Wilderness Living

- **1.** Go on at least two weekend campouts during which you learn the skills called for in this honor.
- **2.** Tell five things to do if lost in the wilderness. Know three methods of determining directions without a compass.
- 3. Demonstrate three ways to purify drinking water.
- 4. Know three ways to collect drinking water in the wilderness and demonstrate two of these methods.
- 5. Demonstrate two methods of judging the height of a tree and the width of a stream.
- 6. Identify four wild animal or bird tracks.
- 7. Using a compass, follow a course for more than 100 yards (91.4 meters) with three different headings and less than 5% error.
- 8. Identify in the wild, prepare, and eat ten varieties of wild plants.
- 9. Have a personal survival kit of 15 items and know how to use each item.
- **10.** Explain the necessity in wilderness living of adequate sleep, proper diet, personal hygiene, and proper exercise.
- **11.** Have the First Aid honor. In addition to the First Aid honor, know the prevention, symptoms, and the first aid treatment for the following:

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Poison ivy and poison oak

Open wound infection

Altitude sickness

a. Hypothermia

b.

- Venomous snake bite
- **c.** Heat and sunstroke
- d. Heat exhaustion h. Dehydration
- **12.** Demonstrate two ways to signal for help.
- **13.** Demonstrate the principles of stalking and concealment.
- 14. Explain how to prepare and provide shelter on the following:a. Snow slopesc. Swamps and marshes
 - **b.** Rocky areas **d.** Forests and tundra
- **15.** Prepare a balanced menu for two people for a weekend. Prepare these meals while on a campout over an open fire or a camp stove.
- **16.** Know ways to observe wilderness etiquette and how you can contribute to wilderness conservation.
- 17. Demonstrate how to tie the following knots and know their uses:
 - a. Bowline f. Prusik
 - b. Bowline on a bightc. Clove hitchd. Taut-line hitchh. Two half hitches
 - c. Clove hitchd. Double fisherman'si. Square
 - e. Figure eight

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