



Join-in-Jamboree

# ALAHKAZAM!!!!

## A Standing Kitchen

by Ian Mitchell

**S**tanding camps make up a regular part of our section programs. Whether holding your own standing camp with Scouts, having Venturers lend a hand at a Cub standing camp or preparing for an eight day Jamboree experience, being comfortable during the stay will go a long way to ensure everyone enjoys themselves.

Of course comfort, in the eyes of a teenager, starts with the belly. So here we offer a Campsite Kitchen for a standing camp. It will hold many staple items neatly and organized and can be customized to the group's specifications. If they like spices; add a spice rack. If they need special cooking utensils; add a utensil bag.

The beauty of this design (also seen as part of the BSA Jamboree materials) is that the legs fold into the box for storage and transport. By adding a set of wheels, either directly to the box or by way of a "dolly", getting

the kitchen onto the site becomes a manageable task well worth the effort.

Why not hold a building night in a supportive dad's workshop, complete with the supportive dad? Do I see a Builders Badge in the Troop's future? How about Venturers filling Service Award requirements by building the kitchen for the Troop?  $\wedge$

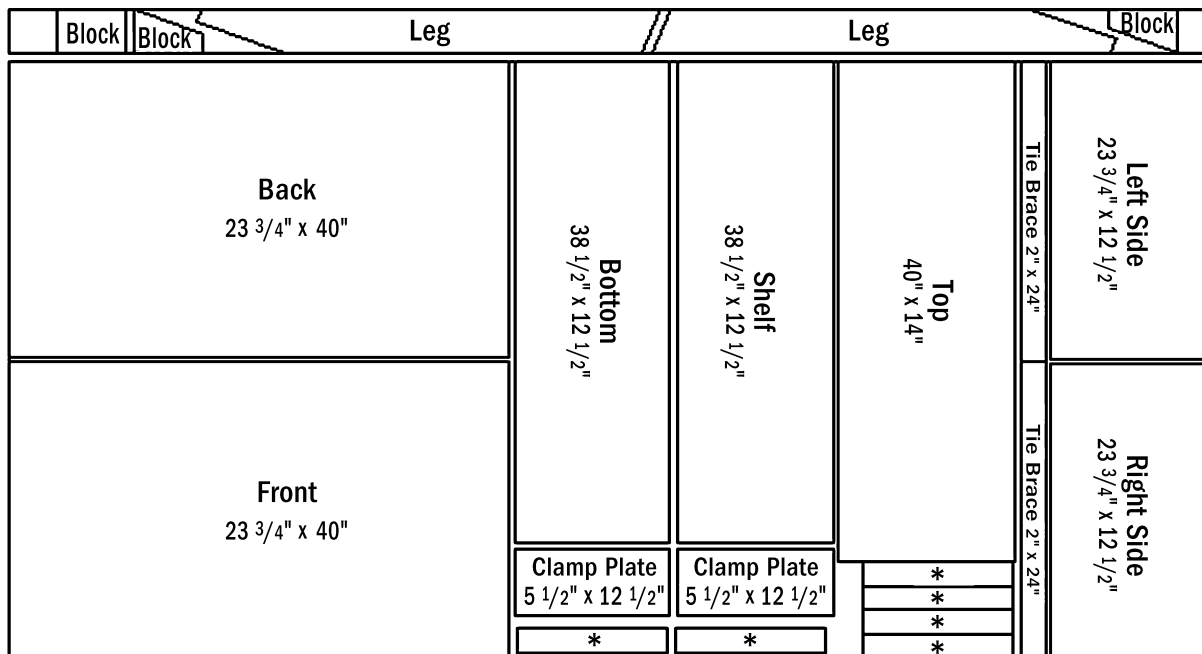
– Ian Mitchell is the Jamboree Manager for CJ07.

**Note:** the materials list shows how to cut all of the pieces out of one 4' x 8' sheet of 3/4" plywood and two 8' long, 2" x 4" studs.

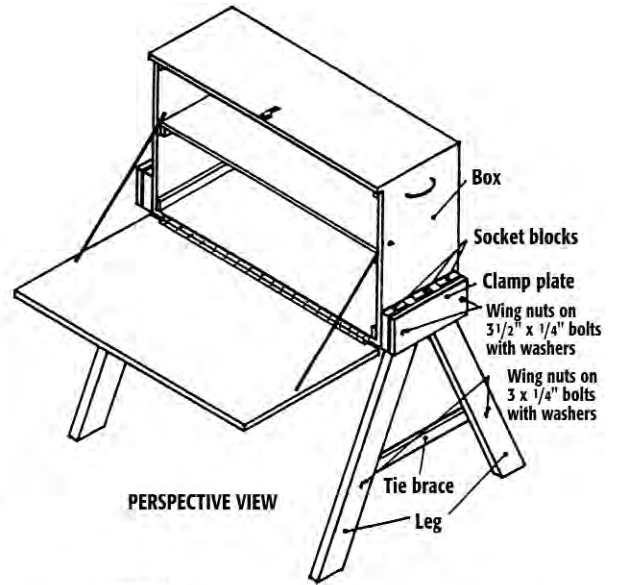
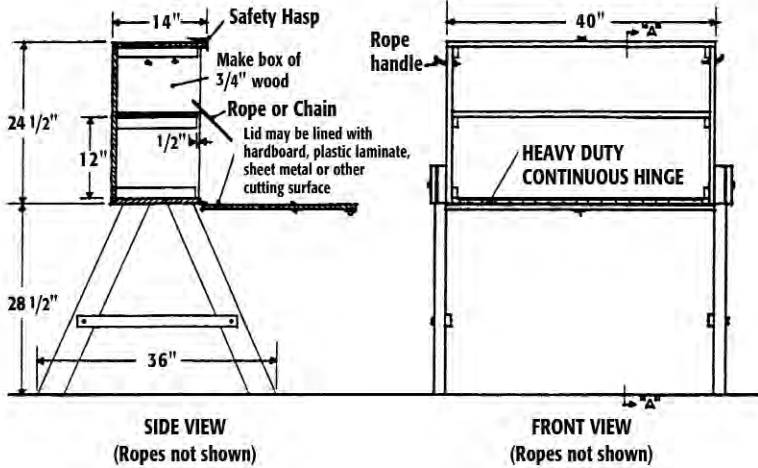
### Materials List

- sheet 3/4" Plywood (4' x 8')
- (\* save scrap for nailing strips)
- 2 – 8' long, 2" x 4"
- 1 - heavy duty piano hinge
- 1 - Hasp set
- 4 - 3 1/2" x 1/4" bolts
- Rope or chain for drop front
- 4 – 3" x 1/4" bolts
- 8 - 1/4" wing nuts & washers
- Plastic veneer for interior
- Strong, thick rope for handles

### Cut Plan for Standing Kitchen



# Standing Kitchen Assembly

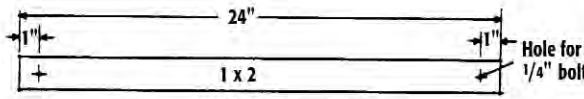


## ASSEMBLY:

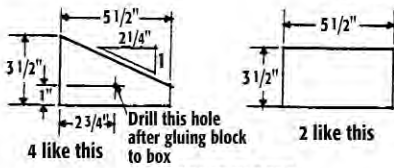
1. Attach tie braces to legs but do not tighten wing nuts.
2. Loosen wing nuts on clamp plates (plates, once installed, remain on box).
3. Insert legs in sockets and tighten wing nuts.
4. Tighten tie brace nuts.

To disassemble, reverse above procedure.

Store legs and braces inside box.

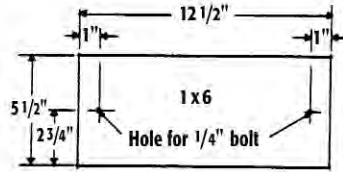


**TIE BRACE**  
2 required

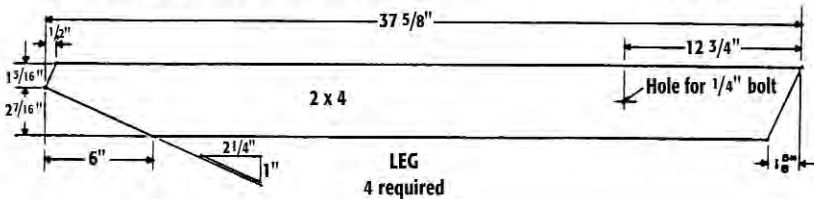


**SOCKET BLOCKS**

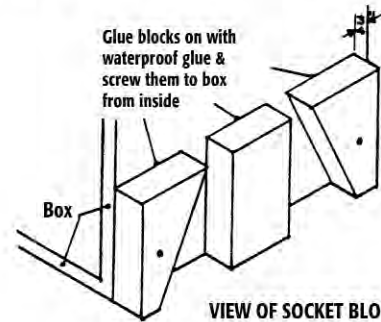
Make of 2 x 4 stock dressed down to 1 1/2" thick



**CLAMP PLATE**  
2 required



**LEG**  
4 required



**VIEW OF SOCKET BLOCKS IN PLACE ON BOX END**

## Completed Standing Kitchen



*Your CJ site will Rock with one of these kitchens!*