



Discovery Challenge

Team Development (ROPE) Course
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Our Charter: As a not-for-profit, 501(c)(3), we develop and administer experiential learning experiences that stimulate personal and professional team growth, fitness and wellness to community youth, corporate, small business and religious organizations/teams.

- Develop strong relationships with community
- Provide lasting teamwork, leadership & communication skills
- Improve community health and wellness
- Develop, expand and improve our facilities to proactively meet the ever-changing needs of our participants
- Provide no/low cost learning experiences to challenged youth and other not-for-profit teams
- Maintain a professional/trained staff with a diverse skill set

What we do: In an outdoor setting, Discovery Challenge provides learning opportunities using cooperative and competitive activities that promote team development, increase communication, strengthen leadership skills and promote physical fitness and wellness

- Effectively balance inherent risk, learning value and safety
- Coordinate events, promotion of activities and timely construction and maintenance to maximize facility use so to better serve the community
- Remain fiscally responsible for growth and effectiveness
- Develop/maintain a trained professional and diverse staff of 'volunteers' (currently 12)

Current Facilities:

- Low Course (challenges 12' or less from the ground) (2 acres), we develop personal and team development—focus on collaboration. We utilize challenges designed to maximize team participation with limitless opportunities for self-discovery and team growth. Participants learn how to work together while learning about risk taking, their own perceived limits, how they perform under pressure, how they give and receive support from other people, and how working with others collaboratively can achieve more than they thought possible (see attached map of facilities)



- Campfire Arena
- Tomahawk Throwing
- Covered Pavilion/Picnic area

Programmed Growth:

- High Course (challenges 12-60' from ground) to emphasize risk-taking, trust, and coaching. Participants will expand their comfort zone—sometimes radically—and recognizes fears that may block personal achievement. Each activity will be rich with personal and team discoveries.
 - Giant swing
 - Climbing wall
 - Zip line and others
- Beginner Archery Range
- Overnight Structures to foster further outreach
- Life Skills Center to develop personal skills (e.g., cooking, financial management, counseling, leadership, others...)
- Fishing Pond

Financing:

Current facility was built entirely from charitable contributions and the staff's sweat equity to make every dollar count. Maintenance, growth, and extended outreach is dependent upon tax-deductible contributions/sponsorships, low participation fees, and marketing events (e.g., "Discover Cibolo—Community Open Air Market and Chili Cook-off" (held 9 May 09).