Blockades 2

- I. Intro to Hardcore Blockading-field blockading (30 minutes)
 - a. Different level of planning
 - i. Materials needed
 - ii. Support for long term blockading
 - iii. site selection/choke points
 - iv. timing/recon and security
 - v. goals
- II. Different Kinds of Blockades (30 minutes)
 - a. Tree sits-how are they useful
 - b. Bi-pod, tripod, mono-pod-how are they useful
 - c. Sleeping dragons
- III. Equipment (30 minutes)
 - a. Platform-how to construct and safely rig
 - b. Ropes
 - c. Food/water
 - d. Poo buckets
 - e. First aid supplies
 - f. Support-closures/police lines ect.
 - (10 minute bathroom break)
- IV. Tripod, bi-pod-monopod (50 minutes))
 - a. Discuss armoring and why
 - b. Pole selection (we will get poles if site has them or discuss how and have them on hand.)
 - c. Hardware and equipment necessary (hand out for each structure)
 - d. Importance of safety & communication doing set up
- V. Set up a tripod (1 hour)
 - a. How to set it up (tying, roles in set up, actual raising)
 - b. Rigging the platform
 - c. Safety
 - d. Participants practice getting into platform (must have completed climbing 1)