



Summer Meeting Plan – Week 8

Note:

This meeting has two parts. The first is completing the last adventure for the Wolf Badge. The second is the awards ceremony for the Scouts to recognize their accomplishments over the summer. This meeting may go a little longer as we are giving out awards.

The meeting space requires a “stage” this could be an actual stage or an open area to the front of the room where the Scouts can perform and get their awards.

Opening - 3 minutes

Have the Scouts stand up around the tables.

- Instruct them to hold up the Cub Scout sign. Read the Scout Oath one line at a time and have them repeat it.
- Read out the Scout Law one point at a time and have them repeat it.
- When you are done, say the word “Two” and instruct them to put their hands down.

Have them take a seat at the tables

Talk Time - Explain Activity/Goal 2 mins

Activity 1- 10 mins Communication Ideas

We communicate with other people in many different ways. Let's brainstorm some ways we can communicate with words and without words.

Have them give different communication methods. Some examples include:

Verbal: Talking, Singing, Written Word, Letters, Books, Radio

Non-Verbal: Facial expressions, Body Language Road Signs, Graphs, Charts, Pictures, Art

Now let's learn how to say the Cub Scout Motto in Sign Language.

Visit <https://tampabayscouting.org/scout-reach-program-resources>, week 8 for the video.

Activity 2 – Cub Scout Skits – 30 minutes

This Activity requires the Skits Packet that is in your crate.

Now you have the chance to have some fun and perform a skit for your fellow Scouts. A skit is a short funny play. You will be put into groups of 4 Scouts and will be given a script to perform. As a group, decide who gets to play each role and then practice the skit at least 3 times to be ready. Don't worry, you can take your script with you when you perform, so you do not need to memorize anything. Remember to speak clearly and loudly so everyone can hear you. You can be silly, but you must read the lines. You cannot do anything that would hurt or embarrass your fellow Scouts.

Divide the Scouts into groups of 4 and give each group a skit to perform. Each person gets their own script. If you have an odd number, several of the scripts can have additional people. Keep this a positive environment. Monitor the groups



to make sure that the Scouts are supporting each other. Sometime Scouts can get caught up in getting the lines perfect that they can become critical of their co-actors. The goal is for everyone to have fun.

If a Scout does not want a speaking part, they should not be forced. Several skits have non-verbal parts or they may have an idea on how they can contribute.

Give them 7-10 minutes to practice and then act as the Master of Ceremonies calling up each group one at a time.

Awards Ceremony – 20 minutes

This Activity requires the Bobcat and Wolf Summer Awards Ceremony script that is in your crate.

Every Scout will receive the Bobcat award as they have been practicing those skills all summer. The Wolf award should be given to only those Scouts who have participated in every meeting. Please read the ceremony ahead of time to be familiar with it and to get instructions on how to set up the room.

Note – you will be pinning the Wolf patch upside down so they can do a good deed and turn them over.

Follow the instructions and script for the awards ceremony.

Announcements 2 mins

Scouts, remember to take home this note to your parent today.

Closing 2 mins

Get them to stand up.

Say: *Cub Scouts - Cub Scout Sign* (put up the Cub Scout Sign and wait for them to follow).

Let's do the Scout Oath. (Say each line and then have them repeat it)

Ready – Two (put their hands down)

(now in an energetic voice say the following)

What's the Cub Scout Motto? - **Do Your Best**

Did you do your best? – **Yes!**

Did you learn something new? – **Yes!**

Did you have fun? – **Yes!**

Dismissed!

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