Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

Month: **September**
Point of the Scout Law: **Friendly**

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**Materials:**
- Gathering: copies of Hidden Pictures, pencils
- Opening: instructions, flag
- Activities/Project: mini flashlights, adhesive dots, chenille stem, cardstock wing template, markers, wiggly eyes
- Game: playground ball(s) – 1 ball per group of 20-30 Cub Scouts
- Closing: Closing cards, instructions
So Much to Do!

By Susan Dahlman

In this big picture, find the belt, bow tie, artist's brush, scrub brush, tube of paint, wishbone, slice of cake, bird, lollipop, scissors, domino, hat, goose, and half of a sandwich.
Cheer for Cub Scouts Opening

**Materials:**
Flag

**Cubmaster:**
Welcome to Cub Scouts today! I am so glad that you are here today... so glad that I think we should give a cheer.

[Divide the Cub Scout into two groups to do the Cub Scout Cheer.]

First group says: We like Cub Scouts, yes we do. We like Cub Scouts, how about you? [they point to the second group]

Second group says: We like Cub Scouts, yes we do! We like Cub Scouts, how about you? [they point to the first group]

[Continue for two rounds... ]

**Cubmaster:**
We all like Cub Scouts! And today we’re going to start off our fun by saying the Pledge of Allegiance and the Scout Oath and Scout Law.
Bright Bugs

Materials needed:
Mini flashlight (2 1/8” size flashlight) - 1 per boy
1 chenille stem (any color) - 1 per boy
Adhesive dots (6 dots per bug light. If you have eyes with adhesive, you will only need 4 dots)
2 wiggly eyes per boy (8 or 10mm in size – with or without adhesive)
Cardstock wings (for wings) - 1 set of wings per boy
Markers (permanent markers work best)

Instructions:
1. Using markers (permanent markers work best), color the body (the flashlight) of your soon to be bug.
2. Next, take your chenille stem and wrap it around your flashlight just behind the widest point of your flashlight, forming the bug legs. Bend the chenille stick at the ends to form the feet. Once you have the chenille stem in place, carefully put two adhesive dots between the chenille stem and the flashlight to help hold the chenille stem in place and on the flashlight.
3. Cut out the wings for your bug. Color the wings any way you would like.
4. Attach the wings to the flashlight using adhesive dots.
5. Add the wiggly eyes to your bug by using adhesive dots if the eyes do not have adhesive on them already.

Variation:
Make a firefly... by putting the chenille stem legs, wings and eyes facing the other end of the flashlight.
Cub Scouts in the Middle

Materials:
Playground ball (several if you have large groups of Cub Scouts that you need to put into smaller groups – however, groups can be 20-30 Cub Scouts)

Directions:
1. Cub Scouts form a large circle depending on the number of Cub Scouts.
2. An “it” is chosen and “it” is inside of the circle.
3. Players pass the ball around and through the circle trying to keep “it” from touching the ball. If “it” touches the ball, the last Cub Scout to touch or throw the ball is now “it”. The ball can bounce.

Variation:
With a larger group, have 2 Cub Scouts be “Its” and make the circle larger.
Let’s Be A Team Closing

**Materials:**
Four cards with the letters T, E, A and M written on them.

Pick up each card one at a time and hold up for everyone to see. Four Cub Scouts could be asked to come and help you by holding each card after you have talked about the letters.

**Cubmaster:**

T is for together.

E is for everyone.

A is for all.

M is for many.

Notice that there is no “I” in team. It takes everyone working together to be a team. Let’s think of our pack as a team and work together. Let’s give each other encouragement and support and help each other.
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