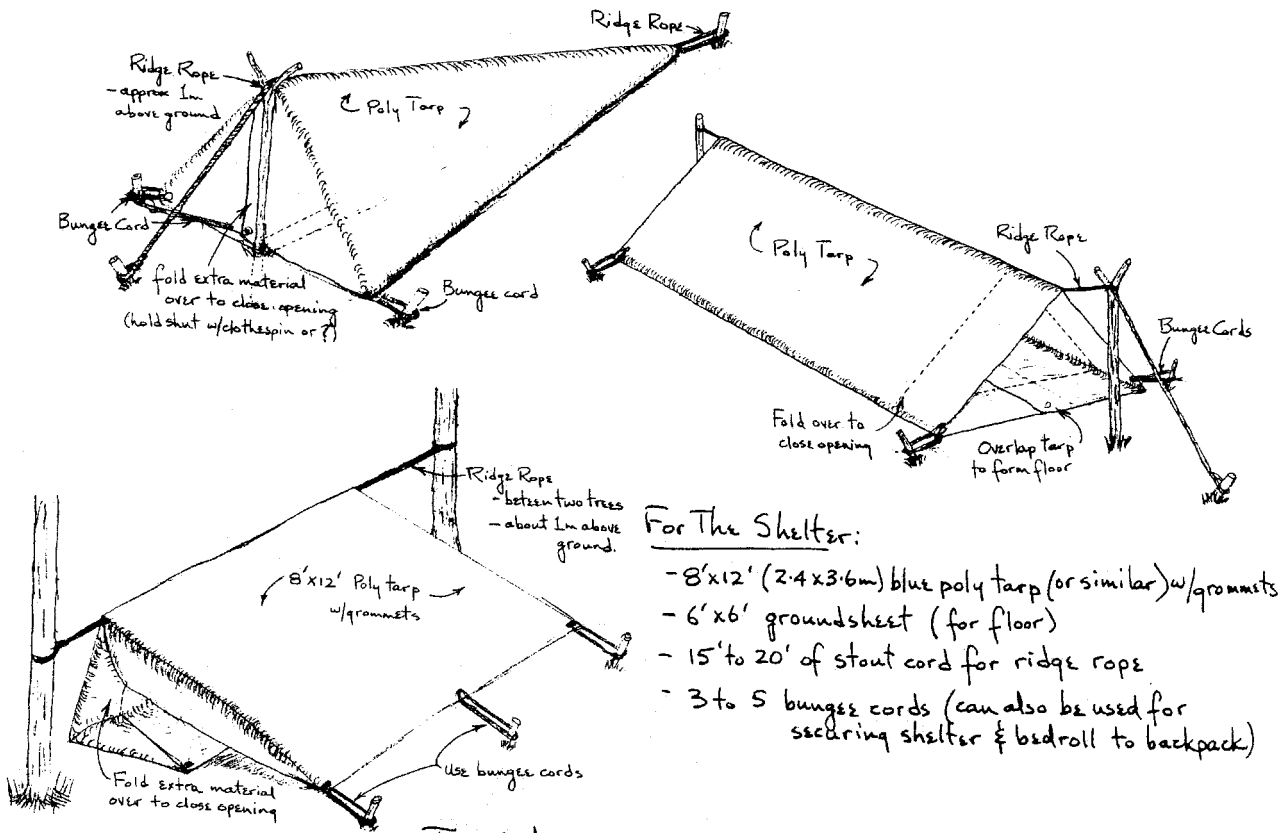


AKELA,

We all know and understand that you are pressed for time with the busy spring season upon us.

We strongly recommend that you PLEASE get together with your 3rd year youth and go over shelter building. As you can see designs have been provided. We feel that if the youth can go into the bush even having the slightest of clue as to what they have to achieve, it will make their stay so much more enjoyable. Hopefully any fears that they may have will be set aside. YOU & YOUR youth will get minimal instruction/help on Friday night in regards to your shelters, so preparation prior to camp means a more rewarding experience.

THANK-YOU VERY MUCH



For The Shelter:

- 8'x12' (2.4x3.6m) blue poly tarp (or similar) w/grommets
- 6'x6' groundsheet (for floor)
- 15' to 20' of stout cord for ridge rope
- 3 to 5 bungee cords (can also be used for securing shelter & bedroll to backpack)

To Set Up:

- stretch and tie rope securely between 2 trees or suitable support.
- hang tarp over rope, secure edges w/bungee cords stretched and looped around pegs.
- fold ends together to form door &/or floor

RBW
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