

SWAPS for Dummies

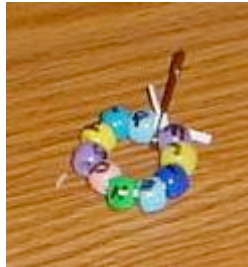
What are SWAPS?

- SWAPS are pins that girl scouts make to trade with each other

How to Make Your SWAP

- Have your troop think of ideas of a simple, but unique symbol with a theme relating something special about your troop **OR** something related to this year's Coronado encampment theme: Access Hollywood.
- Get the troop together and put the swaps together. Most swaps consist of a cute trinket and a safety pin, the month and year (ex. July 1996), and your troop number (ex. Troop 579). If this information cannot be placed directly on the swap, such as in a case where it is made of pipe cleaners, make small labels and stick the pin through them as well as the swap.
- THERE WILL BE APPROXIMATELY 1 HOUR OF FREE TIME IMMEDIATELY BEFORE SWAPS DURING THIS YEAR'S ENCAMPMENT – YOU MAY CHOOSE TO ASSEMBLE YOUR SWAPS AT THAT TIME.

Ideas:



Check List for Your SWAPS:

- ___ You will need approximately **70-80** SWAPS
- ___ Each SWAP will require a safety pin attached to the back
- ___ Each SWAP will be identical to your **one** idea
- ___ Be sure to follow the instructions stated above
- ___ Show your creative side and **HAVE FUN**