## Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

## Month: June

Week: 4
Point of the Scout Law: Brave

|  | Tiger | Wolf | Bear | Webelos | Arrow of Light |
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| 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. | Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready. |
| Gathering | Safari Portrait |  |  |  |  |
| Opening | Hello Opening |  |  |  |  |
| Games | Reptile Walk Obstacle Course; Monkey, Monkey, Tiger; Skin the Snake |  |  |  |  |
| Business items/Take home | None | None | None | None | None |
| Closing | Handshake Closing |  |  |  |  |
| After the meeting |  |  |  |  |  |

## Materials:

Gathering: blank paper, pencils
Opening: flag, word strips
Games: construction paper, masking tape, small plastic bugs, disposable cups
Closing: None
Home assignments: None

Advancement:<br>Tiger - None<br>Wolf - None<br>Bear - None<br>Webelos - None<br>Arrow of Light - None

## Safari Portrait

## Materials:

Blank paper for each Cub Scout Pencil for each Cub Scout

Each Cub Scout has a pencil and a sheet of paper.
Fold the paper into three sections, and each artist draws the head of the animal he thinks of on the safari and passes the paper on to the next artist, each then draws the body and then passes the paper one more time to create the legs and feet of the animal.

Each time the players hand the sheet of paper to the
 next person they show only the blank section, and have it ready for the next artist. When all three have drawn their picture, everyone opens the page up to see the unique animals on the safari.

## "HELLO" Opening

## Materials:

Cut word strips for the Cub Scout parts (see page 2). You may adjust the languages and number of Cub Scouts accordingly.

## Cubmaster:


"Welcome to our meeting. In the world, you can find Scouts in 186
countries and 26 territories. There are many languages spoken in those countries but you can always hear a Scout greeting you with a "hello" and a big smile. Let's each say the greeting after each Cub Scout says it.

Cub Scout \#1: In Spanish, it's Hola (OH-lah). (Entire pack says, "Hola")
Cub Scout \#2: In French, it’s Bonjour (bohn-ZHOOR). (Entire pack says "Bonjour")
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Cub Scout \#4: In Mandarin, it’s Ni hao (nee-HOW). (Entire pack says "Ni hao")
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Cub Scout \#6: In Swahili, it’s Jambo (JAM-bo). (Entire pack says "Jambo")
Cub Scout \#7: In Arabic, it's Al salaam a'alaykum (AHL sah-LAHM-ah ah-LAY-koom). (Entire pack says "Alsalaam a’alakum")

Cub Scout \#8: In Hindi, it's Nahmaste (nah-mah-STAY). (Entire pack says "Nahmaste")
Cub Scout \#9: In Hebrew, it's Shalom (Sha-LOHM). (Entire pack says "Shalom")
Cub Scout \#10: In Hawaiian, it’s Aloha (ah-LOW-ha). (Entire pack says "Aloha")

Cubmaster: "No matter where you go or how you say it, you can count on being greeted by a Scout who says 'Hello!'"

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## Reptile Walk Obstacle Course

Materials:
Construction paper (for the rocks)
Masking tape (for marking distance and for taping down construction paper)
Small plastic bugs - 1 per Cub Scout
Disposable cups - 1 per team


Object: Have the entire team move through the obstacle course.

Preparation: Set up an obstacle course with the following stations:

- Leap like a lizard. (Tape paper rocks to the floor.) The boys leap from rock to rock.
- Slither like a snake. (Mark the distance you want the kids to travel.) Move the distance without using hands, knees, feet, etc. Slither, wiggle, wind.
- Totter like a turtle. (Mark a shorter distance.) Crouch down in a turtle-like shape and slowly move between the two marks.
- Place a container of plastic worms or bugs at each station. At the end of the course, place a mason jar.

How to Play: Split the boys into teams. Gauging the difficulty to the boys' ages, have them make their way through each station, collecting a plastic bug at the end of each station. At the end of the course, have them balance on one foot while dropping the bugs/worms into the jar. Run back and tag the next person in line.

## Monkey, Monkey, Tiger

## Materials:

None

This is a common game that most Cub Scouts should know. It is the same game as "Duck, Duck, Goose."

All Cub Scouts sit in a circle - except for one person who is " it ". "It" walks around the outside of the circle, tapping each individual on the head
 and saying "monkey." Eventually, "it" taps a person and says "tiger" (instead of monkey) and the person that's been called "tiger" has to jump up and chase "it" around the outside of the circle, trying to tag "it." "It" has to try to run around the circle and sit in the place where the "tiger" was sitting - before being tagged by the "tiger".

Continue the game until everyone has a chance to be "it" or until it is time to do something else.

## Skin the Snake

## Materials:

None

## How to Play:

1. Have Cub Scouts get into groups of six, standing behind each other, with legs apart.
2. Players hold the left hand of the player behind them by passing their right hand back between
 their legs.
3. On "Go!", the last player lies down and the rest move backwards, passing over him. As players reach the next player lying down, they lie down too.
4. When the last player lays down, he/she gets up and moves forward over the others, pulling them up after him.
5. Players hold hands the whole time. First team up wins. For more difficulty, make the teams larger by combining sixes.

## Handshake Closing

## Materials:

None

This is a great opportunity to review the Cub Scout handshake and the Boy Scout handshake. These can be demonstrated before the handshakes go around the circle.

Have the Cub Scouts and Webelos Scouts and their leaders make a circle. A leader will start out the handshakes by shaking the Scout's hand on his right. Have the Cub Scouts use the Cub Scout handshake. Have the Webelos Scouts use the Boy Scout handshake. As the handshake goes around the circle, have each Scout think about doing his best.

You can also have all Scouts use the Cub Scout handshake first and then the second time have all Scouts use the Boy Scout handshake.


Cub Scout Handshake


Boy Scout Handshake

