

Bendigo District
Cub Scouts
Campfire Song Book
22nd November 2006



I hear footsteps

I hear footsteps, I hear footsteps,
Hark don't you? Hark don't you?
I think it is the Camp Chief, I think it is the Camp Chief,
All stand up, all stand up.

Camp fire's burning

Camp fire's Burning
Camp fire's burning,
Draw nearer,
Draw nearer,
In the glowing,
In the glowing,
Come sing and be merry,
Come sing and be merry.

Rock My Soul

Rock-a my soul in the bosom of Abraham.
Rock-a my soul in the bosom of Abraham.
Rock-a my soul in the bosom of Abraham.
Oh, rock-a my soul.

His love is so high you can't get over it,
So low you can't get under it,
So wide you can't get around it.
You must go in at the door.

Rock my soul
Rock my soul
Rock my soul
(*clap*) Oh rock-a my soul!

Kookaburra sits in the old gum tree

Kookaburra sits in the old gum tree,
Merry, merry king of the bush is he,
Laugh, Kookaburra, Laugh, Kookaburra,
Gay your life must be.

Kookaburra sits in the old gum tree
Eating all the gumdrops he can see
Stop, Kookaburra, Stop, Kookaburra
Leave some there for me

Kookaburra sits on the electric wire
Jumping up and down with his pants on fire
Fly, Kookaburra, Fly Kookaburra
Back to your Gum Tree

I've Got That BP Feeling

I've got that BP feeling up in my head,
Up in my head, up in my head.
I've got that BP feeling up in my head,
Up in my head to stay.

2. I've got that BP feeling down in my feet.
 3. I've got that BP feeling deep in my heart.
 4. I've got that BP feeling all over me.
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Singing in the Rain

We're singing in the rain, just singing in the rain.
What a glorious feeling, we're happy again.

Hold it! [Group echoes.]

Thumbs up! [Group echoes.]

A-root-ta-ta, root-ta-ta. root-ta-ta-TA

A-root-ta-ta, root-ta-ta. root-ta-ta-TA

Add each of the following, in turn:

Thumbs Up, Arms Out, Elbows In, Knees together, Butt out, Chest out,
Tongue out

A ram sam sam

A ram sam sam, a ram sam sam

Gooli gooli gooli gooli gooli ram sam sam

A ram sam sam, a ram sam sam

Gooli gooli gooli gooli gooli ram sam sam

A rafi a rafi

Gooli gooli gooli gooli gooli ram sam sam

A rafi a rafi

gooli gooli gooli gooli gooli ram sam sam

My Girl's A Corker

My girl's a corker; she's a bush walker,
I buy her everything to keep her in style,
She's got some lovely hair,
Just like a grizzly bear,
That's where all my money goes!

She's got a lovely nose,
Just like a rubber hose

She's got two lovely lips,
Just like potato chips

She's got a lovely chin,
Just like a rubber garbage bin

She's got two lovely hips,
Just like two battle ships

She's got two lovely legs,
Just like two whiskey kegs.

Je suis Cub Scout – I am Cub Scout

Je suis Cub Scout – I am Cub Scout
Une bon ami – a good friend,
Tous le monde comprends la – all the world knows this,
Tres, tres bon – very, very good

Alice the Camel

Alice the camel has 10 humps, Alice the camel has 10 humps
Alice the camel has 10 humps, so go, Alice, GO!!
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

[Continue with 9, 8, 7 . . . humps, until . . .]

Alice the camel has no humps, Alice the camel has no humps
Alice the camel has no humps, 'cause Alice is a HORSE!!

My Highland Goat

My Highland Goat
Was feelin' fine,
Ate three red shirts,
Right off the line.

His master Jack,
Gave him a whack,
And tied to,
To the railroad track.

The whistle blew!,
The train...grew...nigh (dramatic stretch),
My Highland Goat,
Was sure to die.

He gave a groan,
Of...aw-ful...pain (dramatic stretch),
Coughed up the shirts,
And flagged the train!

Boom Chicka Boom

I said a-boom-chick-a-boom! [Group echoes.]

I said a-boom-chick-a-boom! [Group echoes.]

I said a-boom-chick-a-rock-a-chick-a-rock-a-chick-a-boom!
[Group echoes.]

Uh-huh! [Group echoes.]

On Yeah! [Group echoes.]

This time! [Group echoes.]

We sing! [Group echoes.]

HIGHER!

*Each time a leader adds a different variation such as: LOWER,
WHISPER, LOUDER, TONGUE-IN-CHEEK, GROOVY (COOL).*

Oh How Lovely is the Evening

Oh how lovely is the evening

Is the evening, is the evening

Birds will sing and bells are ringing

Ding dong ding dong

Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes

Head, shoulders, knees and toes,

Knees and toes.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes,

Knees and toes.

And eyes, and ears, and mouth,

And nose.

Head, shoulders, knees and toes,

Knees and toes.

Hey ho. Anybody home?

Hey ho. Anybody home?
Food and drink and money have I none,
but I will be merry.

Softly Fall the light of day

(All must stand, join hands and sway gently together)

Softly falls the light of day
As our campfire fades away,
Silently each Scout should ask
“Have I done my daily task?”

“Have I kept my honour bright?
Can I guiltless sleep tonight?
Have I done and have I dared,
Everything to be prepared?”

“I have kept my honour bright,
I can guiltless sleep tonight,
I have done and I have dared,
Everything to be prepared”

(All will hum the song again as DC says final prayer)