

Event #11 Rope Toss, Log Lift Challenge Scoring Guidelines

Material to be provided by Station Master:

Set-up as shown in diagram (2)

Patrols will provide their own rope

2 logs to lift

Stopwatches for timing

This is a timed event. The patrols begin the challenge with a 50 foot length of rope, coiled and ready to throw. The rope is thrown over a cross spar. If the throw misses the mark, the Scout recoils the rope and throws again (after 3 unsuccessful attempts, another patrol mate may assist). If the throw is good, he uses the end of the rope he is holding to tie a *Clove Hitch* on the stake next to where he is standing.

Next, the Scout moves to the end of the rope that was thrown over the crossing spar and uses it to tie a *Timber Hitch* around a short length of log (about 4"-6" in diameter and 4' long). The Scout then ties a *Half Hitch* around one end of the log. To complete the challenge, he moves to the part of the rope between the stake and the upright structure and ties a *Sheep Shank* to shorten the rope enough to suspend the log above the ground. The Scout then claps his hands five times. The log must stay suspended for five claps of the hand at which time the clocked is stopped and the time recorded. This is a timed event with the individual Scout times being added together and averaged for a total average time per scout (total patrol time / no. of scouts in patrol = average time per scout or "patrol time").



20 points will be awarded for participation

Additional points are awarded at the end of the day for the average patrol speed in completing the task:

Fastest average time	30 pts
2 nd place	27 pts
3 rd place	24 pts
4 th place	21 pts
5 th place	18 pts
6 th place	15 pts
7 th place	12 pts
8 th place	9 pts
9 th place	6 pts
10 th place	3 pts
11 th place and lower	0 pts

Total points possible: 50 points

