## Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

Month: **December** Week: **4** 

Point of the Scout Law: Cheerful

	Tiger	Wolf	Bear	Webelos	Arrow of Light
Before the	Gather materials for	Gather materials for	Gather materials for	Gather materials for	Gather materials for
Meeting	gathering and other	gathering and other	gathering and other	gathering and other	gathering and other
	activities, games and	activities, games and	activities, games and	activities, games and	activities, games and
	have home assignments	have home assignments	have home assignments	have home assignments	have home assignments
	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.
Gathering	Hidden Pictures: Gathering Firewood				
Opening	Stars Opening				
Activities/Project	Perfect Poinsettias				
Game	Can You Make Change for a Dollar?				
Business	None	None	None	None	None
items/Take home					
Closing	A Little Better Closing				
After the meeting					

#### **Materials:**

Gathering: copies of hidden pictures, pencils

Opening: flag, opening cards

Project/Activity: poinsettia and leaf templates, red/green/yellow construction paper, glue, green chenille stem, scissors, pushpins

Game/Song: worksheet, pencils

Closing: none

Home assignments: none

#### Advancement:

Tiger - None

Wolf - None

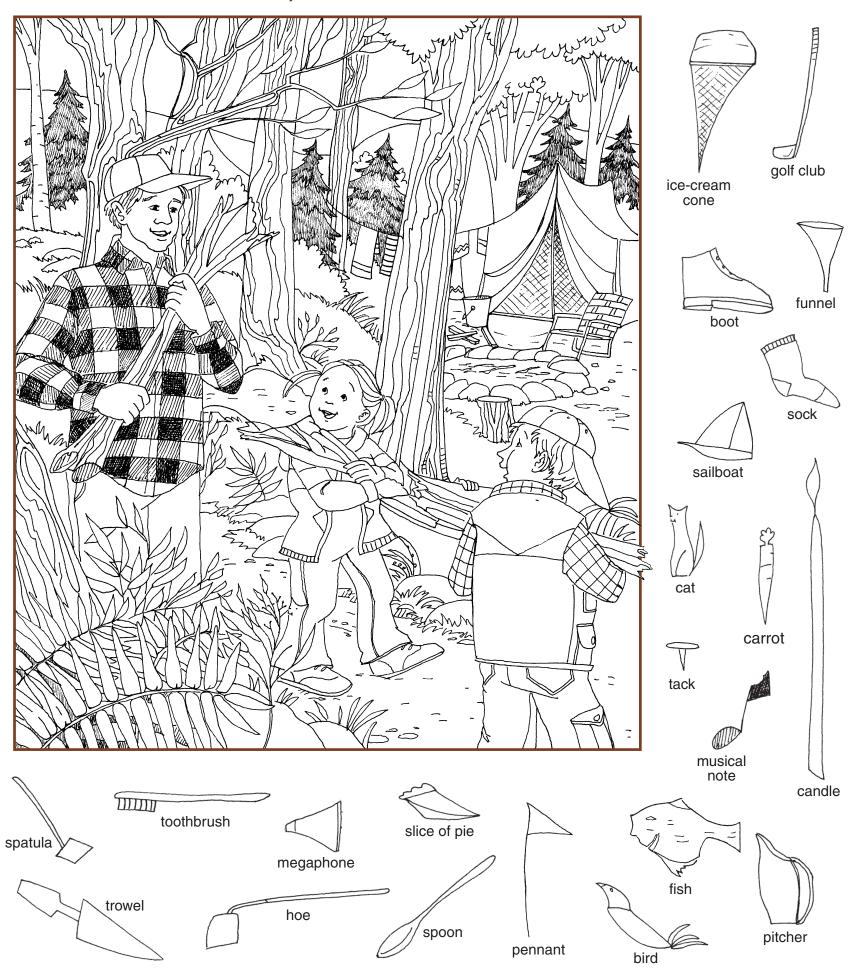
Bear – None

Webelos – None

 ${\sf Arrow\ of\ Light-None}$ 

## **Gathering Firewood**

By Linda Weller



## **Stars Opening Ceremony**

#### **Materials:**

Cards with the Cub Scout lines for each Cub Scout written on them

Cub Scout #1: When I look at the flag of red, white & blue,

**Cub Scout #2**: I think of the stars above me & you.

Cub Scout #3: I'll Do My Best in all that I try,

**Cub Scout #4**: As I reach for the stars way up in the sky.

Cub Scout #5: I'll do my duty to God & country too,

**Cub Scout #6**: and help other people in all that I do.

Cub Scout #7: Obey the laws of my family & pack,

**Cub Scout #8**: I'll keep reaching up & I'll never look back.

Cubmaster: Please join us in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Scout Oath and Law.





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Cub Scout #2:

I think of the stars above me & you.

When I look at the flag of red, white & blue,

**Cub Scout #3**:

I'll Do My Best in all that I try,

**Cub Scout #4:** 

As I reach for the stars way up in the sky.

## **Cub Scout #5**:

I'll do my duty to God & country too,

## **Cub Scout #6:**

and help other people in all that I do.

## Cub Scout #7:

Obey the laws of my family & pack,

### Cub Scout #8:

I'll keep reaching up & I'll never look back.

### **Perfect Poinsettias**

#### **Materials**

Flower/Leaf templates (1 per Cub Scout to trace) Red and green construction paper (1 sheet per Cub Scout)

**Scissors** 

Pencil (for tracing templates onto colored paper and for punching a hole) Green chenille stem (1 per Cub Scout)

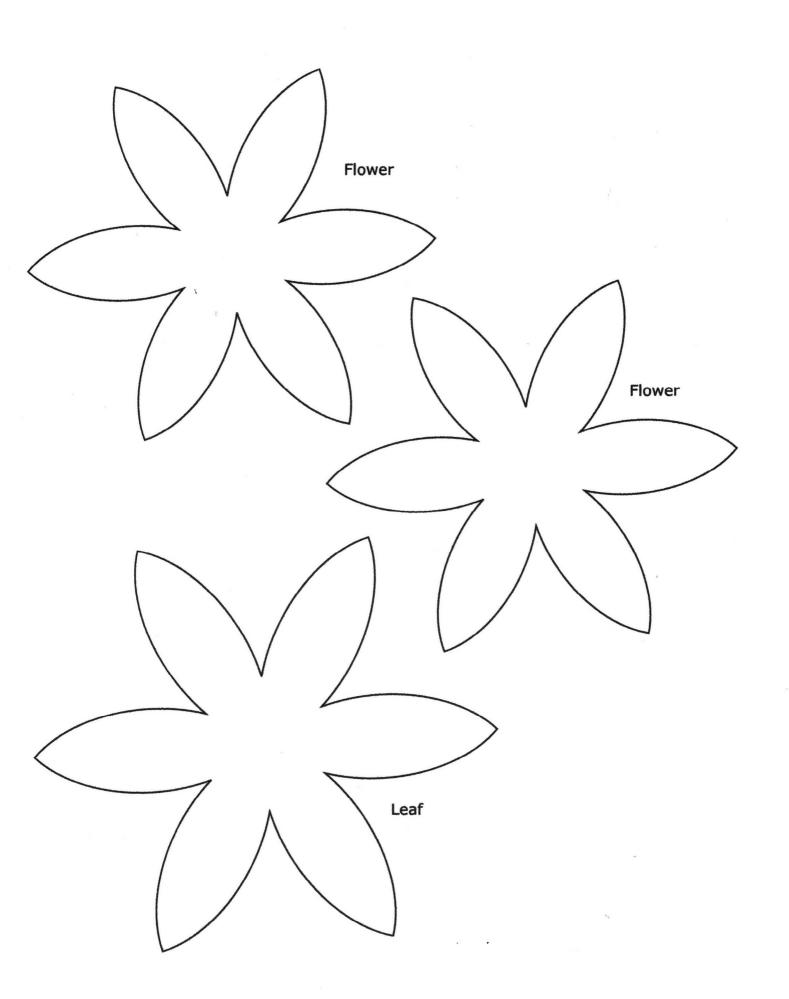
Glue

Small pieces of yellow construction paper rolled into small balls Pushpins (to help punch two holes)

#### **Directions:**

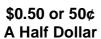
- 1. Cut out a flower/leaf template from the copied cardstock. Each Cub Scout needs one template to trace.
- 2. Trace the template 2 times on red paper and 1 time on green paper.
- 3. Cut out the flower and the leaf that have been traced onto the colored paper.
- 4. Glue the 2 flowers together. Position the flowers in such a way that the first flower's petals stick out from the spaces in between the second flower's petals.
- 5. Glue the leaf behind the bottom flower. Position the leaf so that its points stick out from the poinsettia's petals.
- 6. Using a pushpin and a pencil, carefully poke two holes in the center of the glued poinsettia.
- 7. Bend your green chenille stem in half and pull it through the holes in the poinsettia.
- 8. Make 3 small pieces of yellow paper and roll them into 3 balls. Glue these balls onto the middle of the flower on top of the chenille stem.
- 9. Once the flower has dried completely, you can use the chenille stem to attach your flower to almost anything as a decoration.





# Can you make change for a dollar?







\$0.25 or 25¢ A Quarter





\$0.10 or 10¢ A Dime



\$0.05 or 5¢ A Nickel



\$0.01 or 1¢ A Penny

Write down the ways you can make change for \$1.00... Use the following code to write down your combinations: HD = half dollar, Q = Quarter, D = Dime, N = Nickel, P = Penny

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## **A Little Better Closing**

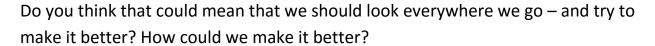
#### **Materials:**

None

#### **Cubmaster:**

Lord Baden-Powell, who began the Scouting movement in England, told Scouts to leave this world a little better than they found it.

What do you think that could mean?



[Hopefully Cub Scouts will be able to thoughtfully answer these questions. You can discuss picking up trash, turning off lights, etc. This discussion could also lead to giving a smile and help to other people as well.]

Lord Baden-Powell also told us to "look on the bright side of things instead of the gloomy one. But the real way to get happiness is by giving out happiness to other people."

