

BOATING/CANOEING

TROOP OUTDOOR PROGRAM PLAN

Date _____

Time	Activity	Run by
Friday evening	Load gear at meeting location, leave for camping area. Plan only a light meal enroute. Arrive at campsite, off-load equipment. Set up patrol sites. Concentrate on stowing gear and setting up camp. Gather firewood for breakfast. Unload canoes for Scouts going on trip.	SPL
Saturday 6:30 a.m.	Cooks and assistants up. Prepare breakfast. (Cooks should be working on First and Second Class ranks.)	Cooks, assistants
7 a.m.	Everyone else up. Take care of personal hygiene, air tents, hang out sleeping bags.	
	Pack canoes for trip.	
7:30 a.m.	Breakfast	
8 a.m.	Clean up.	Cooks
	Patrols put up the gear for morning activities, clean up patrol site.	
	Launch for canoe trip.	
8:30–11:30 a.m.	Begin regatta, if you have planned one, or a fishing tournament. If the younger Scouts are not doing aquatic-related activities, have them take a nature hike.	SPL
11:30 a.m.	Sack lunch	
Noon	Continue activities.	
4:30 p.m.	Start supper preparation.	Cooks
5:30 p.m.	Supper	SPL
6 p.m.	Clean up meal.	Cooks
8 p.m.	Campfire. Share experiences on canoe trip.	
9 p.m.	Cracker barrel	
10 p.m.	Lights out	
Sunday 6:30 a.m.	Cooks and assistants up. Prepare breakfast. (Cooks should be working on First and Second Class ranks.)	Cooks
7 a.m.	Everyone else up. Take care of personal hygiene, air tents, hang out sleeping bags.	
7:30 a.m.	Breakfast	
8 a.m.	Clean up.	Cooks
	Patrols put up the gear for morning activities, clean up patrol site.	
8:30 a.m.	Church service	
9–11 a.m.	Play four games from the <i>Patrol Leader Handbook</i> or <i>Scoutmaster Handbook</i> , or have a runoff in the regatta or fishing tournament.	
11 a.m.	Break camp.	
Special equipment needed	Topographic maps, clipboards, compasses, troop camping equipment, canoes, sailboats, rowboats, fishing gear.	