

# **Tire Sing Along**

## **Objective**

The Tire Sing Along presents players with a challenge where they need to strategize, commit and persevere to achieve a common goal.

## **Setup**

Find an open area and locate an old used car/truck/tractor tire without a rim. Depending on the size of your team you may need more than one tire. Typically one car tire can hold roughly 10-12 people (more if they are gymnasts and less if they are football players.) If you are using multiple tires, arrange them so they are at least 20 feet away from each other. If you do not have easy access to car tires, you can use small, stable blocks of wood.

## **Instructions**

We'll use an example of a team with 20 people with two tires. Tell your players that they must balance all the team members on the tires and everyone must sing a complete song to successfully complete the challenge. Your players will probably divide themselves up between the tires and attempt to figure out how to get everyone up and balanced on them. Once they figure out a system, they will make their attempt to sing a song. Typically they soon discover the song they picked is too long. The majority of teams end up singing "Row, Row, Row Your Boat." If you have multiple groups, many times one group will get it first and think they are finished. Remind them that the whole team needs to be up on the tire and singing the entire song in unison to successfully complete the challenge.