



Wolf Cub Scouts



Wolf Den Meeting #5

Elective 9b: Make a gift (partial); Elective 11a: Learn and sing "America"

Preparation and materials needed:

- Bring a U.S. flag and the den flag.
- Bring the photographs of the boys that were taken at the first den meeting; bring picture frames to be decorated, paint and brushes or other materials to decorate the frames, and smocks (or old shirts large enough to fit over the boys' uniforms) to protect the boys' uniforms from paint.
- Prepare permission slips for a field trip to a fire station at den meeting #6.

Gathering:

- Snack, collect den dues, record attendance.

Opening ceremony:

- Conduct flag ceremony. Remember to move through a rotation of the boys so each boy has a turn at every role in the flag ceremony (Achievement 2b). Have the Cub Scout leading the ceremony tell what the Pledge of Allegiance means (Achievement 2a).

Advancement:

- Elective 9b: Make a gift. Have each boy (wearing a smock) decorate a picture frame and insert the photo of himself that was taken at the first den meeting of the year. Save these for den meeting #7.
- Elective 11a: Learn and sing the first and last verses of "America."

Closing:

- Retire the colors.
- Hand out family information letter and permission slips for a field trip to the fire station. (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.)
- Clean up.

Next Up:

- For den meeting #6, make arrangements for a field trip to your local fire station. Request permission to use a meeting room at the fire station for snacks and to complete additional requirements while at the station.
- Submit a Local Tour Permit Application to your council service center two weeks before this 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.)
- Bring paper and pencil for each boy.