

# Electronics Weekend Cabin Campout

## Event Planning Guide - 2003

Date/Time	Activity	Notes
Troop Meeting Thursday, March 20	Troop reviews Event plan, assigns Patrols to general Troop setup duties as shown to right.  Patrol Leaders assign Scouts to Patrol setup as described below.	General Setup is latrine setup, unpacking of trailer including Patrol boxes, water buckets.  Also unpack coolers and store food.  Gather starter wood, and stack logs for firewood.  Set up wood cutting area.  Gather wood for campfire.  Entire group sets up canopy (only if threat of rain.)
Friday, March 21 – Campout Coordinator checks in 5:00 with Ranger	Walkthrough cabin and area with Ranger	Verify rules for final checkout
Scouts Arrive 6:00	Arrive and bring personal gear into Cabin	
Friday night set up	Bring personal gear inside – set all electronic gear off to one side – set camp chairs outside cabin against wall  Assign Bunks – by rank starting with New Scouts, then Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, Life, Eagle – Younger Scouts will be in cabin A, older Scouts in Cabin B. 2 adults in each cabin. Place personal gear on bunk, but don't unpack (Patrol leaders reserve bunk for any Scout known to be showing up later.  Unpack Trailer – patrol boxes, tools, water buckets, propane stove, etc.  Set up wood cutting area – select area and string safety line – saws, axes remain in cabin when not in use  Set up latrine with toilet paper  Unpack coolers and store food in cabinets  Gather wood for campfire – cut wood into usable lengths, stack at campfire site – Pressurized fuel lantern set up by qualified scouts only  Wood Stove – assigned patrol stacks stove wood outside door and covers with tarp, splits kindling and stacks kindling insides near stove, starts fire in stove and tends until lights out  Set up canopy only if threat of rain. (patrols will be cooking over self built fires)	All set up tasks must be completed before any electronics may be set or played. Senior Patrol Leader and Patrol Leaders will determine when all set up tasks have been successfully completed.
Game set up	Set up electronics – select corners for game stations and TV/VCR for movies, run extension cords safely and set up power strips  Review game sharing rules  Blast aliens  Movie  Card games  Board games  Campfire (marshmallow roast)  Popcorn	All group electronics (game consoles hooked to TVs) will be shared across all scouts. Game play limited to 30 minutes before letting another scout play. Scouts may rotate from one game consol to another or play cards, board games or just hang out by the campfire.
10:00 – 10: 30 p.m.	Patrol Leader Council Meeting  Review Weekend Plan, review which scouts will be attending sporting events over the weekend, fill out duty roster, review safety measures, review training and rank	Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Patrol Leaders, Assistant Patrol Leaders only. All other scouts continue with activities.

	advancement activities	
Lights out – 11:30 p.m.	<p>Campfire put out</p> <p>Unburned wood is covered</p> <p>Camp chairs are folded and set next to cabin</p> <p>Any equipment outside the cabin is secured and covered</p> <p>All tools are cleaned and placed back inside cabin</p>	Patrol leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders make sure all tasks are completed and scouts are ready for lights out.
Saturday Morning	<p>By patrol, brush teeth, wash face, straighten up personal bunk area</p> <p>Cabin clean up - Assigned patrol wipes down tables, pitches trash and sweeps cabin floor, cleans latrine as necessary</p> <p>Breakfast – Assigned cooks in each patrol cook breakfast. Other assigned Scout/Scouts clean up kitchen and cooking equipment</p> <p>Scouts without assigned duties may play games, collect firewood, hangout</p>	<p>Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders organize patrol to completed tasks and pitch in to help get the tasks completed. Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders determine when tasks have been successfully completed.</p> <p>One to two Scouts from each Patrol to work together to clean up.</p>
Saturday Mid-Morning	<p>New Scout Patrol works on Scout requirements and Tenderfoot requirement 4a – whip and fuse end of a rope, Totin chips and second class requirements 2c – knife, ax, bow saw use and maintenance</p> <p>Adult leaders signoff on scout’s book</p>	Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders organize patrol to completed tasks and pitch in to help get the tasks completed. Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders determine when tasks have been successfully completed.
Saturday Lunch 12:00 p.m.	<p>Cabin clean up - Assigned patrol wipes down tables, pitches trash and sweeps cabin floor, cleans latrine as necessary</p> <p>Lunch – Assigned patrol prepares lunch and cleans up kitchen and cooking equipment</p> <p>Scouts without assigned duties may play games, collect wood, hangout</p>	Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders organize patrol to completed tasks and pitch in to help get the tasks completed. Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders determine when tasks have been successfully completed.
Saturday early afternoon	<p>Troop Orienteering Training – all interested scouts participate - map and orienteering skills</p> <p>When Orienteering Scouts return, rest of Scouts can take a hike or just hang out, at their option.</p>	Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders organize patrols for hike, make sure each scout has water, snack, compass, map and at least one personal first aid kit
Saturday late afternoon	<p>New Scout Patrols work on second class 1a – how to use a map and compass and first class requirement 1- directions during the day and night without a compass.</p> <p>Adult leaders sign-off on scout’s book</p> <p>Scouts without assigned duties may play games, collect wood, hangout</p>	
Early evening – 5:00 p.m.	<p>Cabin clean up - Assigned patrol wipes down tables, pitches trash and sweeps cabin floor, cleans latrine as necessary</p> <p>Dinner – Assigned patrol cooks prepare dinner. Later, assigned Scout/Scouts clean up kitchen and cooking equipment</p> <p>Scouts without assigned duties may play games, collect wood, hangout</p>	
Early evening – 5:00 p.m.	Prepare campfire - New Scout patrol gathers wood, split kindling or make fire-starters, sets up campfire area	New Scout Patrol Leader and Assistant Patrol Leader organize new scouts to prepare campfire area, fill water buckets, collect wood, chop kindling, stack and organize wood supply
Mid Evening	Games, Campfire	Same guidelines
Lights out - 11:00 pm	<p>Campfire put out</p> <p>Camp chairs are folded and set next to cabin</p> <p>Any equipment outside the cabin is secured and covered</p>	Patrol leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders make sure all tasks are completed and Scouts are ready for lights out.

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Sunday early morning	<p>By patrol, brush teeth, wash face, straighten up personal bunk area</p> <p>Cabin clean up - Assigned patrol wipes down tables, pitches trash and sweeps cabin floor, cleans latrine as necessary</p> <p>Breakfast – Assigned patrol cooks breakfast and cleans up kitchen and cooking equipment</p> <p>Scouts without assigned duties may play games, hangout</p>	Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders organize patrol to completed tasks and pitch in to help get the tasks completed. Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders determine when tasks have been successfully completed.
After Breakfast	<p>Pack all personal gear</p> <p>Electronics disassembled</p> <p>Organize troop equipment and stage equipment next to trailer</p> <p>Pack trailer</p> <p>Police grounds around cabin</p> <p>Clean campfire area – spread ashes, unburned logs, etc.</p> <p>Place unused wood back into woods or trailer</p> <p>Clean out wood burning stove – extinguish fire or coals outside, clean out all ashes, remove any unburned wood</p> <p>Clean all tables, bunks</p> <p>Move all personal gear outside on troop tarp near parking lot</p> <p>Clean out refrigerator and cabinets – pack unused food into coolers</p> <p>Mop floor – all scouts outside</p>	<p>Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders organize patrol to completed tasks and pitch in to help get the tasks completed. Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders determine when tasks have been successfully completed.</p> <p>Senior Patrol Leader conducts final checkout with Ranger</p>
Parents arrive 9:30 – 10:00 a.m.		No scout may leave until Senior Patrol Leader finishes final checkout with Ranger and Troop Trailer is packed and closed
10:00 a.m.	Depart	