

GRAM SABHA
of
VAVIHARSH

KENDUR

KOLUMBI

CAMP NAVA GRAM PRAYAS

GRAM SABHA SYMBOLS



KENDUR GRAM SABHA
Proposal Statements

Rule Creation

We the E.G. of Kendur, in order to make the system work,
Propose to make people aware of village policy,
Through posting rules, having a village collegium, and checking
that new rules get posted.

Better Work

We the E.G. of Kendur, in order to have a better system in
our village,
Propose to keep every body busy,
Through posting assignments, making more jobs for people,
deciding work comes before play.

Creativity

We the E.G. of Kendur, in order to put more creativity
into our work,
Propose to creatively involve all villagers,
Through persuading people to have fun while they work,
use objects from nature as tools, have art supplies available
to use.

Tent Check Chart

We the E.G. of Kendur, in order to check on everybody,
Propose to create a tent check chart, and check rational,
through creating a chart of tent assignments and giving
awards to owners of cleanest tent and asking outside staff
to do the check.

Solving Problems

We the E.G. of Kendur, in order to put our village in order,
Propose to consult about rules and problems,
Through putting all rules on the bulletin board, making the rule
together in a village collegium, and determining the jobs of
everyone.

KOLUMBI GRAM SABHA
Proposal Statements

Health Care

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to care for ourselves,
Propose to create daily care structures,
Through which we pick up trash every morning, clean our tents
and have a daily bath structure.

Tent Care

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to care for our tents,
Propose a tent care model,
Through which we daily clean tents, replace missing stakes,
and sew up the holes.

Camp Care

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to keep our camp area clean,
Propose to have a clean-up campaign,
Through not littering, having trash bags available, and having
appointed units for clean-up.

Improved Manners

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to improve our manners,
Propose to teach and practice better manners,
Through lessons will power.

Quiet Time

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to honor each other,
Propose to be quiet during solitary time,
Through staying in tents, playing quiet games, obeying all the rules.

Tent Visitation

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to keep our village from being
too full,
Propose to limit visitation,
Through limits on time of visits and limits on number of visitors.

Shower Time

We the E.G. of Kolumbi, in order to keep ourselves clean,
Propose to take showers daily,
Through creating a time schedule for teams and getting the
pressure fixed.

VAVIHARSH GRAM SABHA
Proposal Statements

Garden Beautification

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to care for outdoor space,
Propose to beautify and order our gardens,
Through planting and caring for pretty flowers
and defining our garden space with rocks or bricks.

Spirit Care

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to say "yes" to our outdoor
situation,
Propose to care for our spirit life,
Through writing a silly song about bugs, rain, poison ivy and dogs,
and through putting altars on the tables.

Itching Prevention

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to minimize health problems,
Propose to prevent itching and rash,
Through the use of Insect repellent, pulling up Poison Ivy, and
fixing the screens.

Wall Decor

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to remind us of who we are,
Propose to create symbols for our walls,
Through coloring pictures of what we do in our community,
putting up pretty pictures, symbols and songs on our walls.

Teaching Safety

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to care for our physical safety,
Propose to teach safety regarding outdoor living,
Through teaching what poison ivy looks like, teaching rules regarding
dogs, and learning to listen to our life guard.

Water Use

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to better utilize water,
Propose to repair and care for the water system,
Through fixing the pipes, not wasting water, and building a ditch
to water our garden.

Area Clean-up

We the E.G. of Vaviharsh, in order to keep our area clean,
Propose to clean up after eating,
Through the making of obedience assignments, rotating inspection,
and deciding on a special place for lunch.

CAMP NAVA GRAM PRAYAS
GRAM SABHA SONGS

VAVIHARSH

(Tune: Rainbow Trail)

We are the people of Vaviharsh you see.
We built a rabbit hutch so all could see.
We live in India.
Maliwada, Vaviharsh.
Dance in the sun
Play in the rain
For all Mankind.

KENDUR

(Tune: Yankee Doodle)

We're the village of Kendur,
We're the best there's ever been.
We came from all over to build the earth.
We strive onward every day.
Kendur is very far away.
But, we represent it anyway.
Kendur, Kendur, is the best.
We knew it from the start.
We can go onward every day.

KOLUMBI

(Tune : Aunt Martha's Sheep)

If you would listen to me,
A story I will tell,
About a little village place
That we all love so well.
We have campers,
We have showers,
We have little rabbits too.
And if you've never been here
We would like to welcome you.
So welcome, everybody.
I'm sure we'll get along.
Cause everybody is friendly
In the village we call home.

THE STORY OF KENDUR

About a week ago we put our tents up and got settled. Now that we've moved in we've done all sorts of things such as we built a garden, and we got our water, we also now have a snack bar and great places to live.

We started out small but have continued growing. Kendur is a great place to live and we proved it in the olympics by winning. Now as we grow stronger, we know that we can continue winning. Even when we return home we will remember Kendur and the great times we've had.

THE STORY OF VAVIHARSH

Once upon a time, a group of people who didn't know each other very well all showed up in a plot of land which was to be called Vaviharsh. At first they were con and homesick. Then they started to work together. They put up tents, dug a fire pit, and organized their space. Then they created a garden and rabbit hutches for food. Soon they began to feel like a village. They gathered many evenings around the campfire and sang songs and told stories. They took turns caring for the rabbits and garden. They discovered exciting things about the area. They were near strawberries and lots of firewood. Most important: When problems came up like no water and no meeting space, instead of saying, "I want to go home" they said, What can we do? and they did it together.