Electrical Safety

Your safety is very important, help us avoid serious consequences by following Australian Electrical Standard AS/NZS 3002 guidelines. All electrical equipment Tested and Tag every 12 months, items that fail removed, Any electrical equipment damaged removed and tagged "**Do not use**", Repaired by qualified person or replaced, Tested and tag again before used again. Items for disposal, cord cut off

- **Before Each Use:** Visual check, in good condition, no sign of fraying or wires showing.
- **Cords Tripping Hazards**

  Installing above — Attacked to a support rope,
  If crossing a road way should be 6m above,
  2.7m above pedestrians,
  Recommended add flags,

  On the ground — Cable mat as protection across a driveway
  Tape indoor walkway
- **Lights**:

  150mm from tent fabric or metal,
- **Outdoors:**

  15 amp cords if able, or heavy duty cord if only have a 10amp power outlet
  Out door rated power boards
  Ensure cords are protected from moisture especial their ends
- **No Piggy backing cords**

  Don't overload cords: one single length cord for each heating appliances

Tingling feeling when touching any metal parts must be reported, power source isolated, Tagged "**Do not use**" until fault located and rectified by a qualified electrician.

Firefighting **Only fight fires if trained and safe to do so with a Dry Powder extinguisher**

P Pull the pin
A Aim the nozzle
S Squeeze the trigger
S Sweep the fire

Replace Cylinder

First Aid For Electrical **STOP DANGER SELF & OTHERS**

Turn off power supply at meter box if safe to do so
Call 000, send for a defibrillator if one near by

If safe, assess victim, Airway, Breathing, Circulation (ABC),
Head or other injuries if thrown against hard object
CPR, Defibrillation may be required
Support until help arrives

Internal injury can be severe, medical assessment is recommended for all electrical burns.

All incidents even near misses must be report using Tas Scouts TOP 26
email TOP to HQ within the week, incident@tas.scouts.com.au
If serious incident, contact Chief Commissioner ASAP.

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