

Boy Scout Troop 168

Totin' Chip Test

Based on information found in the Boy Scout Handbook.
Each question is worth up to four points. Need 100 points to pass.

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

PATROL: _____

SCORE: _____

KNIVES

- 1) Always use (how many) _____ hands to close a pocket knife.
- 2) Cut _____ from you to prevent injury.
- 3) What should be done with the blade before passing it to a friend? _____
- 4) A sharp knife is easier to control than a dull one. True or False? _____
- 5) Keep your knife sharp and _____.
- 6) The Boy Scouts of America does not encourage the use of _____ knives.
- 7) Sharpen your knife on a _____ holding the knife at what angle? _____

SAWS

- 8) Name two types of camp saws. a) _____ b) _____
- 9) Wear _____ and protective _____ when using a saw or ax.
- 10) When sawing a branch from a tree, first make an _____, then saw from the top down.
- 11) When not in use the saw blade should be _____.
- 12) What is the "set" of the saw blade? _____.
- 13) Use _____, smooth strokes when sawing.

AXES

- 14) Name the parts of an ax.
- 15) Do not use the ax if the head is _____ or _____.
- 16) How much clearance should you have when using an ax?

- 17) Always keep an ax _____ when not in use.
- 18) Chopping branches off a log is called _____.
Cutting a log to lengths is called _____.
- 19) Explain the contact method of using an ax.

- 20) Hand an ax to another person by holding the handle with the ax head _____.
- 21) Sharpen an ax with a _____ file and make sure it has a _____ guard.
- 22) When bucking a log, make sure that you aim your blows so that you cut a V-shape that is _____ as wide at the top as the log is _____.

GENERAL STUFF.

- 23) List two reasons why cutting tools should not be left lying around.

- 24) Respect property. Cut living and dead trees only with _____ and good _____.
- 25) Write the Outdoor Code on the back of this sheet.