

# Senior Patrol Leader Campout Checklist

Campout: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **BEFORE CAMPOUT**

- All patrol menus reviewed by SPL and ASM. Patrols are cooking a hot Saturday breakfast (i.e. no pop tarts) and cooking a respectable Saturday dinner (no hot dogs). Patrols do not bring soda or pop as a part of their meal.
- Campout participation roster given to Scoutmaster in charge of campout. The accuracy of this roster is very important as it becomes the basis for the Troop Treasurer to debit accounts and the SM's transportation list.

## **BEFORE DEPARTURE**

- SPL receives guidance from SM
- SPL assigns Scout to cars as per transportation plan.
- SPL briefs troop on procedures upon arrival.

## **UPON ARRIVAL**

- SPL consults with SM on best camping location.
- SPL selects patrol sites with patrol leaders.

## **AFTER ARRIVAL**

- Each patrol setting up kitchen with fly, table, lantern, three wash buckets, red box, trash can, trash bag in trash can, and drinking water container (filled). Patrol flag present. Red boxes off ground using 2x4's available in propane boxes. For cam
- Assigned patrol has set up handwashing station on top of propane wooden box. Propane wooden box kept off ground with 2x4's available in propane boxes. Handwashing station container filled with water and one cup of bleach. Soap present.
- If planned for campout, assigned patrol set up entrance way with Troop 8 banner posted. Troop and American flags posted if brought on campout. Flags secured so they will not blow over.
- Assigned patrol set up first aid station on top of 2<sup>nd</sup> propane wooden box. Wooden box kept off the ground with 2x4's available in wooden propane box.
- Each patrol has completed duty roster. Duty roster attached to patrol kitchens. Menu attached to kitchen

- If required, assigned patrol has dug latrine and set up tarp cover. Toilet paper present at latrine (only for campouts where the troop is not near a latrine).
- Assigned patrol knows of duties to build and maintain Sat night campfire (only if on campout agenda).
- Assigned patrol has dug dirty dishwater hole.
- SPL prepares program for Sat night campfire (only if on campout agenda). Patrols assigned skits are preparing skits.
- SPL meets with patrol leaders to discuss activities for the next day.
- SPL ensures that patrol are policing areas and cleaning equipment after each meal.
- SPL ensures that campfire is extinguished all lights are out with Scouts in tents at the designated light out time.

### **CAMPOUT DEPARTURE**

- SPL ensures that designated patrols have assigned loaders and loadmaster. Loadmaster and loader report to trailer at a time designated by SPL.
- SPL ensures that camping area is properly policed prior to departure.
- SM and SPL inspect campsite area when SPL is ready for inspection.