Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

Month: February Week: 2

Point of the Scout Law: Cheerful

	Tiger	Wolf	Bear	Webelos	Arrow of Light
Before the	Gather materials for	Gather materials for	Gather materials for	Gather materials for	Gather materials for
Meeting	gathering and other	gathering and other	gathering and other	gathering and other	gathering and other
	activities, games and	activities, games and	activities, games and	activities, games and	activities, games and
	have home assignments	have home assignments	have home assignments	have home assignments	have home assignments
	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.	(if any) ready.
Gathering	Hidden Pictures: Building a Clubhouse				
Opening	Building Tools Opening				
Game	Tool Cards Concentration Game				
Project	Long Nosed Pliers, Wired Snake				
Business	None	None	Baloo the Builder 1-4	None	None
items/Take home					
Closing	Building Super Cub Scouts Closing				
After the meeting					

Materials:

Gathering: copies of Hidden Pictures, pencils

Opening: flag, opening cards Activity: concentration cards

Project: pliers, floral wire, beads, large paper clips, Wired snake patterns

Closing: None

Home assignments: None

Advancement:

Tiger - None

Wolf – None

Bear – Baloo the Builder 1-4

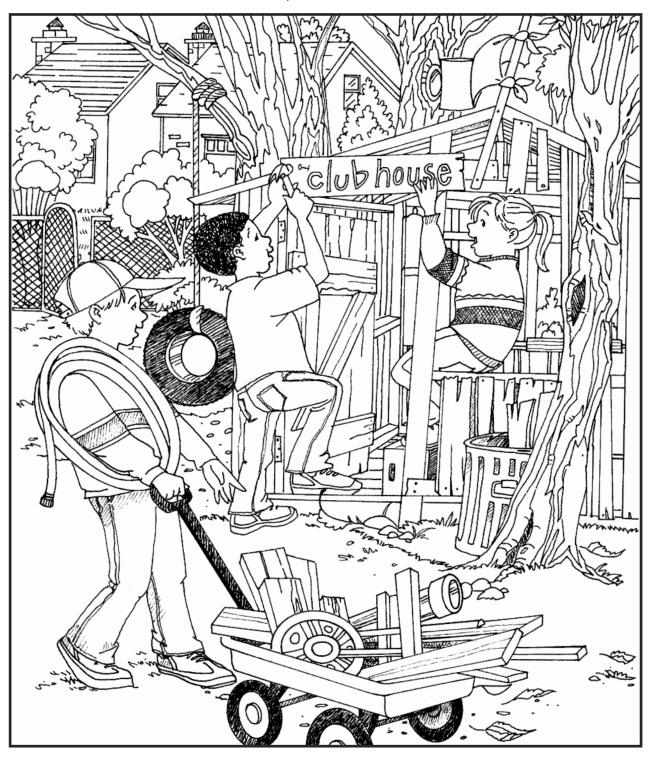
Webelos - None

Arrow of Light – None

Hidden Pictures®

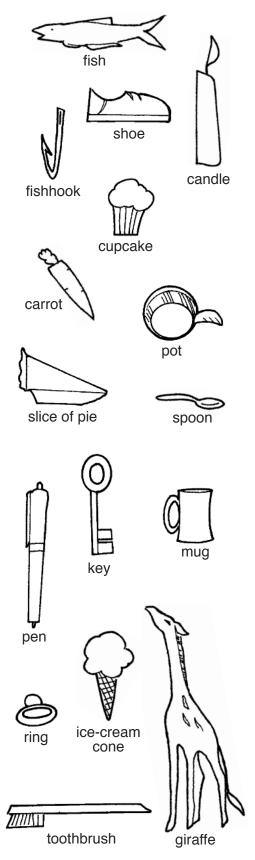
Building a Clubhouse

By Linda Weller



In this big picture, find the toothbrush, bow tie, screwdriver, ice skate, pencil, bell, hoe, sailboat, cotton candy, fire helmet, carrot, orange slice, hat, hiking boot, mallet, telescope, fish, fork, candle, pizza slice, pie slice, seal, screw, and spoon.

Can you find these Hidden Pictures®



Building Tools Opening

Materials:

Cards with the picture of the tool on one side and the quote on the other side.

Have Cub Scouts hold up a card or act out how to use each tool as they talk about how they can build a better America.

Cubmaster: We are the future builders of America. This is how we will shape tomorrow.

Cub Scout #1: We will hammer out justice. (Hammer)

Cub Scout #2: We will help cut out crime. (Saw)

Cub Scout #3: We will pinch out poverty. (Pliers)

Cub Scout #4: We will wrench out discrimination. (Wrench)

Cub Scout #5: We will live by the Golden Rule. (Ruler)

Cub Scout #6: We will plunge out hatred. (Plunger)

Cub Scout #7: We will drill love deep into our hearts. (Drill)

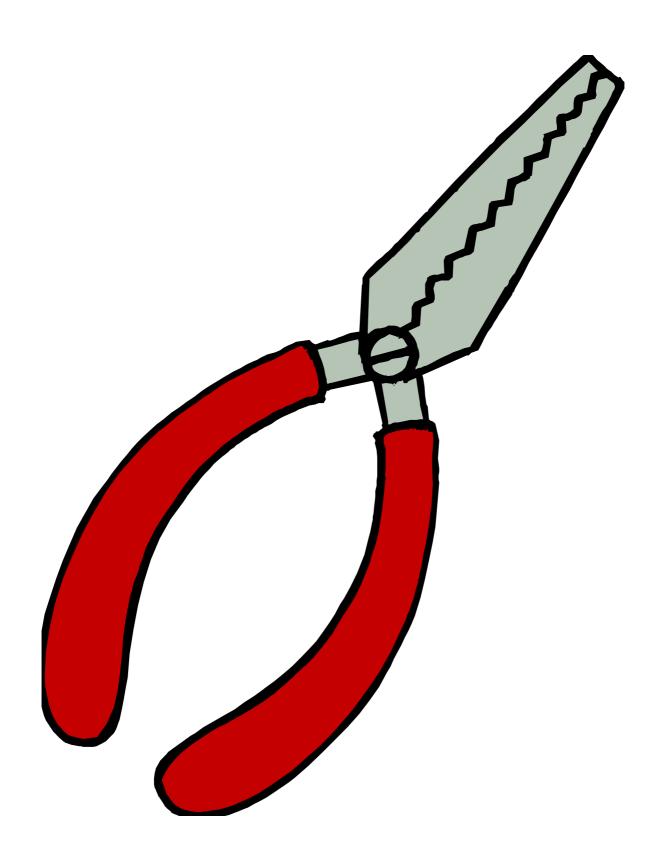
Cubmaster: We can build a better America as we use the tools that we each have and share. Please join us in the Pledge of Allegiance and in the Scout Oath and Scout Law.



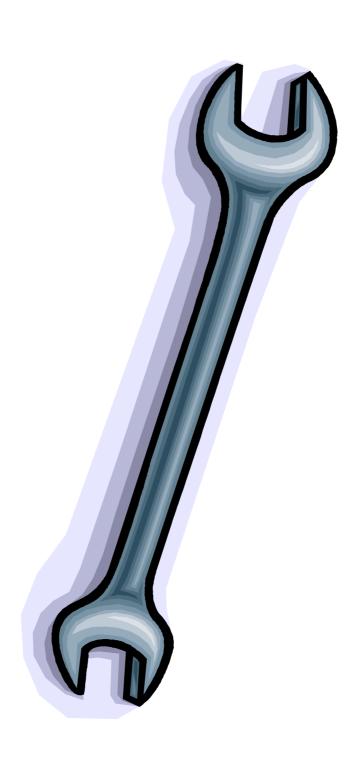
Cub Scout #1: We will hammer out justice.



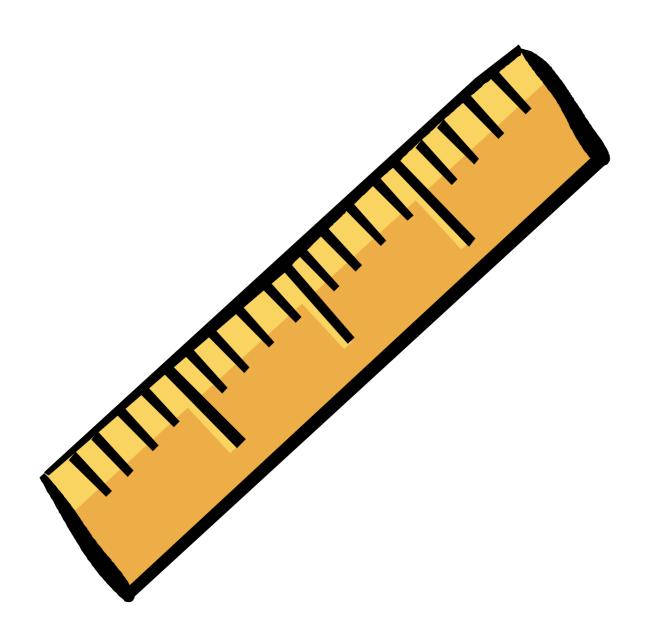
Cub Scout #2: We will help cut out crime.



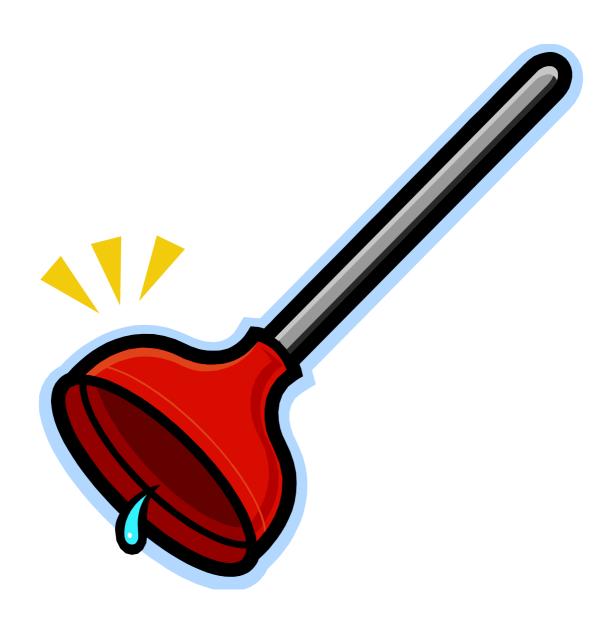
Cub Scout #3: We will pinch out poverty.



Cub Scout #4: We will wrench out discrimination.



Cub Scout #5: We will live by the Golden Rule.



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Tool Card Concentration Game



Materials

Tool Cards printed on card stock Scissors

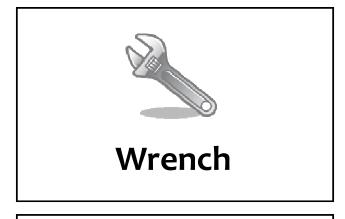
If cards are not previously cut out, cut each card out in between the lines. Each small group of Cub Scouts should have 1 set of cards with 16 cards.

This is a concentration/matching game. All 16 cards are laid on a table, floor or other surface with the blank side up (so you can't see any pictures or writing). Place in four rows of four cards each.

The first player turns over two cards. If the cards match (meaning the right tool, with the right use), he gets another chance to match two cards. If the cards he turned over did not match, then he turns the cards back over and then next person takes a turn.

The game continues until all cards are matched. The person with the most matched pairs wins the game.

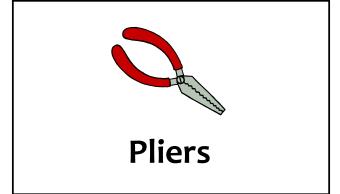
Then shuffle the cards and set them out again to play again.



















This tool is used for tightening and loosening nuts.



This tool is used for setting or driving screws with a flat head.



This tool is used for setting or driving screws with a cross head.



This tool is used for driving nails, for prying boards apart, and for pulling nails.



This tool is used for gripping things of different sizes. It is often used for bending wire.



This tool is used to hold wood in place for sawing or planing.



This tool is used to smooth rough wood or boards.

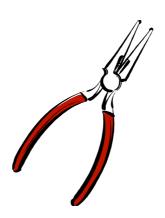


This tool is used for cutting wood or other materials.

Long-Nose Pliers

You can use long-nose pliers for many things to make your job easier. Long-nose pliers are sometimes called chain-nose pliers, snipe-nose pliers, or needle-nose pliers. These are all names for pliers with long, thin noses. The nose on the pliers is the two-part mechanism that meets for gripping when the jaws of the pliers are closed. Just like the jaws of an alligator.

- 1. Open pliers carefully. Be careful when opening long-nose pliers. It's possible to open the pliers too far and get the jaws out of alignment.
- 2. You can get into small areas with long-nose pliers. These pliers can be thought of as an extension of your hand. The long nose gives you an extended reach and allows you to work in tight spots that your fingers or hands can't reach. Use the tip of the nose to grip items.
- 3. You can bend or shape wire with long-nose pliers. Wire can be bent with long-nose pliers by placing the wire inside the teeth and grasping the wire with your other hand. The pliers act as a vise to hold the wire in one spot while you bend the wire with the other hand.
- 4. You can twist wire together with long-nose pliers. You can hold two pieces of wire together in one hand and grab the wires with the pliers in your other hand. The wires can then be twisted together.



Wired Snakes

Materials:

21 beads per Cub Scout

Large paperclip or lanyard hook

3 feet of floral wire per Cub Scout

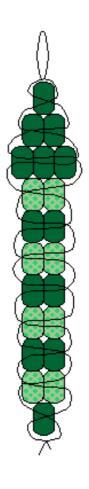
Pliers

Fold your wire in half gently to find the center. In the center, make a loop in the wire and twist once or twice. This will be the top of your snake.

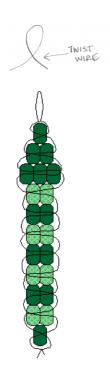
Lace beads onto the wire using the picture as a pattern.

Finish the construction of the snake by twisting the wires together at the bottom. Have an adult help you to cut any extra wire off of the snake.

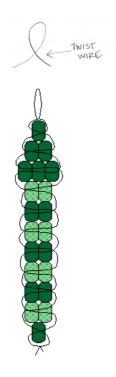
Attach a lanyard or a paperclip to the top loop so that you can attach your wire snake to your backpack or anything else.



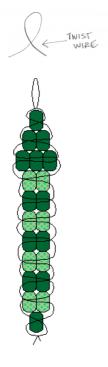
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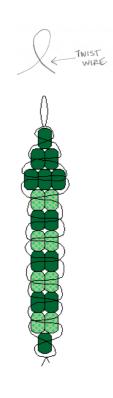
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Building Super Cub Scouts Closing

Materials: None

Cubmaster:

We can build buildings with hammers and nails and boards and lots of work. We can put together bicycles with screwdrivers and screws and wrenches and lots of work.

Did you know that we can build super Cub Scouts as well?

Cub Scouts turn into SUPER Cub Scouts when:

Cub Scouts learn something new.

Cub Scouts listen to the leaders and obey their leaders.

Cub Scouts make new friends.

Cub Scouts share things and ideas with their friends

Cub Scouts have fun.

Let's keep building every time we come to Cub Scout meetings and remember to do our best to live by the Scout Oath and Scout Law.