

The Campfire Planning Worksheet

The Campfire Planning Worksheet will help you organize and plan a campfire and is designed to be printed two-sided. The back side is where you plan the program. The front side is the program agenda, in proper order, which is used by the Master of Ceremonies.

Have the Patrols work on skits, songs, stunts, etc, during Patrol Corners two meetings before the camping trip to give yourself enough time to properly plan and organize the campfire program. Plan a time when a representative of each Patrol will come to you with the name and type of skits, songs, stunts, etc, that they will do. Write them on the back side, in the appropriate place, in no particular order. Make sure that if you are not familiar with something they plan to do that you have them explain or perform it for you -- this could avoid an embarrassing situation.

When you have all possible skits, cheers, songs -- even those that the Master of Ceremonies will lead -- written on the planning section, consider how to put them together into a program. A Campfire Program should start slowly and quietly, build to a high level, then taper off to a quiet closing. Bracket everything with appropriate opening and closing songs or readings. Mix up the items in the middle for variety. You might consider some stories near the end to wind things down before the closing.

CAMPFIRE PROGRAM

Place _____	Campers notified: _____	Area set up by _____
Date _____	Campfire planning meeting _____	_____
Time _____	M.C. _____	Campfire built by _____
Camp Director's approval: _____	Song leader _____	Fire put out by _____
_____	Cheerleader _____	Cleanup by _____

Spot	Title of Stung, Song or Story	By _____	Time
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