Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

**Month:** November  
**Point of the Scout Law:** Reverent  
**Week:** 3

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**Materials:**
- Gathering: copies of color by letter, crayons/markers
- Opening: flag, opening word strips
- Activities: petal templates, 9” paper plates, yellow construction paper, scissors, brown/black crayons, blue, pencil/pen
- Closing: None
- Home assignments: None

**Advancement:**
- Tiger – None
- Wolf – None
- Bear – None
- Webelos - None
- Arrow of Light – None
B = Brown    T = Tan    R = Red
G = Green    Y = Yellow    W = White
O = Orange    L = Light Blue

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Helping Other People Opening

Materials:
Word strips for Cub Scouts #1-#4

Cubmaster or den leader:
Today let us first say the Scout Oath – let’s make the Cub Scout sign and say it together:

“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.

Here are some ways that we can help other people at all times:

Cub Scout #1: Helping other people might be picking up a toy or a bottle that a boy dropped.
Cub Scout #2: Helping other people might be playing with a younger brother or sister while mom is busy.
Cub Scout #3: Helping other people might be telling a friend he did a great job when he did his best.
Cub Scout #4: Helping other people may be simple everyday things, even a smile, or difficult things like fighting for our country.

Cubmaster or den leader:
The people throughout history that have kept our country free helped other people - you and me. As we pledge our allegiance to the flag, let us be glad that others have helped other people.
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Thankful Sunflower

Materials:
9” paper plate
Yellow construction paper
Sunflower petal template on cardstock (1 petal per Cub Scout)
Scissors
Brown/black crayons
Glue
Pencil, pen or marker

Directions:
1. Place the paper plate right side up on your work surface.
2. Using your brown or black crayon, color the middle of the paper plate brown or black.
3. Using the sunflower petal template, Cub Scouts can trace around the template onto the yellow construction paper 10 times to make 10 petals.
4. Using the tracings on the yellow construction paper and scissors, Cub Scouts can cut out the petals – enough to go around the paper plate.
5. Glue the petals to the paper plate.
6. With family or with friends, Cub Scouts can write on each petal something that they are thankful for.
Guess the Animal

**Materials:**
None

Divide the Cub Scouts into groups of 6 to 8.

Have one Cub Scout in each group choose the name of an animal (and he keeps that name to himself – it’s a secret).

The other Cub Scouts in the group take turns by asking him questions that can only be answered by saying “yes” or “no”. The first Cub Scout to guess the animal gets to come up with the next animal to guess.

This game can be played until time is up or until everyone in the group has had a turn.
Living Circle Closing Ceremony

To form a Living Circle, Cub Scouts and leaders form a close circle, facing inward. All turn slightly to the right, and extend their left hands into the center of the circle. Each person then grasps the thumb of the person to his left, making a complete Living Circle of left hands. Right hands are extended straight up in the Cub Scout sign.

Everyone repeats together: “We will do our best.”

Everyone then says together the Scout Law:

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent.