

Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

Month: **December**

Week: **3**

Point of the Scout Law: **Courteous**

	Tiger	Wolf	Bear	Webelos	Arrow of Light
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	Wintry House to Color				
Opening	Cheers to my Family Opening				
Game	Caterpillar Relay				
Activity	Gingerbread Boy Ornaments				
Business items/Take home	None	None	None	None	None
Closing	Happy Holiday Closing				
After the meeting					

Materials:

Gathering: copies of coloring page, crayons/markers

Opening: none

Game: none

Activities: gingerbread boy template, scissors, pencils, hole punch, crayons/markers, glue, yarn, brown construction paper, wiggly eyes

Closing: wordstrips

Home assignments: None

Advancement:

Tiger - None

Wolf – None

Bear – None

Webelos - None

Arrow of Light – None

Wintry House



1 = light blue

2 = light gray

3 = gray

4 = brown

5 = yellow

6 = black

7 = light green

8 = dark green

Cheers for My Family Opening

Materials:

Flag

Cubmaster or Den Leader:

We each have families that we love and today we're going to give cheers for our families!

[Lead each cheer below]

Family Cheer

Families, Families we have fun!
We work together and get things done!

Families on Top Cheer

Strawberry shortcake, Eskimo pop,
Families, families, always on top!

Cubmaster or Den Leader:

Our families support us, love us and help us – we work together to help each member of the family to do their best! Let's give a Grand Akela Howl to start our meetings and to cheer for our families!

[Lead the cheer below]

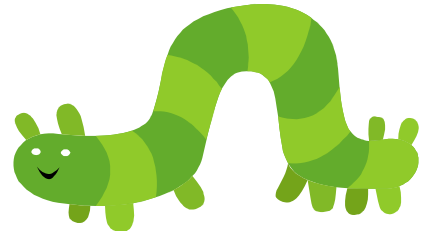
Grand Akela Howl

At the cue from the leader, all Cub Scout howl like a wolf as loud as they can.

Wonderful, Cub Scouts! Let's start off our meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.



Caterpillar Relay



Materials

None

Instructions

1. In advance, determine a starting line and a finish line about 10 feet away from the starting line.
2. Divide the Cub Scouts into teams of 6-8 Cub Scouts.
3. Have the first Cub Scout on each team bend down and place his hands on the ground. At least one hand must be touching the ground at all times during the race.
4. The Cub Scouts behind the first Cub Scout reach down and grab the ankles of the person in front of them.
5. At the “go” signal, the team must move together to get to the finish line. If players detach they must stop where they are and together count to three before they can attach again and keep going.
6. The first team to have all of its players get past the finish line (while still attached to each other) wins.

Variations:

If 10 feet is not far enough, make the finish line farther away. The penalty for becoming detached could also be changed. They could have to go back to the starting line or do something else.

Core Values: Health & Fitness, Cooperation, Honesty

Gingerbread Boy Ornaments

Materials:

Copies of Gingerbread Boy template (1 per Cub Scout)

Hole punch

Crayons/Markers

Glue

6" piece of yarn

Wiggly eyes (2 per Cub Scout)

Light Brown construction paper (1 sheet per Cub Scout)

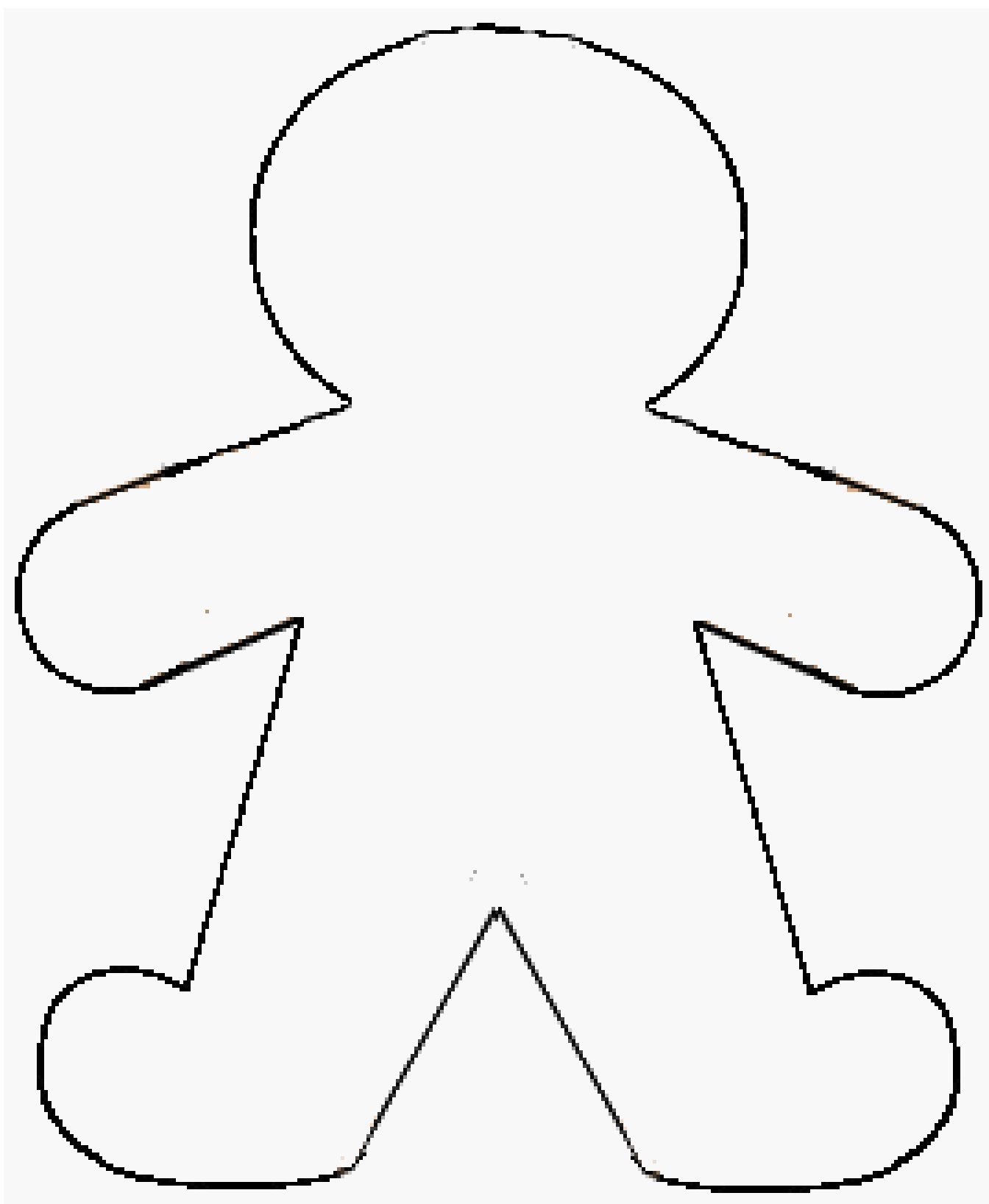
Scissors

Pencil



Instructions:

1. With scissors, cut out the Gingerbread boy template.
2. Using a pencil, trace the cut out template onto the brown construction paper.
3. With markers/crayons, decorate the gingerbread boy.
4. Glue on the wiggly eyes. Finish decorating.
5. Punch a hole in the top of the boy's head.
6. Thread the small piece of yarn through the punched hole.



Happy Holiday Closing

Materials:

Word strips for Cub Scouts

Cub Scout #1: As Cub Scouts of the Blue and Gold...

Cub Scout #2: We have had a great year – so we've been told.

Cub Scout #3: We now have holidays to celebrate

Cub Scout #4: No matter how, they will be great!

Cub Scout #5: We'll give good will in many ways...

Cub Scout #6: We'll do our best and have some Happy Holidays!!



Happy Holidays Closing

(cut and distribute for 7 Cub Scouts to read)

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