

CLEANING LATRINE AND WASH FACILITIES

PROCEDURE:

- 1 Dry sweep ceilings, walls and floors.
- 2 Scrub sinks if you are in a tent or an Adirondack unit.
- 3 Spray bleach water on toilet seat and lid (topside and underside). Wipe seats dry, especially in freezing weather.
- 4 Spray floors with bleach water, especially around pipes in shower areas. (Please omit this step in freezing weather).
- 5 Dispose of any excess bleach water down drains of wash facility or if one is not near, by sprinkling (NOT DUMPING) in woods behind latrine. **DO NOT DUMP BLEACH WATER DOWN THE LATRINE** as this kills beneficial bacteria.

NOTES:

- 1 Do not leave toilet paper in latrines; provide a container to keep it clean and take it back to cabin site. (Large coffee cans are ideal).
- 2 Provide trash cans in each stall (10 pound cans are ideal).
- 3 **DO NOT** put sanitary napkins or tampons down latrines; use trash cans.

HAND WASHING:

Have some type of facility available for the girls to wash their hands. You can make a hand-washing unit out of a plastic laundry bottle by using a golf tee to poke a hole on top for venting and tying a nylon stocking with a bar of soap inside to the handle. Or it can be as simple as a bottle of hand sanitizer.

