

BSA TROOP 31 MEETING PLANNER

DATE OF MEETING _____ SERVICE PATROL _____
MONTHLY THEME _____

TIMES	PROGRAM	WHO'S RESPONSIBLE/MATERIALS/NOTES
6:45-7:00PM	PREOPENING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival game or activity of interest • Something people can join in on as they arrive • Prepare Flags 	
7:00-7:05PM	OPENING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present colors • Share leadership • Vary openings weekly • Oath/Law/Slogan/Motto/Outdoor Code 	
7:05-7:15PM	TEAM BUILDING ACTIVITY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity that emphasizes teamwork • Challenge for group to meet 	
7:15-7:50PM	SCOUT SKILL INSTRUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Year Scout Program [FYS] – Small group instruction • Venture Program Merit Badges “Hand on activities 	
7:50-8:00PM	PATROL CORNERS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attendance • Patrol Cheer • Menu Planning • Elections • Review skills needed for IPA • Keep the pace moving – involve everyone • 	
8:00-8:20PM	INTERPATROL ACTIVITY [IPA] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scouting game [Could be based on skill or from Scouting resources • Reward period 	
8:20-8:30PM	CLOSING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Retire colors respectfully • Announcements • Scoutmaster’s Minute • Scout Benediction and “BE PREPARED” • Dismissal 	-Announcements from any adults/youth -SM Minute

CALLS FOR BEGINNING OF MEETING

"TROOP 31 ATTENTION"

"COLORGUARDS PREPARE TO PRESENT THE COLORS"

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"SCOUT SALUTE" [AS SOON AS FLAGS BEGIN TO MOVE]

"COLORGUARD SALUTE" [ONCE FLAGS ARE POSTED]

"PLEASE JOIN ME IN THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE"

"I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS, ONE NATION, UNDER GOD, INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL."

"TOO"

"COLORGUARDS RETURN TO RANK"

CALLS FOR END OF MEETING

"TROOP 31 ATTENTION"

"COLORGUARDS RETIRE THE COLORS"

"SCOUT SALUTE" [AS SOON AS FLAGS GET OUT OF STANDS]

"TOO"

LAST PART OF MEETING AFTER ANNOUNCEMENTS

"PLEASE JOIN ME IN THE SCOUTMASTER'S BENEDICTION"

"MAY THE GREAT MASTERS OF ALL SCOUTS BE WITH US UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN."

SCOUTMASTER SAYS "BE PREPARED" - TROOP SAYS "WE ARE PREPARED"

"TROOP 31 DISMISSED"