

1st Sandhurst Cubs



Camp Fire Songs

My Aunt came back

My aunt came back (echo), from old Japan (echo)

She brought me back (echo), a folding fan

Begin waving hand as if you had a fan in it, continue through out the song

My aunt came back (echo), from Holland too (echo)

She brought me back (echo), a wooden shoe

Begin tapping foot, continue through out song

My aunt came back (echo), from old Algiers; (echo)

She brought me back (echo), a rocking chair

Begin rocking back and forth

My aunt came back (echo), from Tennessee; (echo)

She brought me back (echo), an itching flee

Begin scratching your head with the opposite hand you've been waving the fan with

My aunt came back (echo), from Timbuktu; (echo)

She brought me back (echo), some chewing gum

Begin chomping as if you had gum

My aunt came back (echo), From Guadeloupe; (echo)

She brought me back (echo), a hula hoop

Begin swinging hips as if hula hoping

My aunt came back from the Houston Zoo; some Monkeys like you

BINGO

There was a Cub who had a dog,

And Bingo was his name-o,

B-I-N-G-O, B-I-N-G-O, B-I-N-G-O,

And Bingo was his name-o,

There was a Cub who had a dog,

And Bingo was his name-o,

B-I-N-G-(Clap), B-I-N-G-(Clap), B-I-N-G-(Clap),

And Bingo was his name-o....

Each verse, replace the last letter with another clap.

Singing in the Rain

I 'm singing in the rain,
Just singing in the rain,
What a glorious feeling,
I 'm happy again,

Arms Out! (echoed back)

A-ru-cha-cha, A-ru-cha-cha, A-ru-cha-cha-cha-cha!
A-ru-cha-cha, A-ru-cha-cha, A-ru-cha-cha-cha-cha!
(Bump hips with people either side)

I 'm singing in the.... etc.

Everyone stands for this song, and every verse, an extra complication is added before the "ru-cha-cha" bit. eg:

Arms Out
Thumbs Up
Knees Bent
Toes in
Bums Out
Chest Out
Tongues Out

Over the Irish Sea

When I was one, I had just begun,
The day I went to sea,
I jumped aboard a pirate ship and the captain said to me,
We're going this way, that way, forward backwards,
Over the Irish Sea,
A bottle of Rum to warm my Tum,
And that's the life for me.

When I was two, I did a poo . . .

When I was three, I did a wee . . .

When I was four, I shut the door . . .

When I was five, I was still alive . . .

When I was six, I gathered sticks . . .

When I was seven, I was almost in heaven . . .

When I was eight, I closed the gate . . .

When I was nine, I was feeling fine . . .

When I was ten, I started over again . . .

Suggested motions:

"...jumped aboard..." {climb up}

"...the captain said..." {give salute}

"We're going..." {jump; first left, right, forward, and back}

"...over the Irish Sea." {make waves with hand}

"...bottle of rum..." {as if drinking}

"...to warm my tum..." {rub tummy}

"...that's the life for me..." {slap knee and raise hand}

Princess Pat

Chorus: "A Ric-a-dam-doo, pray what is that?
It was made at home by the Princess Pat,
It's red and gold, and purple-blue
That's what we call The Ric-a-dam-doo, dam-doo, dam-doo"

The Song: The Princess Pat (Egyptian hand movement & hips)
Lived in a tree (Arms up over heads, making a tree bow)
She sailed across (wave hands over water)
The seven seas (Seven fingers, wave hands over water)
She sailed across (Repeat hand wave over water)
the Channel too (thumb and finger channel, two fingers)
and took with her (sling bag over shoulder)
a rickabamboo (hands wave down move hips)

(chorus)

A rickabamboo (hands wave down)
Now what is that
It's something made
For the Princess Pat (repeat Egyptian move)
It's red and gold (hand on right hip)
and purple too (hand on left hip)
That's why it's called
a rickabamboo (repeat motion)

(chorus)

Now Captain Dan (stand at Alert)
and loyal crew (salute)
They sailed across the channel too (as above)
but their ship sank (hold noses and move body down)
and your's will too (point out and finger two)
if you don't take (sling bag over shoulder)
a rickabamboo (hands wave down)

The song and the music is the song of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.
Princess Patricia of Cannaught was the daughter of a Governor General of Canada 1911-1914 and a grand-daughter of Queen Victoria and Prince Albert.

The rigabamboo is correctly the Regimental Camp Colour, affectionately known by the Princess Pat's as "The Ric-a-dam-doo".

Ant Song

The ants go marching one by one, Hurrah, Hurrah.
The ants go marching one by one, Hurrah, Hurrah.
The ants go marching one by one,
The liitle one stops tp shoot his gun.
And they all went marching,
Along the floor,
Under the door,
Down the drain,
Into the rain,
Zoom, zoom, zoom,
Zoom, zoom, zoom.

Two by two- to go the loo.
Three by three- to clime a tree.
Four by four- to knock at the door
Five by five- to pick up sticks.
Six by six- to buy a twix.
Seven by seven- to look at heaven.
Eight by eight- to talk to his mate.
Nine by nine- to tell the time
Ten by ten- to buy a pen.

Bananas of the World

Bananas of the world Unite !
Peel Bananas, Peel Peel Bananas
Shake Bananas, Shake Shake Bananas
Go Bananas, Go Go Bananas
Bananas of the world Unite

Baby Bumble Bee

I've got a little baby bumble bee (*cup hands*)
Won't my mummy be surprised at me
I've got a little baby bumble bee
Oo, ee, the bee stung me

I'm squashing up my baby bumble bee (*squash hands*)
Won't my mummy be surprised at me
I'm squashing up my baby bumble bee
Oo, ee, I'm all sticky

I'm licking up my baby bumble bee (*lick hands*)
Won't my mummy be surprised at me
I'm licking up my baby bumble bee
Oo, ee, the bee's in me

I'm bringing up my baby bumble bee (*be sick on 'bring'*)
Won't my mummy be surprised at me
I'm bringing up my baby bumble bee
Oo, ee, there's my bee

I'm digging up my baby bumble bee (*digging action*)
Won't my mummy be surprised at me
I'm digging up my baby bumble bee
Oo, ee, there's no more bee!

Three Chocolate Eclairs

3 chocolate eclairs, 3 chocolate eclairs, 3 chocolate eclairs

Sitting on a place - yum, yum, yum

2 chocolate eclairs, 2 chocolate eclairs, 2 chocolate eclairs

Sitting on a place - yum, yum, yum

1 chocolate eclair, One chocolate eclair, One chocolate eclair

Sitting on a place - yum, yum, yum

No chocolate eclairs, No chocolate eclairs, No chocolate eclairs

Sitting on a place - Throw Up

1 chocolate eclair, One chocolate eclair, One chocolate eclair

Sitting on a place - Throw Up

2 chocolate eclairs, 2 chocolate eclairs, 2 chocolate eclairs

Sitting on a place - Throw Up

3 chocolate eclairs, 3 chocolate eclairs, 3 chocolate eclairs

Sitting on a place - Yum, Yum, Yum

Charlie had a Pigeon

Charlie had a Pigeon, a Pigeon, a Pigeon

Charlie had a Pigeon, a Pigeon that flew

It flew in the morning, It flew in the night

and when it came home it was covered in..

Coming of the Frogs

Mine eyes have seen the horror
of the coming of the frogs
They are sneaking through the swamps
they are lurking under logs
You can hear their mournful croaking
through the early morning fog
The frogs keep hopping on
Ribbit, ribbit, ribbit, croak, croak
Ribbit, ribbit, ribbit, croak, croak
Ribbit, ribbit, ribbit, croak, croak
The frogs keep hopping on

The frogs have grown in numbers
and their croaking fills the air
There's no place to escape to
'cause the frogs are everywhere
They've eaten all the flies
and now they're hungry as a bear
The frogs keep hopping on

Chorus

I used to like the bullfrogs
like to feel their slimy skin
Liked to put them in my teacher's desk
and take them home again
You can hear their mournful croaking
through the early morning fog
The frogs keep hopping on

Chorus

The Cow Kicked Nellie

The cow kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

The cow kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

The cow kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

And the Doctor said (pause) would do no harm

So we all kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

Second verse same as the first

A little bit louder a little bit worse

Third verseetc

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Last verse same as the first

A little bit louder and a little bit worse

The cow kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

The cow kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

The cow kicked Nellie in the belly in the barn

And the Doctor said (pause) Now Nellie's Dead

But we only did, what the doctor said.

Freddie the Zebra

Freddie the zebra's got five stripe

Freddie the zebra's got five stripes

Freddie the zebra's got five stripes

So go Freddie go, boom, boom, boom

Then 4...3....2...

Freddie the zebra's got one stripe...

Freddie the zebra's got no stripes...

So Freddie is a horse

Everywhere We Go

Everywhere we go

Everywhere we go

People want to know

People want to know

Who we are

Who we are

Where we come from

Where we come from

And this is what we tell them

And this is what we tell them

We're the 1st Sandhurst

We're the 1st Sandhurst

Mighty Mighty Sandhurst

Mighty Mighty Sandhurst

And if they can't hear us

And if they can't hear us

We'll sing a little louder

We'll sing a little louder

(Repeat several times, louder each time until...

And if they can't hear us

THEY MUST BE DEAF!)

The First Aider's Song

(The Twelve Days of Christmas)

On the first day of camping the Leader sent to me
A boy who had skinned his knee
On the second day of camping the Leader sent to me
Two banged heads, and a boy who had skinned his knee
three nose-bleeds . .
four mozzie bites . .
five nettle-stings . .
six boys with splinters . .
seven upset tummies . .
eight cuts and grazes . .
nine twisted ankles . .
ten homesick Leaders . .
eleven boys with measles . .
twelve angry parents . .

The Grand Old Duke

The Grand Old Duke of York,
He had ten thousand men,
He marched them up to the top of the hill,
And he marched them down again.
And when they were up, they were up,
And when they were down, they were down,
And when they were only half way up,
They were neither up nor down.

Ging Gang Goo

Ging gang gooli gooli gooli gooli watcha,

ging gang goo, ging gang goo

Ging gang gooli gooli gooli gooli watcha,

ging gang goo, ging gang goo

Heyla, heyla sheyla, heyla sheyla, heyla roo

Heyla, heyla sheyla, heyla sheyla, heyla roo

Shali walli, shali walli, shali walli, shali walli

Oompha, Oompah . .

Kum Ba Yah (Come with Me)

Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah.

Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah.

Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah.

Oh Lord, Kum ba yah.

- * 2. someone's singing, Lord
- * 3. someone's praying, Lord
- * 4. someone's sleeping, Lord

Sing Hosanna!

Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning

Give me oil in my lamp, I pray

Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning

Keep me burning 'til the break of day

Chorus

Sing Hosanna!, Sing hosanna!

Sing Hosanna! To the King of Kings!

Sing Hosanna!, Sing hosanna!

Sing Hosanna! To the King!

Give me joy in my heart, keep be praising

Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting

Give me love in my heart, keep me serving

Stir the Beans

Heads and Shoulders, Baby 1, 2, 3

Heads and Shoulders, Baby 1, 2, 3

Heads and Shoulders, Heads and Shoulders, Heads and
Shoulders, Baby 1, 2, 3

Shoulders, Hips....

Hips 'n' Knees....

Knees and Toes....

Stir the Beans....

Let it out....

Found a Peanut

Found a peanut, found a peanut,
Found a peanut over there
Thought I'd eat it, thought I'd eat it,
thought I'd eat it didn't care

Rather tasty, rather tasty,
rather tasty, but now
Got a pain, got a pain,
got a pain, don't know how

Fetch a doctor, fetch a doctor,
fetch a doctor, fetch him quick
Appendicitis, appendicitis,
appendicitis, feeling sick

Cut him open, cut him open,
cut him open, save his life
Sew him up, sew him up,
sew him up around my knife

Cut him open, cut him open,
cut him open, till its found
Sew him up, sew him up,
have you seen my specs around

Cut him open, cut him open, cut him open, . . .

He Jumped Without a Parachute

He jumped without a parachute from 20,000 feet

He jumped without a parachute from 20,000 feet

He jumped without a parachute from 20,000 feet

And he aint gonna jump no more

Chorus

Glory glory what a hell of a way to die

Glory glory what a hell of a way to die

And he aint gonna jump no more

OR

Glory glory what a hell of a way to die

Suspended by your braces when you dont know how to
fly

Glory glory what a hell of a way to die

And he aint gonna jump no more

He landed on the pavement like a lump of strawberry jam

Chorus

They put him in a match box and they sent him home to mum

Chorus

She put on the mantel piece for everyone to see * 3

Chorus

She put him on the table when the Vicar came to tea

Chorus

The Vicar spread him on some toast and said what lovely jam

Chorus

Hole In My Bucket

There's a hole in my bucket

Akela, Akela

There's a hole in my bucket

Akela, a hole

Well fix it, dear Racksha

dear Racksha, dear Racksha

Well fix it, dear Racksha, well fix it

With what shall fix it . . .

With straw . . .

The straw is too long . . .

Well cut it . . .

With what shall I cut it . . .

With an axe . . .

The axe is too dull . . .

Then sharpen it, . . .

With what shall I sharpen it . . .

With a stone

The stone is too dry . . .

Then wet it . . .

With what shall I wet it . . .

With water

In what shall I fetch it . . .

With a bucket . . .

There's a hole in my bucket . . .

A Jolly fine Song

Chorus

1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10 and a 10,9,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1

With a 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10

Its a jolly fine song so i'll sing it again

To market to market when my brother jim

When somebody threw a tomato at him

Now tomatoes are soft and they don't hurt the skin

But this one sure did - Its was still in the tin

Chorus

Mary the milkmaid was milking the cow

She couldn't work faster she didn't know how

Along came the farmer and gave her a sack

So she turned the cow over and poured the milk back

Chorus

I once knew a tramp who was tattered and torn

He was heating the grass on our front lawn

I said if your hungry in a need of a snack

The grass is much longer around at the back

Chorus

I went round to see my new girlfriend - Miss Brown

She was having a bath so couldn't come down

I said slip on something be down in a tick

She slipped on the soap and by jove she was quick

1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10

and a 10,9,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1

With a 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10

If you want any more you can sing it again

The Little Green Frog

Chorus

Gaaloomph went the little green frog one day
Gaaloomph went the little green frog
Gaaloomph went the little green frog one day
And the frog went gloomph gloomph gloomph

But we all know frogs go (*clap*) laa dee daa dee daa
(*clap*) laa dee daa dee daa (*clap*) laa dee daa dee daa
We all know frogs go (*clap*) laa dee daa dee daa
They don't go gloomph gloomph gloomph
Chorus

And we all know frogs go SQUELCH when you step on them
Chorus

And we all know frogs go POP in the microwave
Chorus

And well know frogs go WHZZZ in the blender
Chorus

And we all know frogs go SPLAT in the ceiling fan

Ten in a Bed

There were ten in a bed and the little one said "Roll over,
roll over"

So they all rolled over and one fell out
and he bumped his head and his gut's fell out.

Please remember to tie an knot in your suspenders

Single beds are only made for 1,2,3,4,5,.....

There were nine

There were eight

.....

There were two in a bed and the little one said "Roll over,
roll over"

So they all rolled over and one fell out
and he bumped his head and his gut's fell out.

Please remember to tie an knot in your suspenders

Single beds are only made for 1.

Campfire's Burning

Campfire's burning

Campfire's burning

Draw nearer

Draw nearer

In the gloaming

In the gloaming

Come sing and be merry.

Quartermaster's Store

There are rats, rats, as big as alley cats

In the stores, in the stores

There are rats, rats, as big as alley cats

In the Quartermaster's store

My eyes are dim, I can not see

I have not brought my specks with me

I have not brought my specks with me

Mice . . . running through the rice

Snakes . . . as big as garden rakes

Beans . . . as big as submarines

Gravy . . . enough to float the navy

Cakes . . . that give us tummy aches

Eggs . . . with scaly chicken legs

Butter . . . running in the gutter

Lard . . . they sell it by the yard

Bread . . . with great big lumps like lead

Cheese . . . that makes you want to sneeze

Soot . . . they grow it by the foot

Goats . . . eating all the oats

Bees . . . with little knobby knees

Owls . . . shredding paper towels

Apes . . . eating all the grapes

Turtles . . . wearing rubber girdles

Bear . . . with curlers in its hair

Buffalos . . . with hair between their toes

Foxes . . . stuffed in little boxes

Coke . . . enough to make you choke

...and anything else you can think of!

Stan

Stan, Stan the lavatory man
Chief Inspector of the outhouse clan
He issues the tissues,
the papers and the towels.
And listens to the rhythm of the various bowels
Deep down under the ground
Where all the little poo-poo's do swimming around
Stan, Stand the lavatory man,
Scoops up the poo-poops in his little tin canYea

He's got the whole world

He's got the whole world in his hands
He's got the whole world in his hands
He's got the whole world in his hands
He's got the whole world in his hands
He's got the wind and rain in his hands..
He's got you and me brother in his hands...
He's got everybody here in his hands

The Wind-up song

Once a Pack of Cub Scouts camped on an open field
Under the shade of an old oak tree
And they said as they watched and waited till the sun went down
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"

Chorus

Wind up Akela, Wind up Akela,
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"
And they said as they watched and waited till the sun went down
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"

Chorus

Down came Bagheera, bringing cups of orange squash
Up jumped the Cubs and grabbed them with glee
And they said as they drank and mumbled through the biscuit crumbs
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"

Chorus

Down came Kim and Kaa to see that the Cubs were washed
Down came Akela to oversee
And they said as they all got busy with the scrubbing brush
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"

Chorus

In went the Cubs all tucked into their sleeping-bags
Up spoke the youngest "I want to do a wee"
And they said as they argued whose turn it would be next
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"

Chorus

Up strode Akela, bringing back the youngest Cub
"You'd better watch your step" said he
"For I've heard you saying, ever since this afternoon
Who'll come and wind up Akela with me"

Chorus

Silence descended all across the camping-ground
All the tents were quiet, one, two, three
Save a little voice, which murmured as he went to sleep
"Who'll come and wind up Akela with me" **Chorus**