LIVE LAUGH LOVE... FRIENDS

SHARE AN ADVENTURE PROJECT

Organizer's Guide

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What are Live Laugh Love® Projects?

Live Laugh Love® was founded on the core philosophy that life should be lived with heart! What you live for...what makes you laugh...what you love...can be different for each person, but when you put your heart and soul into them, it makes life worth living. Every day becomes an adventure that brings more excitement, more joy, more satisfaction. We’ve created Live Laugh Love Projects to help you do that. They are fun, easy ways for you to get involved with something you care about and bring positive changes to your community. So if you want to live a life that is inspired and that inspires others, then Live Laugh Love programs are made for you.

Life is better when you really live, laugh and love.

When you embrace life, you appreciate it and you want it to be the best it can be -- not only for you, but for everyone. And the best life is one that is lived to the full, one filled with laughter and love. Whether you live laugh love nature and animals, or people and community, these Projects offer something that will speak to your heart.

Change starts with you.

We give you all the information you need to organize and successfully carry out great initiatives that will not only benefit the wildlife and community around you, but will give you the opportunity to have fun as you build and grow relationships with your friends, family and neighbors. So don’t sit around and wait for someone else to do it. Every person is unique and has something important to contribute. Each of us can make choices that bring beauty, love and good into the world we live in. Will you?

So jump in. Have fun.
Make a difference.

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Life is an adventure. And sharing it with friends and family make it even better.

Are you ready for some more excitement in your life? Do you love to try new things and challenge yourself?

Then you’ll love our Share An Adventure Project. We at LIVE LAUGH LOVE believe that life should be lived to the fullest and part of how you do that is by seeking out new experiences and opportunities to grow.

Memories are made of this and they are best remembered when they are shared with friends or family. This adventure may be just what you would enjoy or it may be something completely different. We give you a few ideas and you take it from there. The goal is for you to get together with people who are close to you, have an adventure and have fun doing it.

Take advantage of each day. Live laugh and love with all your heart.
Introduction

You love your friends and family but you’re tired of doing the same thing all the time. You crave something fun and different to do. Our “Share an Adventure” Project is meant to inspire you to try new things and grow stronger relationships in the process. Life is richer and more fun that way. There are so many great things in life to experience. Don’t wait around for them to come to you.

Special skills

No special skills are needed. This can be very easy to plan. All you really need is a heart for adventure and some good people in your life to share it with you.

Group size

This activity is meant to build relationships. You can plan it with a few close friends, some club, group, schoolmates, or even your family.

Time Commitment

This depends on what you plan. You can make the adventure last as long as you wish. Remember, it’s not quantity, but quality that counts.

All Over Benefits

An opportunity to build strong friend or family relationships should not be missed. So take time out to share an adventure with those you care about.

Memories of laughter with family and friends last a lifetime.
PROJECT GUIDE

Step 1: Plan your adventure

Fun and exciting can mean different things to different people. Share an Adventure was created to inspire you to take the time to plan new and interesting things with the special people in your life. We think camping is a great way to get out of your everyday routine, put yourself in a different environment and spend time away from the hectic, technology-driven culture that surrounds us.

A. Who’s coming?
   Determine who you will invite: your best friends, your family, your teammates?

B. Duration
   Decide how long you want to camp for? Overnight night and the next morning? The weekend? Keep it close in and simple your first time.

C. Pick a location
   It can be as convenient as your own backyard, the park down the street or a few hours away. Consider the following when making your decision:
   - The climate
   - Campground facilities
   - Distance from home
   - Campground rules/limitations

D. Arrange for transportation and supplies
   - Whose car will you take if you are going out of town?
   - Does anyone have a tent or two? If not, go online and see how to pitch a tarp to sleep under if you’re sure it’s not going to rain. Or small pup tents don’t cost much. Or you can rent a cabin. Or just camp out in your own back yard.
   - Sleeping Bags or several good blankets
   - Ground cloth (foam or blanket between you and the cold ground)
   - Food (must be easy to transport)
   - Coolers
   - Cookware
   - Matches or lighter
E. Take the necessary safety precautions. They include but aren’t limited to the following:

- If applicable, have adult supervision or permission from your parents.
- Bring a first aid kit and fire extinguisher.
- Read up online about what you need to know about camping and safety rules.
- Let people know where you are going.
- Always stay together. Have a buddy system.
- If other’s kids are with you, always have either two kids with an adult or two adults with a kid.
- Always keep your cell phone with you and charged.
- Keep food locked securely and hang it and any garbage high above in a tree to avoid attracting bears and other animals to your site.

**Be sure to refer to safety manuals on camping for detailed instructions.**

F. Organize food and beverages

Keep things simple. Plan on food that is easy to cook and clean up. Don’t forget to bring water along with whatever other beverage you prefer. Make sure you have the means to properly dispose of all trash.

G. Practice setting up the tent(s) and making a fire
H. Plan fun games or activities for your trip

Step 2: Have fun!

This is a great opportunity to grow closer to your friends and family. Here are some cool ways to make the most of your trip:

- If the weather is warm enough, go swimming during the day
- Take a short hike on an established trail.
- Make S’mores around the campfire and tell funny or scary stories
- Play games: cards, checkers, football, frisbee, horseshoe, catch, etc.
- Look at the stars
- Bring your bikes to ride on the trails
- Go fishing
- Sing songs, play guitar
- Take pictures and use them to make scrap books for your friends/family
- Make hot cocoa and roast marshmallows on sticks from the bushes

Other Fun Ideas

- Organize a scavenger hunt around your town or city
- Plan a picnic and canoe trip
- Go skiing, snow shoeing, snowboarding or cross country skiing
- Try deep-sea fishing. Have a contest and prizes for who catches the first fish, the biggest fish and the most fish
- Have a snowman building contest
- Host jack-o-lantern making party
- Organize a trip to historic landmarks in your area
- Never quit and go home. If it storms and you tent floods. If it is cold and you are cold. See it through long will stories of survival be told, and you and your kids will be better off for it. Quit and another lesson is learned.
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Send an Event News Report Back to Live Laugh Love®

Congratulations! You are a leader and a change-maker and you should be proud. You’ve made a positive difference by implementing a Live Laugh Love project in your community. But it doesn’t have to stop there. Your efforts can have even more of an impact. How? By sharing your story. Just tell us about it and we’ll help you spread the news so others can be inspired to do the same.

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Let us know more about you, what you have a heart for and what you’ve done to make a difference so we can share it with the entire Live Laugh Love Community!

It’s easy. It’s simple. Just send us an email or CD with some attachments.

- Pictures
- Copies of the signup sheets
- Some text
- What was done
- Who did it
- How many people did it
- Total time spent
- The number of people the project will likely benefit
- Why you did it
- A story if you like
- Anything else!

Feel free to add anything else you feel is important.

- What was the project?
- Why did you choose the project?
- What were your goals for the project? Were they met? (ex. Number of people helped, area of land that was cleared, the increased number of people that used the park once it was cleaned) was cleaned, etc.)
- Who worked on the project? (friends, family, scout troop, club group, etc.) How many people?
• How much time was involved?
• Were any news articles written about your event? Can you include them for us to share or send us a link where people can read about it?
• Did you get any support from your community or local government leaders?
• Do you plan on doing this project again later on or perhaps a different one?
• Was anyone inspired to do something similar because of your example?
• How did the community respond?
• What did you do to recruit volunteers?
• What did you learn from the experience?
• Pictures would be great to have so if you can, please include “before and after” photos. Then everyone really get an understanding of what you and your team were able to do.
• If you really want to get everyone’s attention, you can also write a short news article summarizing your event and its success. Hearing it from your perspective makes it that much more meaningful!

SO TAKE SOME TIME, SHARE YOUR HEART, AND HELP US MAKE THE WORLD A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE LAUGH LOVE.

Thanks!

The LLL Team

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