



Spring Fling 2010 - Ten Years of Geocaching!
An Event by [Central Oklahoma Geocachers](#)
Friday, April 16 – April 18th, 2010
Red Rock Canyon State Park, near Hinton, OK.

Do you love to hunt? Do your kids want to go treasure hunting? Want to learn how to use your GPS? Want to test different models of GPSs before you buy one? This is an event for you!!!

Geocaching (pronounced geo-cashing) is a worldwide game of hiding and seeking treasure. A geocacher can place a geocache in the world, pinpoint its location using GPS technology and then share the geocache's existence and location online. Anyone with a GPS device can then try to locate the geocache.

Event Location:

Red Rock Canyon was once a stop on the famous California Road Trail. Now visitors can enjoy this beautiful western Oklahoma oasis without bringing the Conestoga wagon. Red Rock Canyon State Park is a great place to hike, climb, or GEOCACHE! Located in west central Oklahoma, the park and campsites are located down in the canyon among the canyon walls. In addition to RV and tent camping, the park offers picnic areas, nature trails, a small fishing pond, and playground equipment. The canyon walls are a favorite for rappelling and open exploration. A map of the park (in PDF format) can be found [here](#).

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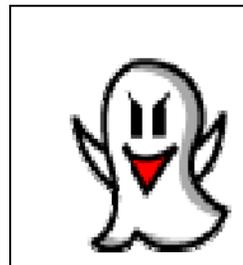
Rating:

Easy. This is a family event for young and old. Most caches are easy to find and do not require any strenuous physical activity.

Itinerary:

Although festive start Friday night, the main caching event takes place on Saturday and Sunday morning. You can come for the whole event or just a day.

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| Friday: | Anytime | Set up camp. Festives begin with a BQ/chili cook off competition. |
| Saturday: | 8 AM – 10 am | Cachers hide their caches. Our team will hunt for permanent caches. |
| | 11:00 am. | Download coordinates of hidden caches into GPS |
| | Noon – 6 PM | Find caches |
| | 6 PM | Catered dinner (Optional) |
| | After dinner | Night caching |
| Sunday: | | Breakfast |
| | | Morning caching |
| | Noon | Lunch |
| | 1:00 PM | Awards |



Transportation and Directions:

Everyone is responsible for their own transportation. Click on the link for directions.
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Food:

You can sign up for catered meals at your own expense. Otherwise, everyone is responsible to bring their own food on this trip. More details about catered meals will be available soon on Geocaching.com.
http://www.geocaching.com/seek/cache_details.aspx?guid=07ca592c-e331-4bd3-b3fa-f1825395fc86

Equipment:

GPS, computer cable, and GPS manual. A GPS is NOT necessary for this trip. We will have a few extra GPS's for you to borrow and will help you learn how to use one.

Due to the time of year and temperature, dress for varying conditions: dress in layers, wear sturdy shoes (hiking shoes), rain boots, rain gear. Camping equipment including tent, sleeping bags, mats, stove, flashlights, eating utensils, plate and dish, day pack, etc.

Fees and Costs:

All participants will be required to sign a liability waiver. The Registration form (one required for each member of your group, including children) can be found at the link below or at the end of this document.

<http://www.blttanks.com/miscellaneous%20stuff/RegistrationFormforSpringFling2010.pdf>.

**Please mail your form to Eva Ryan (see instructions on form, below),
AND email it to Adrienne Holmes (adrienne.holmes@sbcglobal.net).**

Have any questions? Call or email event leader, Adrienne Holmes:

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Registration Form below...

Central Oklahoma Geocachers - Spring Fling 2010 - April 17-18, 2010
Red Rock Canyon State Park in Hinton, Oklahoma

Mail this completed form to: Eva Ryan, P.O. Box 124, Kingfisher OK 73750

Individual Registration Form – Required for EACH participant (make copies of this page as needed).
Please print. Your first name, your geo name and your team name will be on your event name tag.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Geocaching Name (if you have one) _____

Mailing address _____

City, State, _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

Day Phone _____ Evening Phone _____ Cell _____

Team/Group Name **_The Outlaws (Team leader is Annieoklie)**

Total number of participants in team/group. # Adults _____ # Children (12 & under) _____
(13-17) _____

We plan to: ____ tent camp ____ camper/rv camp ____ stay off site

Arriving day/time: _____

All camping fees will be collected by the park ranger at the site and are the camper's individual responsibility.

Camping sites are first come, first served. The park is reserving only a few sites at the far end of the park. It's suggested if arriving early, take the unreserved nearby sites therefore geocachers having more area for the event.

Waiver/Release of Responsibility

Geocaching, hiking, camping and other outdoor activities involve risk to both persons and property. There are many variables including but not limited to weather, fitness level, terrain features and outdoor experience that must be considered. Always exercise common sense and caution. Cache Seekers assume all risk involved in seeking a cache.

If you do not fully accept the following conditions and do not sign this waiver, you will not be permitted to participate in this event.

I, the undersigned, know that Geocaching, as an outdoor action sport, carries significant risk of personal injury. I know that there are natural and man-made hazards, environmental conditions and risks which can cause me serious injuries or possibly even fatal injuries. I agree that as a participant (and/or as the parent/legal guardian of a participant) I accept these risks, conditions and hazards. I hereby release, discharge and agree to indemnify the organizers of this event, the Central Oklahoma Geocachers Group, the Tulsa Area Geocachers Group, the Southern Oklahoma Geocachers Group, the Western Oklahoma Geocachers Group, Geocaching.com, sponsors, landowners, the State of Oklahoma, Oklahoma Parks Department or the U.S. Government of and from any claim related in any manner to my (or my child's) participation in this event.

Print Participant's Name _____

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Under age 18. Participants under the age of 18 a parent/legal guardian must sign for you.

Print Parent or Guardian's Name _____

Signature _____ **Date** _____