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101 Den Leader (& Assistant) Training



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Opening

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Scout Oath
- Scout Law
- Prayer
- Take opening poll





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Who Are We?

- Mike Cato
- Mechanical engineer; Construction PM
- Involved in Scouting as a leader since 2017
- Current Male Webelos Den Leader; Current Committee Chair
- Father of a Wolf and a Webelos
- Affiliation: Cub Pack 584 (Bothell)





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Who Are We?

- Barbara Miller
- Nurse Practitioner
- Involved in Scouting as a leader since 2019
- Current Male Wolf Den Leader; Current Treasurer
- Mother of a Wolf and a Webelos
- Affiliation: Cub Pack 584 (Bothell)





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Objectives

At the end of the class, you will be able to

- Discuss the Mission, Aims, and Methods of Scouting
- Discuss the major elements of Cub Scouts
- Discuss the behavior of the Scouts we lead
- Plan and conduct a Den meeting
- How to work with Scouts in an online environment
- Have fun in Scouting!





Course Outline

I. Specifics about Cub Scouting

- I. Mission, Aims, and Methods
- II. Elements of the Pack and Den
- III. Uniforms
- IV. Ranks, Advancement, and Awards

II. Elements Required for Success

- I. Resources
- II. Program planning
- III. Communication
- IV. Record Keeping





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Course Outline

III. The Den Meeting

- I. Managing Den Behavior
- II. Elements of a Den Meeting
- III. Earning Bobcat
- IV. Outings/Field Trips
- V. Tips and Tricks





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Why We're Scout Leaders



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Who Are You?

- Name
- Unit
- Location
- What rank Den do you have?
- Why are you a Scout?
- Why are you a Den Leader?
- What knowledge do you hope to walk out the door with today?





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Show of Hands

- New to Scouting?
- First PTC?
- Taken the online course?
- Had your first Den Meeting?





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Mission, Aims, and Methods of Scouting

MISSION



AIMS



METHODS



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Mission, Aims, and Methods of Scouting

- The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.





Mission, Aims, and Methods of Scouting

- The Scout Oath

On my honor
I will do my best
to do my duty
to God and my Country
and to obey the Scout Law;
To help other people at all times;
To keep myself physically strong, mentally
awake, and morally straight.





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Mission, Aims, and Methods of Scouting

- The Scout Law

A Scout is ...

Trustworthy

Loyal

Helpful

Friendly

Courteous

Kind

Obedient

Cheerful

Thrifty

Brave

Clean

Reverent





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Mission, **Aims**, and Methods of Scouting

- The Aims of Cub Scouting:
 - Character Development
 - Citizenship Training
 - Personal Fitness
 - Leadership Development





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Mission, Aims, and **Methods of Scouting**

- The Methods of Cub Scouting:
 - Living the Ideals
 - Belonging to a Den
 - Advancement
 - Family Involvement
 - Activities
 - Serving the Neighborhood
 - Uniform





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Let's Have an Activity and Take a Break

Methods of Scouting Match Game

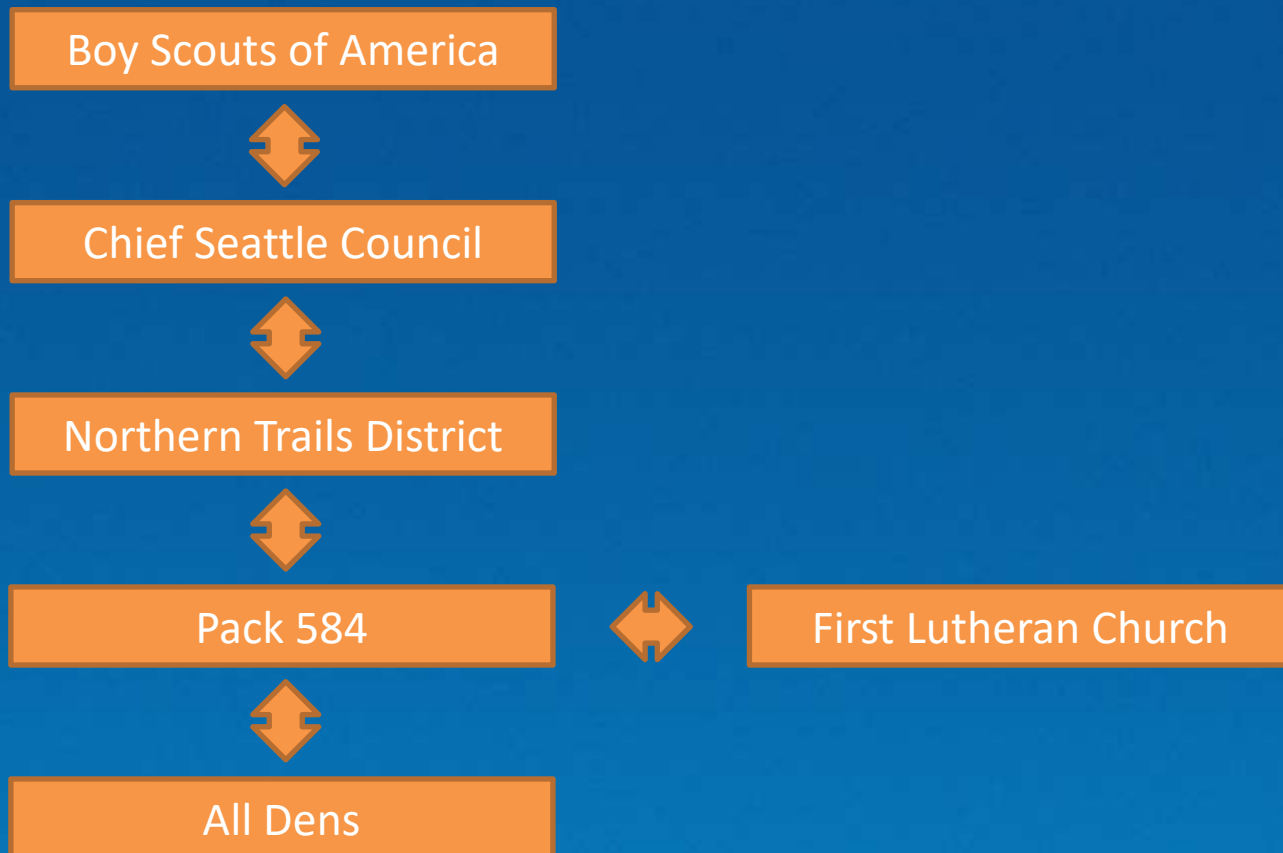
Take a 10 minute break





Elements of the Pack

- Where does a Pack fit in the hierarchy?





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Elements of the Pack

- The Pack is
 - Led by the Key Three
 - Supported by the Pack Committee





Elements of the Den

- Den Leader
- Assistant Den Leader
- Den Chief
- Denner
- Gender Specific





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Uniforms - Youth



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Uniforms - Adults



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Ranks, Advancement, and Awards

- Grades and Ranks:



Lion: Kindergarten



Bobcat: 1st through 5th Grades



Tiger: 1st Grade



Wolf: 2nd Grade



Bear: 3rd Grade



Webelos: 4th Grade



Arrow of Light: 5th Grade





Ranks, Advancement, and Awards

- Adventures

- Grades 1-3 earn Adventure belt loops



- Grades 4-5 earn Adventure pins





Ranks, Advancement, and Awards

- Cub Scout Outdoor Activity Award



- Emergency Preparedness BSA Award



- National Summertime Pack Award





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Ranks, Advancement, and Awards

– Cub Scout World Conservation Award



– Nova Cub Scouts



– Journey to Excellence





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Ranks, Advancement, and Awards

- Segments





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Let's Have an Activity and Take a Break

Cub Scout Mad Lib

Take a 10 minute break





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Resources

- Cub Scout Handbook





Resources

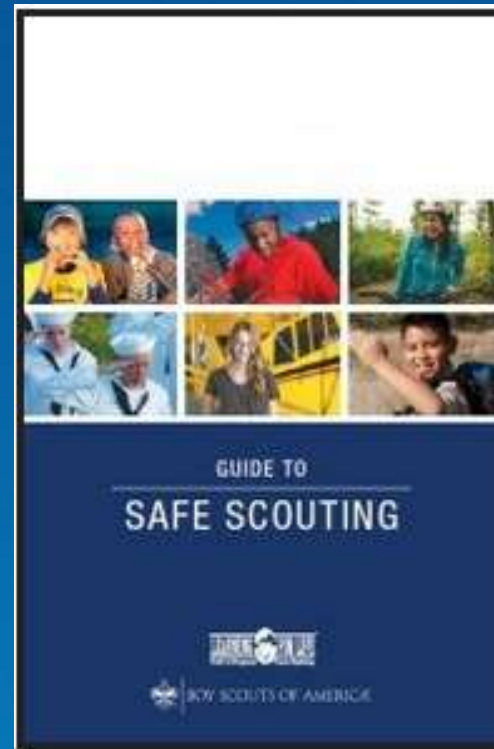
- Cub Den Leader Guide





Resources

- Guide to Safe Scouting - <https://www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/gss/toc/>

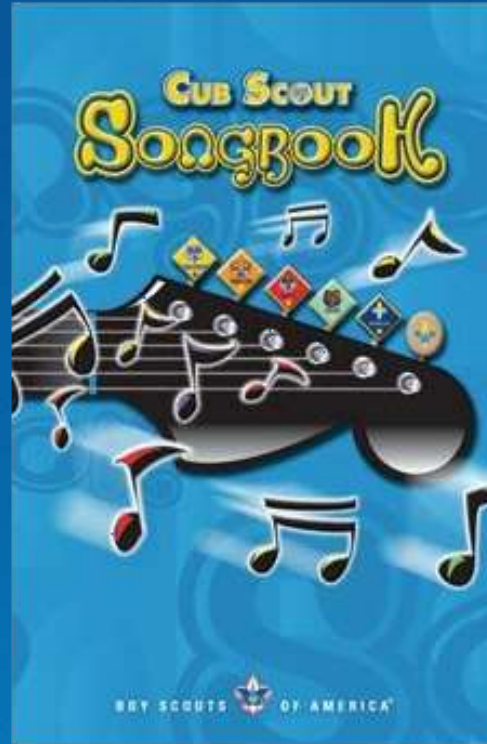




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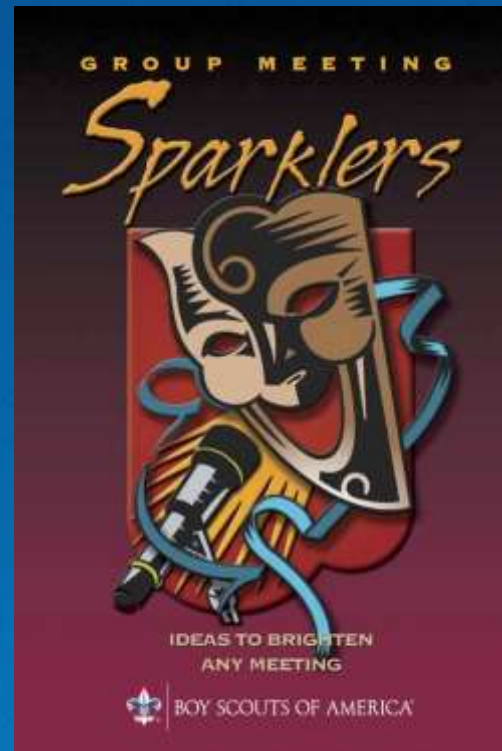
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Resources

- Group Meeting Sparklers

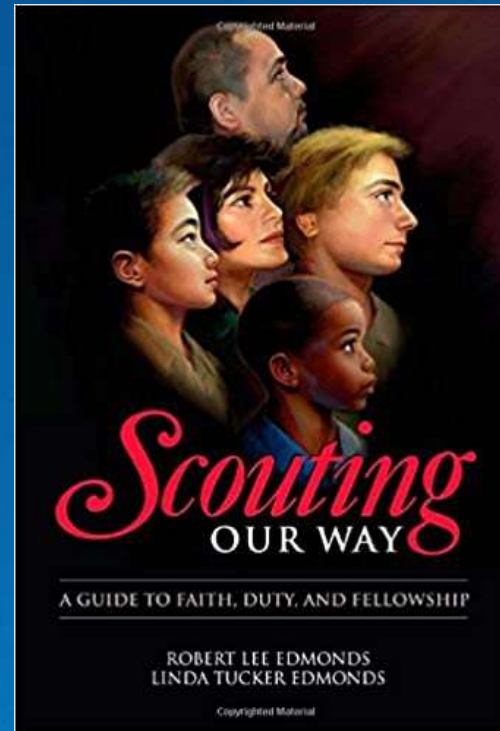




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Resources

- Scouting Our Way



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Resources

- <https://www.scouting.org/programs/cub-scouts/>

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Youth Grades K-5

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Cub Scouting is fun for the whole family. In Scouting, boys and girls start with their best right now selves and grow into their very best future selves. It's fun, hands-on learning and achievement that puts kids in the middle of the action and prepares them for today - and for life.

SCOUT ME IN





Resources

- <http://seattlebsa.org/resources/membership/12-cub-scouts-cat/15-new-parent-and-volunteer-information>

New Parent and Volunteer Information



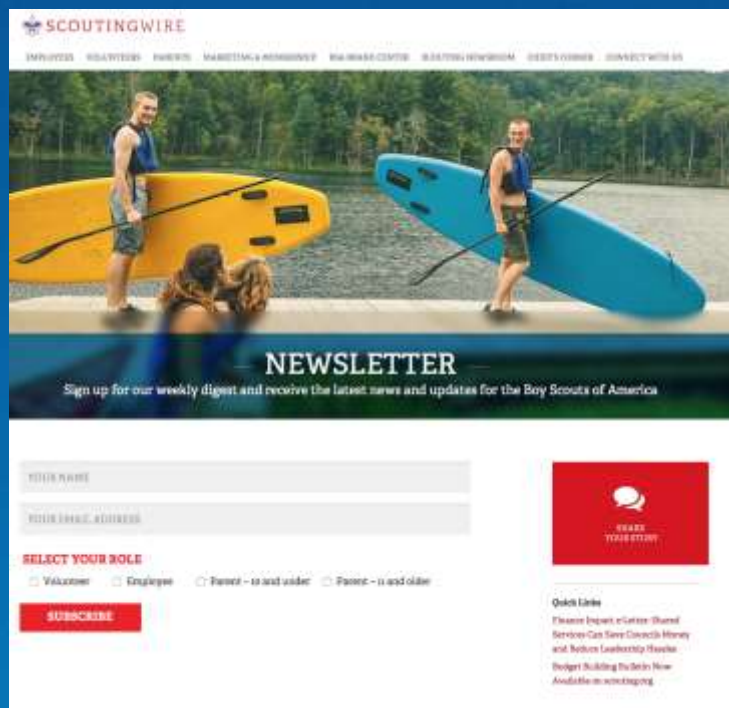
Onboarding New Parents





Resources

- ScoutingWire Newsletter:
<https://scoutingwire.org/>





Resources

- Pinterest - Don't Recreate the Wheel





Resources

- <http://boyscoutstrail.com/>

The screenshot shows the Boy Scout Trail website interface. At the top, there are navigation links for Scout Leaders (with a 'FREE SAMPLE!' badge), and a list of ranks: Lion, Bobcat, Tiger, Wolf, Bear, Webelos, and Aul Scout, Tenderfoot, 2nd Class, 1st Class, Star, Life, Eagle. The main content area is titled 'Resources for Scouts' and includes a contest announcement: 'Enter my Scouting Contest - new winners every month!'. Below this is the 'Scoutmaster's Blog' section, dated 08/11/2020, with the title 'Scouts In the News'. The blog post discusses news topics regarding Scouting and lists three items: 'Record Eagles' (Florida's Withlacoochee District), 'ARC Kits' (an Eagle candidate's project for anxiety relief), and 'VA Center Games'. A 'Read More...' link is provided. Below the blog post are three recent posts: 'Scouting at Home' (08/04/2020), 'Social Distancing MB Available' (08/01/2020), and 'Movies about Scouting' (07/30/2020). To the right of the blog is a Zolucky advertisement for a green hoodie, featuring a '50% OFF' promotion and social media follow buttons. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with categories like 'Cub Scouts', 'Webelos', 'Activities', 'Awards', 'Ceremonies', 'Group Games', 'Graces', 'Jokes', 'Merit Badges', 'Minutes', 'Projects', 'Recipes', 'Skills', 'Songs', 'Stories', 'Uniform', 'Contest', 'Pen Pals', 'Postcards', 'Store', 'Library', and 'Online Tests'. There is also a search bar and a 'Supporters' section with a 'CAMPFIRE DRAGON' logo and an 'Add Your Ad' button. At the bottom, there are 'Links' for various ranks and a 'Resources for all Scouting ranks...' section with links for Lion Scouts, Tiger Scouts, Wolf Scouts, Bear Scouts, Webelos Scouts, Tenderfoot Scouts, 2nd Class Scouts, 1st Class Scouts, Star Scouts, Life Scouts, and Eagle Scouts. Recent comments are also visible at the bottom right.





Resources

- Coloring/Activity Pages

31112 Scout Law Word Search - 12 words in the grid

Scout Law Word Search

Can you remember and find the twelve qualities of a Scout as laid forth in the Scout Law?

D	Q	Q	M	R	V	J	F	A	O	G	A	X	X	B	U	Y	Q	Q	P
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CITIZENSHIP

I contribute service and show responsibility to my local, state, and national communities.





Resources

- Social Media Leader Groups





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Resources

- District Round Table
- Wood Badge
- Other Leaders





Resources

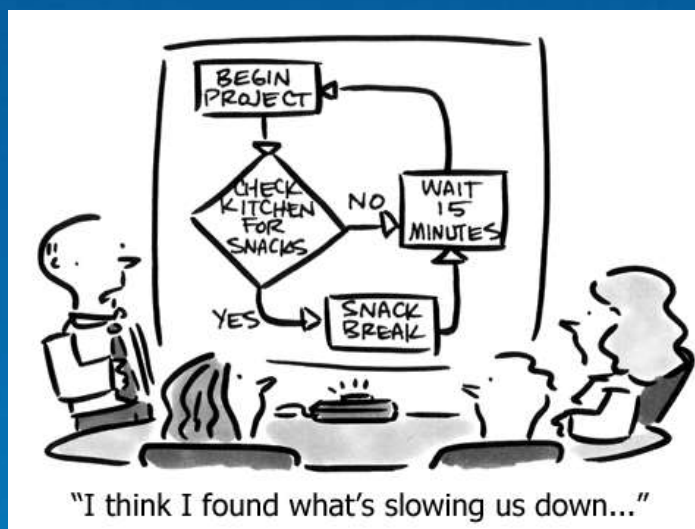
- Leadership Training - <https://training.scouting.org/catalog>
- Youth Protection Training - <https://training.scouting.org/programs/6>





Program Planning

- The Scouting Month
- Elements of Successful Event





Program Planning

January 2020

Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
29	30	31	1	2	3	4	
Bug Bug Overseeing Event				Den Meeting, Units to Den	Pine Wood Derby Call		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
			Den Meeting - Set up from break, achieve, Lion Den Meeting	Den Meeting		Dens 1 and 9 Den Meeting	Dens 1 and 9 Den Meeting 2 more
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
	Committee Meeting			Pack Meeting			
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
			Lion Den Meeting				
26	27	28	29	30	31	1	
	Den 5 Tiger - Earning Your Stripes	Dens 1 and 9 Den Meeting Dens 1 and 9 Den Meeting		Pine Wood Derby Car Weigh in	Pine Wood Den's Car Trade Set up	Pine Wood Dens	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
				Howling at the Moon Den Meeting, Council Fee		Dens 1 and 9 Den Meeting Dens 1 and 9 Den Meeting	





Program Planning

Den Assignments for Pack Meetings

2019-2020 Den Assignment for Pack Meetings : Final

Meeting	Lion Den 5	Tiger Dens 5 & 11	Wolf Dens 3 & 6	Bear Dens 1 & 9	Webelos Dens 7 & 10	Arrow of Light Dens 2 & 4		
SEP Trustworthy		Greeters	Setup	Skit	Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)	Campers Share (Summer & Day)	
OCT Loyal		Setup	Skit	Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)	Greeters		
NOV Helpful		Skit	Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)	Greeters	Setup		
DEC Friendly		Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)	Greeters	Setup	Skit		
JAN Courteous		Color Guard (Close)	Greeters	Setup	Skit	Color Guard (Open)		
FEB Kind		Greeters	Setup	Skit	Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)	Campers Share AOL Share	Den 6 Skit for Requirement
MAR Obidient		Setup	Skit	Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)			
APRIL Cheerful		Skit	Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)	Setup			
MAY Thrifty	FIELD DAY			Color Guard (Open)	Color Guard (Close)			
JUN Brave	PACK PICNIC							
JUL Clean	CAMP							
Aug Reverent	COMMUNITY SERVE							
Final								



Program Planning

Adventure Matrix

Saturday, August 29, 2020 3:44 PM

			Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
			Hiking BSA Prep	Nature	Nutrition Whittling Chip Communication	Duty to God Fitness	PWD Tools Elective	Community Citizenship	Fitness	Elective	Elective
Rank	Adventure										
Lion											
	Lion's Honor	Community (Scouts)	x								
	Mountain Lion	Nature		x							
	Fun on the Run	Fitness			x						
	King of the Jungle	Citizenship				x					
	Animal Kingdom	Community						x			
Tiger											
	Tigers in the Wild	Hiking	x								
	My Tiger Jungle	Nature		x							
	Tiger Bites	Nutrition			x						
	Tiger Circles: Duty to God	Duty to God				x					
	Elective						x				
	Team Tiger	Community						x			
	Games Tigers Play	Games / Fitness							x		
Wolf											
	Paws on the Path	Hiking	x								
	Call of the Wild	Nature		x							
	Howling at the Moon	Communication, skit, campfire			x						
	Duty to God Footsteps	Duty to God				x					
	Elective						x				
	Council Fire (Duty to Country)	Community						x			
	Running With the Pack	Fitness							x		





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Bear											
	Fur, Feathers, and Ferns	Hiking	x								
	Bear Necessities	Nature		x							
	Bear Claws	Whittling Chip			x						
	Fellowship and Duty to God	Duty to God				x					
	Baloo the Builder	Tools / Hands-on					x				
	Paws for Action (Duty to Country)	Community						x			
	Elective								x		
Webelos											
	Webelos Walkabout	Hiking	x								
	Elective			x							
	Cast Iron Chef	Nutrition			x						
	Duty to God and You	Duty to God				x					
	First Responder	Community					x	x			
	Stronger, Faster, Higher	Fitness							x		
AOL											
	Scouting Adventure	BSA Prep	x								
	Outdoor Adventurer	Camping / Nature		x							
	Duty to God in Action	Duty to God				x					
	Elective						x		Crossover		
	Building a Better World	Community						x			





Communication





Communication

Hi:

Attendance: 100 Percent – Way to go!

We are off this week and next week will be quite busy so enjoy a night off!

Recap -- the boys did an amazing job at our last den meeting. It was a bit chaotic on purpose because that is a lot more like a Boy Scout experience. They will have the opportunity to complete advancements but it is much more on them to take the time to check them off. Note -- they must show me their books when they finish the Scouting adventure so that they get credit. Most have at least the indoor and outdoor Scout meeting requirement remaining. Our upcoming adventures are more traditional in structure.





Communication

Our next den meeting is Thursday, Oct. 4, 7 PM at First Lutheran. We have a meeting with the Deputy Mayor. Please make sure to have your scout prepare a question. If you miss that meeting, you can join Den 6 to meet the Executive Director of the YMCA on Oct. 9 at FLC.

Please note that we will be working on the Camper Requirement at the Fall Overnighter. If you can't make it, plan to make it the camping requirement as a family. We are in charge of campfire so we will try to meet around 7 PM to plan a campfire program.

Coming Up Next:

Oct. 3, Troop 420 PLC Indoor Meeting Opportunity, 6:30 PM at - Bothell United Methodist (Thorin)

Oct. 4 (FLC) - Bring -- Book, Den Dues, Question, Den Yell Ideas





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Communication





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Behavioral Characteristics of Youth

- Kindergarten and 1st Grade
- 2nd and 3rd Grade
- 4th and 5th Grade





Managing Den Behavior

- Elements for Success
- Ideas for Managing Behavior
 - Code of Conduct
 - Conduct Candle
 - Marble Jar
 - Talking Stick
 - Miscellaneous





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Let's Have an Activity and Go to Lunch

Cub Scout Jeopardy

Go to Lunch - be back at 12:45





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Den Meetings





Den Meetings

- What are the parts of a Den Meeting?
 - Preparation and Materials Needed
 - Gathering
 - Opening
 - Talk Time
 - Activities
 - Closing
 - After the Meeting





Den Meetings

- 1850-1905 Gathering activity
 - Hand out knife quiz
 - Go over answers
- 1905-1920 Opening Ceremony
 - Opening colors
 - Leader - William
 - American Flag - Andrew
 - Cub Scout Flag - Hayden
 - Scout Oath - Cole
 - Scout Law - Calvin
 - ▶ ○ Prayer or religious text
 - Doing this to allow Scouts to practice reverence
 - Definition
 - ◆ Bear Handbook - Be reverent toward God. Be faithful in your religious duties. Respect the beliefs of others (From Bear Handbook)
 - ◆ Websters - honor or respect felt or shown; a gesture of respect
 - Goal is not to be religious leader; that's for parents and religious leaders
 - Each meeting will be from a different religion or culture
 - This Month is an Irish Blessing





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Den Meetings

- Elements of Great Den Meetings
- Den Meetings in a COVID-19 World





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Earning Bobcat



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Outings/Field Trips

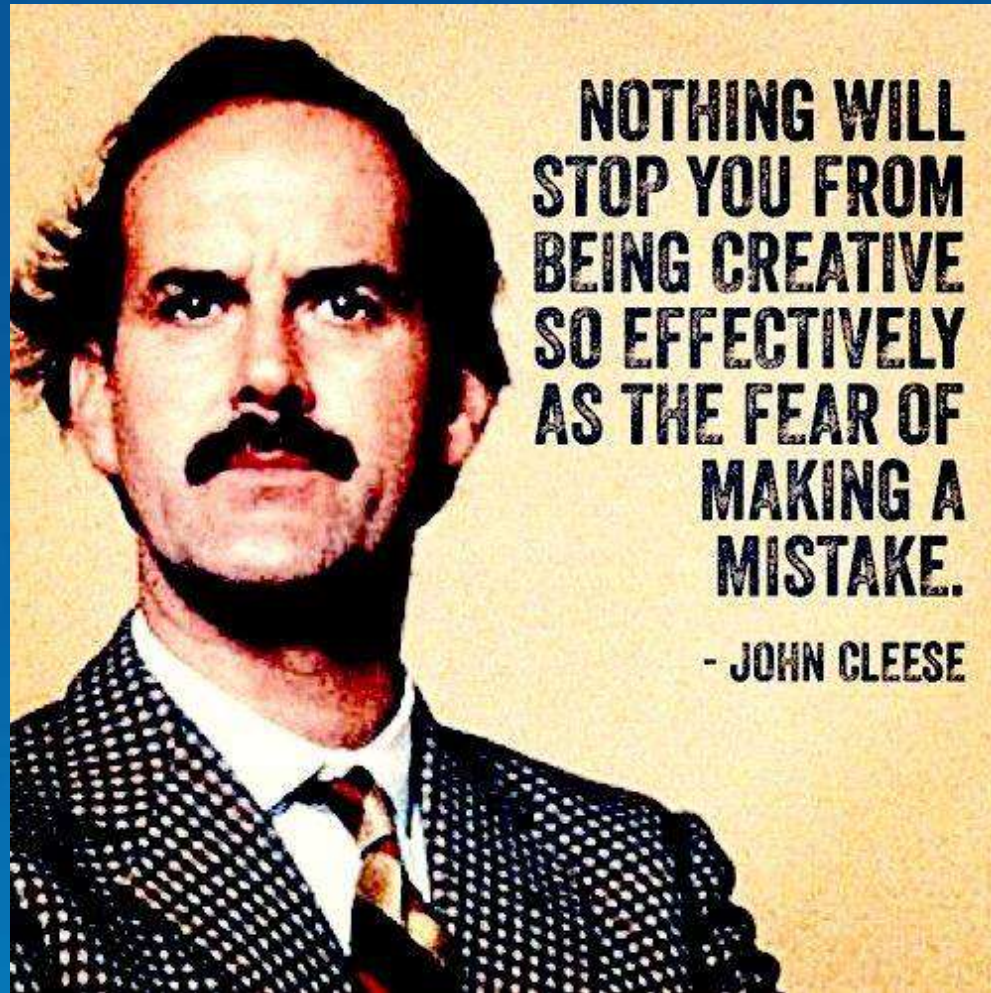
- What is required?
- Planning Considerations?
- Ideas?





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Tips and Tricks



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Congratulations!



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Final Poll

- You must do this to get credit for the course

