

Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

Month: **September**

Week: **4**

Point of the Scout Law: **Clean**

	Tiger	Wolf	Bear	Webelos
Before the Meeting	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.
Gathering	Hidden Pictures: Recycling Center			
Opening	A Nature Minute Opening			
Activities/Project	Rearrange – the Outdoor Code			
Game/Song	Earth, Air, Water Game			
Business items/Take home	None	None	None	None
Closing	I Went Hiking Closing			
After the meeting				

Materials:

Gathering: Copies of Hidden Pictures, pencils/crayons

Opening: flag

Project/Activity: craft sticks, pencils/crayons

Game/Song: bean bag, small ball or other small item(s) to toss

Closing: copies of lines to cut out

Home assignments: none

Recycling Center

By Janet Robertson



In this big picture, find the needle, candle, crescent moon, lemon, snake, fishhook, boot, pennant, fish, flowerpot, flashlight, mitten, sailboat, ruler, and crayon.



needle



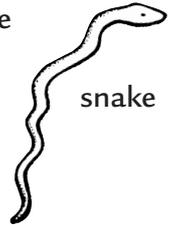
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crescent moon



lemon



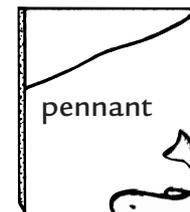
snake



fishhook



boot



pennant



flowerpot



fish



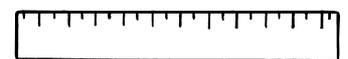
flashlight



mitten



sailboat



ruler



crayon

A Nature Minute Opening

Cubmaster or Den Leader says the following:

- I am part of Nature.
- I am part of everything that lives.
- I am bound together with all living things in air, in land, in water.
- My life depends upon Nature, upon its balance, upon its resources and upon the continuity of both.
- As a member of the human race, I am responsible for its survival.
- I am a part of Nature, and I will not destroy it.

Please join me in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Scout Oath.



Rearrange – the Outdoor Code

Materials:

5 craft sticks for each Cub Scout

Pencils/Markers

Small posters of the Outdoor Code (1 for 10 Cub Scouts)

Small rubber band (for holding finished craft sticks together)

Instructions:

1. Explain to the Cub Scouts that they are going to learn the Outdoor Code.
2. Show one of the small posters with the Outdoor Code and repeat it with them and show them how the Outdoor Code has 5 lines.
3. Pass out the craft sticks and markers/pencils.
4. It may take time, but have each Cub Scout write each line of the Outdoor Code on one of the craft sticks (if a line takes both the front and back of the craft stick, that is fine).
5. The finished sticks may look something like the following:

AS an American I will do my best to -

Be clean in my outdoor manners

Be careful with fire

Be considerate in the outdoors

Be conservation minded

6. The Cub Scouts can then put the Outdoor Code in the correct order, repeat it while removing certain sections, etc.

7. Cub Scouts can use the rubber band to hold their craft sticks together.

Earth, Air, Water Game

Materials:

Small ball or bead bag or item that can be tossed per circle

Instructions:

1. Have Cub Scouts sit on the floor in a large circle. If you have more than 20 Cub Scouts, divide them into smaller groups.
2. One Cub Scout is "It" and stands in the center of the circle holding the small ball or bean bag.
3. "It" throws the ball or bean bag to any Cub Scout sitting in the circle and says either, "Earth," "Air," or "Water." Then he quickly starts counting to 10. The person that he threw the ball or bean bag to has to respond. If "It" said, "Earth" – then the person who caught the ball has to name an animal that lives on land. If "Air" was said, then the person who caught the ball has to name an animal that spends time in the air. If "Water" was said, then the person who caught the ball has to name something that lives in the water. The names of the animals can't be used twice.
4. If the Cub Scout who catches the ball or bean bag correctly names an animal or in the 10 second time period, then he gets to be "It." If he does not, then the original "It" gets to continue.
5. This game can be played for a specific amount of time or until all players get to be "It," etc.



I Went Hiking Closing

Materials:

Paper with lines printed for Cub Scouts to read

Cub Scout #1 - I went hiking, I took a walking stick.

Cub Scout #2 - I went hiking, I took a camera.

Cub Scout #3 - I went hiking, I took some water.

Cub Scout #4 - I went hiking, I took a snack.

Cub Scout #5 - I went hiking, and enjoyed the journey.

Cub Scout #6 - I went hiking, not a piece did I take.

Cub Scout #7 - I went hiking, not a piece did I leave.



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