**Popcorn Applause:** Pretend to hold kernels of un-popped popcorn in your hands. Shake the popcorn and have it grow (like Jiffy pop) as you keep yelling, “Pop, pop, pop, pop, pop.” When it gets big enough let the popcorn explode and everyone yells, “Yummmmm!”

**Hiking Applause:** Pretend to hike through the forest, push back tree branches, look amazed and say, “That is beautiful!”

**Dance Applause:** “Whoop, there it is!”

**Artist Applause:** Pretend to mix paint on a painters tablet and then paint in the air cheering, “Now, that is a happy cloud!”

**Big Hand:** Leader says, "let's give them a big hand" everybody holds up one hand, palm out. (Leader yells, “Louder” and everybody holds up the other hand, palm out.)

**Baden-Powell Applause:** Hands behind back, nod and say, “Oooh, Aahhhh, Isn’t that amazing!”

**Nature Applause:** While reaching arms both above your head, yell, “Tree-mendous!!” “Tree-mendous!!” “Tree-mendous!!”

**Liberty Bell Applause:** Divide group into two parts – the Dings and the Dongs. Alternate yelling: Ding – Dong – Ding – Dong – Ding – Dong. Then all yell - Let freedom ring!

**Politician Applause:** Pat yourself on the back saying, “Great job, well done!”

**Basketball Applause:** Take a pretend jump shot and then yell, “That was a swish!”

**Fighter Pilot Applause:** Arms out like a plane, engine noises, do a loop, thumbs up and say, “That was A-Okay!”

**Graduation Applause:** Turn tassel. Throw graduation cap into the air and yell!

**Arte Jonson Applause:** Put your ands on your chin in contemplation and say in a unique accent, “Very Interesting!”

**Mad Scientist Applause:** Hold up an imaginary glass jar in one hand, pretend to grab a test tube full of some liquid and pour it in the glass jar. Pretend to grab a second test tube with liquid in it and pour it into your pretend glass jar. Swirl the liquid and cackle like a Mad Scientist, “Ah ha hha ha haaaaa!” Then say, “Its brilliant!” Then pretend the mixture explodes (make your best explosion noise). – This sounds long, but it can all be done very fast.

**Cooperation Applause:** You must use one hand to clap with someone on either side of you. If you are on an end, the person in front or behind.

**Tyrannosaurus Rex Applause:** Let out a big roar, then hold your arms close to your chest (making it look like small arms) then let out a wimpy sounding whine.

**Baseball Applause:** Pretend to throw a ball up, swing a bat and watch the ball go while yelling, “That is a home run!”

**Squirrel Applause:** Have the pack sit up like a squirrel, elbows in close to the body, arms up, hands bent over. Pretend to have two nuts, one in each hand. Hit hands together and say: “That was nuts, nuts, nuts!!”