Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

**Month:** July  
**Point of the Scout Law:** Brave

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**Materials:**
- Gathering: copies of Hidden Pictures, pencils
- Opening: opening cards
- Games: Large playground ball
- Activity: star templates to cut out and trace, red and blue construction paper, scissors, glue, yarn, markers/crayons
- Closing: None
- Home assignments: None

**Copies:**
- Hidden Pictures: Backyard Barbeque
- Stars Opening Cards page 1
- Stars Opening Cards page 2
- Star String Star template

**Advancement:**
- Tiger: None
- Wolf: None
- Bear: None
- Webelos: None
- Arrow of Light: None
Can you find these hidden objects?

- jack-o’-lantern
- ladybug
- nail
- ring
- comb
- yo-yo
- cane
- sock
- pencil
- hat
- slice of pie
- envelope
- book
- bat

Enjoy the Outdoors
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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Stars and Stripes Game

Materials:
None

Instructions:
The object of the game is to see who can think of the most reds, whites, and blues, until only one player is left.
1. Have the Cub Scouts sit in a circle (leaders can play too).

2. Explain to the Cub Scouts that they are going to think of things that are red, white and blue – in that order.

3. The first player has 5 seconds to name something that is red. If the player cannot think of anything in 5 seconds, then they leave the circle (they can just scoot back). The second player then has 5 seconds to name something that is white. If they cannot think of something that is white, then they leave the circle. The third player has 5 seconds to name something that is blue, etc.

4. The game continues with players naming items in order – red, white and blue. The player that is left in the circle wins the game.

Variations:
The time limit can be changed from 5 seconds to 10 seconds... whatever fits the ability of your Scouts. Players could also get more than one chance to miss a word before having to leave the circle.

You could also play a “practice” round before starting the real game.
Circle Stride Ball

**Materials:**
Volleyball or similar sized ball

**Instructions:**
Players stand in a circle with their feet spread apart touching the feet of the players on either side. The player who is “it” stands in the center with a ball. He tries to roll the ball out of the circle between the feet of any of the players. The players may only use their hands to stop the ball and may not move their feet.

If the ball rolls out of the circle, the person who allowed the ball to go through becomes “it”.
Star String

Materials:
Construction paper – 1 sheet red, 1 sheet blue
Star template (2 templates per sheet)
Markers/Crayons
String/Yarn – 3 feet per Cub Scout
Glue

Instructions:
1. Using the star template as a pattern, cut out as many other stars as you can from the red and blue construction paper.

2. Decorate the stars however you would like to decorate them.
3. Glue the stars to the string by folding the tip of one of the star points over the string.

4. Use your star string as a decoration once the stars have dried.
Be Brave Closing

Materials:
None

Cubmaster or den leader: (lead this discussion)

When something is difficult or scary to do, you have to sometimes be brave in order to do it. A Scout can face danger even if he is afraid. He stands up for what is right even if others laugh at him.

You are being brave when –

You have courage to tell the truth.
You are not scared to help someone who needs first aid.
You stand up for your friends should someone ever make fun of them.
You are kind to someone who isn’t always kind to you.

Remember to be brave.

Have a great week, Cub Scouts!