



## **Chapter Four Setting Up and Taking Down a Camp**

### **4.010 Arrival at Camp**

You should have 2 or 3 Leaders in charge of various groups:

- ◆ Unloading equipment
- ◆ Checking camp site, picking location for pitching canvas, and pitching.
- ◆ Preparing cooking area, storing food, etc. This should be done by your camp cook or quarter master.

Put all charts, programmes and duties up where they can be seen by all campers. Start your programme.

Try to maintain a schedule. Don't be upset if you are off slightly. Remember - be flexible.

### **4.020 Choosing Your Site**

Take a walk around the area available to you, keeping in mind the location of your water supply, sun direction and try to find an area free of rocks and hollows and overhanging trees. Make sure the site has natural drainage as rain can make a natural river through your tent.