



4th Grade Webelos Scouts



Fourth-Grade Webelos Den Meeting #7

Citizen activity badge (partial), Citizenship belt loop (completion)

Preparation and materials needed:

- Bring a U.S. flag and the den flag.
- Make arrangements with a community leader to visit that person's place of work and learn about the job or office.
- Submit a Local Tour Permit Application to your council service center two weeks before the field trip. (The Local Tour Permit Application can be found at www.scouting.org/CubScouts/CubScoutingForms/forms and on the CD in the Resources folder on the main menu.)

Gathering:

- Collect permission slips as boys arrive.
- Collect den dues; record attendance.
- Collect job progress charts (Citizenship belt loop requirement 1).

Opening ceremony:

- A Webelos Scout should plan and lead the flag ceremony (Webelos badge requirement 6).
- Recite the Pledge of Allegiance, the Cub Scout Promise, Law of the Pack, Scout Oath, and/or Scout Law.

Advancement:

Citizen activity badge requirement:

10. With your Webelos den or your family, visit a community leader. (Visit the community leader at his or her place of work.) Learn about the duties of the job or office and tell what you have learned.

In the boys' *Webelos Handbooks*, sign the requirements met.

Closing:

- Thank your field trip host for your visit.
- Remind the Webelos Scout who will plan and lead the next meeting's flag ceremony.
- Retire the colors.

- Hand out family information letter. (A sample family information letter can be found at www.scouting.org/CubScouts/Resources and on the CD in the Resources folder on the main menu. Also see the boxed text for suggested wording.)

Family Information Letter

The Webelos den will work on the Citizen activity badge at our next meeting. If a family member has experience in the naturalization process, U.S. history, or flag etiquette, we would appreciate you sharing your knowledge at the next meeting.

Next Up:

- For den meeting #8, plan to meet in a place where you will be able to hoist and lower the flag.
- Bring a U.S. flag.
- Read the Citizen chapter in the *Webelos Handbook*.
- Be prepared to teach the boys to hoist, lower, and fold the flag.