengers
- Roll bars or factory hard top
- Tow hooks front and rear
- Fire Extinguisher (appropriately secured)

Not Allowed:

- NO OFF-ROAD TRAILERS – NO EXCEPTIONS
- Bumper or rear hitch cargo racks
- Running boards and steps both factory and aftermarket

Jamboree Suggestions for traversing the Rubicon Trail

- At least a 3.5" Lift and 33" Off-Road Tires
- Functional parking brake or micro-lock
- Tow Strap with loops (recommended rated at 2 times the vehicle weight)
- First Aid Kit
- Hi-Lift Jack (you might need one for changing a tire)
- Spare tire with diameter within 3 inches of existing tires (no temporary spares)
- Battery Hold Downs (no bungee cords)
- Skid Plates for gas tank, transfer case and transmission
- Remove all Hub-Caps and Steps
- Functioning low range in transfer case
- Locker in front or rear
- Rock sliders

Suggestions: 5 gallon can of gas for older vehicles and rocker panels for more protection.

Pre-departure Maintenance Checklist:

Trail break downs can be greatly reduced by checking a few key items prior to embarking on your trip. Now is the time to check your vehicle and repair or replace items that look even moderately suspicious. It is far better to repair these items now rather than on the trail.

Vehicle Pre-Departure Maintenance Check-list for Rubicon Trail:

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| ☐ Check Engine Oil | ☐ Check Battery will charge, hold a charge, and is securely fastened | ☐ Tighten Drive Shaft U-Bolts |
| ☐ Check Brake Fluid | ☐ Check gear oil: transfer case/differentials. | ☐ Check for CRACKS IN FRAME |
| ☐ Check Water Pump | ☐ Check fuel system along with hoses for cracks and leaks | ☐ Grease all fittings (u-joints, steering) |
| ☐ Check for proper Alternator output | ☐ Check Transmission Oil | ☐ Double check winch and cable |
| ☐ Check Hoses | ☐ Check Radiator Coolant | |
| ☐ Check Power Steering system | ☐ Check Ignition related items | |
| ☐ Check Tires for wear or damage | ☐ Check Fan Belts | |
| ☐ Check and tighten lug bolts | ☐ Check Air Filter | |
| ☐ Check Brake line, pads, and shoes | ☐ Check Seat Belts | |
| ☐ Check Shocks & Springs | | |
| ☐ Check for loose bolts or nuts all throughout the vehicle. | | |

PARKING AND ACCOMODATIONS

HOTELS

Rock Creek Inn - Georgetown CA
530-333-4359

Georgetown Hotel & Saloon - Georgetown CA
530-333-4428

Best Western Stage Coach Inn - Pollock Pines CA
530-644-2029

Best Western Placerville Inn - Placerville CA
800-780-7234
530-622-9100

Historic Cary House - Placerville CA
530-622-4271

CAMPING

Uncle Tom's Cabin: (no fee) Off Wentworth Springs Rd. 17 miles out of Georgetown on the way to the Rubicon Trail.

Ice House Resort: Located off of Ice House Road and close to the trail head.
530-293-3321

Fox Sparrow RV Resort & Campground: 9092 Wentworth Springs Rd. Georgetown, CA (7 miles from Main Street Georgetown, and 27 miles from Loon Lake trail head)
833-525-9545

Camp Lotus: Located 13 miles from Georgetown.
530-622-8672

Placerville KOA: Off HWY 50 in Placerville, CA.
530-676-2267

TRAILER PARKING

Loon Lake Staging Area (beginning of the trail) – Park at the bottom of the dam. PLEASE do not park on the sides of the dam or side of the road. No Fee parking is on a first come, first serve basis.

Tahoe Staging Area – Staging area at the end of the trail off Rubicon McKinney Road (please park in designated areas only- Jamboree is not responsible for citations). NO FEE PARKING Directions: From Hwy 50 to Highway 89 North of Tahoma turn left onto Rubicon McKinney Road, turn left on Bellevue, turn right on McKinney Road bear left onto McKinney Rubicon Springs and continue to the dirt road. Park on the left in staging area.

El Dorado County Fairgrounds - \$45 flat fee secured parking Call 530-621-5860 for reservations.

Uncle Tom's Cabin - \$30 flat fee secured parking Off Wentworth Springs Rd. 17 miles out of Georgetown on the way to the Rubicon Trail.

Driving distances to Georgetown from:

- Garden Valley - 9 miles
- Coloma & Lotus - 12 miles
- Placerville - 16 miles
- Auburn - 20 miles
- Loon Lake - 37 miles
- Sacramento - 53 miles

What To Bring - What To Do

Your weekend will be spent in the high elevations of the Sierra Nevada's. The weather is unpredictable; no matter how warm it may be by day, the nights can get cold and thunderstorms are not an uncommon occurrence. Be prepared.

The Rubicon Springs campground area provides many opportunities for fishing, swimming, hiking, sunbathing, or just relaxing in the fresh Sierra Mountains. We have provided a list of suggested items for those things that might make your camping experience even better.

Recommendation list of what to bring:

- ☐ Tent
- ☐ Sleeping Bag and pillow
- ☐ Air Mattress or mats
- ☐ Change of clothing for hot/cold days
- ☐ Jacket for chilly evening's
- ☐ Camp chairs
- ☐ Swimsuit and towel
- ☐ Camera and film/data chip/Video camera
- ☐ Fishing gear and license
- ☐ Sunscreen lotion and insect repellent
- ☐ Rubber-soled shoes / water shoes
- ☐ One flashlight per person with extra batteries
- ☐ Cool box full of your favorite beverages along with lots of water
- ☐ Small first aid kit
- ☐ Portable shower
- ☐ PETT system or other sanitation system (MUST PACK OUT AND DISPOSE)
- ☐ We suggest a good tarp, too!

Jeepers Jamboree looks forward to seeing everyone in August! Please reach out to us if you have any questions or concerns at 530-333-4771 or email at mail@jeepersjamboree.com.

HAPPY TRAILS!

