

BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE PLANNING WORK SHEET

AQUATICS

ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION	RUN BY	TIME
<p>Preopening—30 min.</p> <p>Exhibits and hands-on demonstrations</p> <p>Trading post</p> <p>Registration</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Florida National High Adventure Sea Base display—Camping/Outdoor Division, national office • Coast Guard display • Summer camp promotion • Sailing club display 		
<p>Opening—7 min.</p> <p>Ceremony—2 min.</p> <p>Welcome new people—2 min.</p> <p>Recognitions—3 min.</p>	<p>Select a ceremony from <i>Woods Wisdom, Troop Program Features</i>, No. 7262A.</p> <p>Recognize first-time attendees.</p> <p>Training awards, National Quality Unit Award, Scoutmaster Award of Merit, etc.</p>		
<p>Program Feature Development</p> <p>Intro feature—1 min.</p>	<p>Aquatics can be fun and exciting for the majority of your Scouts. Our objective is to be sure they have a safe and positive experience.</p>		
<p>Resources—3 min.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Safe Swim Defense</i>, No. 7369 • <i>Safety Afloat</i>, No. 7368 • <i>Canoeing and Canoe Camping</i>, AV-684 and AV-684C • WSI instructor • CPR instructor 		
<p>Program Feature—40 min.</p>	<p>Set up three sections—one each for leaders of new Scouts, experienced Scouts, and older Scouts. Let the Scouters choose which section to attend. For each section, select topics to be discussed and plan hands-on experiences. To lead each section, use outside experts or experienced Scouters who are good instructors.</p>		

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New Scout level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning a water show <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Locations for the show Games that can be played, give demonstrations Do a safe swim defense program Swimming requirements for Second and First Class • Safety Afloat <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review program • Basic camping information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equipment Menu Locations Program planning Leadership requirements 		
Experienced Scout level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lifeguard BSA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requirements Setting up a program • Snorkeling BSA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requirements • Planning a canoe trip <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lake vs. river trips Logistics Equipment needed; where to find canoes Length of trip • CPR basics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce techniques Try to organize a class if there is enough interest 		
Older Scout level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Florida Sea Base <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planning a trip Types of adventures available Mid-winter trip Costs • White-water canoeing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safety factors Locations Training program Logistics Equipment 		
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Games—5 min. (Select one and briefly explain how to play it.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balloon Stomp • Knot Loop Relay • Steal the Bacon • Porpoise Relay 	<hr/>	<hr/>
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Special Feature—15 min. Training presentation	Refer to "How to Conduct a Scoutmaster Conference," the special feature topic on page 223.	<hr/>	<hr/>
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Announcements—3 min.

District executive
comments—2 min.

Ceremony—2 min.

"The Scout Behind the Man" by John Wayne

A Scout is:

Trustworthy—The badge of honesty. Having it lets you look any man in the eye. Lacking it, he won't look back. Keep it at the top of your list.

Loyal—The very word of life itself, for without loyalty we have no love of person or country.

Helpful—Part sharing, part caring. By helping each other, we can help ourselves, not to mention mankind. Be always full of help—the dying man's last word.

Friendly—Brotherhood is part of that word. You can take it in a lot of directions, and do—but make sure to start with brotherhood.

Courteous—Allow each person his human dignity, which means a lot more than saying, "Yes, ma'am" and "Thank you, sir." It reflects an attitude that later in life you wish you honored more . . . earlier in life. Save yourself that problem. Do it now.

Kind—This one word would stop wars and erase hatreds. But it's like your bicycle. It's no good unless you get out and use it.

Obedient—Start at home, practice it on your family, enlarge it to your friends, share it with humanity.

Cheerful—Anyone can put on a happy face when the going is good. The secret is to wear it as a mask for your problems. It might surprise you how many others do the same.

Thrifty—Means a lot more than putting pennies away, and it's the opposite of cheap. Common sense covers it just about as well as anything.

Brave—You don't have to fight to be brave. Millions of good, fine, decent folks show more bravery than heavyweight champs just by getting out of bed every morning, going out to do a good day's work, and living the best life they know how against a lot of odds. Brave—keep the word handy every day of your life.

Clean—Soap and water help a lot on the outside. But it's the inside that counts, and don't ever forget it.

Reverent—Believe in anything you want to believe in, but keep God at the top of it. With Him, life can be a beautiful experience. Without Him, you're just biding time.

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After the Meeting

Cracker barrel

Roundtable staff meeting

- Assignments for next month
- Evaluation
- Special guest for next month
 Who is making reminder contact, and
 what support do they need?