

# COMMUNICATIONS

## TROOP MEETING PLAN

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Week 4

Activity	Description	Run by	Time
<b>Preopening</b> _____ minutes			
<b>Opening Ceremony</b> _____ minutes			
<b>Skills Instruction</b> _____ minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Scouts work on building fires or making firelays (<i>Boy Scout Handbook</i>). Do Split the Match relay ("Program Specialties" section of this book).</li> <li>• Experienced Scouts work on map and compass skills and prepare an orienteering course for the campout. Practice pacing. Do Direction Hunt ("Program Specialties") or continue work with semaphore flags.</li> <li>• Older Scouts work on the Venture/Varsity program or assist in map and compass activities or in layout of orienteering course for campout.</li> </ul>		
<b>Patrol Meetings</b> _____ minutes	Review plans and assignments for the campout. Make sure everyone knows travel plans and equipment needs. Go over the patrol duty roster. Practice interpatrol activities that will take place.		
<b>Interpatrol Activity</b> _____ minutes	Play Hot Isotope Transport ("Program Specialties" section of this book).		
<b>Closing</b> _____ minutes  Total 90 minutes of meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scoutmaster's Minute</li> <li>• Retire colors</li> </ul>	SM	
<b>After the Meeting</b>	Patrol leaders' council reviews next meeting and checks last-minute details for the troop outing. Finalize work on next month's program feature.		