

Golden Eagle District #15 July 2010 Theme for August "Waves of Fun"



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Jump in and make a big splash with fun activities that explore water and waves. Cub Scouts can board an imaginary submarine and explore the depths of the ocean. They can make their own boats and race them at the pack's raingutter regatta. A den or pack may take a trip to the beach or a swimming pool. And all these adventures are much more fun with friends. Teach the boys water safety and practice the buddy system. This is an ideal month to work on the Swimming belt loop and pin and a great time for a raingutter regatta!

(Remember that any swimming activity requires a tour permit!!!)

Some of the purposes of Cub Scouting developed through this month's theme are:

√ **Fun and Adventure.** Cub Scouts love water and being outdoors. Having fun activities to do in the water will be a hit with the boys.

√ **Sportsmanship and Fitness.** Cub Scouts will practice their swimming skills and use good sportsmanship when they play fun games in the water.

√ **Personal Achievement.** Boys will gain confidence in themselves as they improve their swimming skills.

The core value highlighted this month is:

√ **Perseverance.** Boys will discover that they must continue to work hard in order to improve their swimming strokes or regatta boat designs.

PRAYER: A Sea of Thanks
"We are grateful, dear God, for your gifts of the sun and the sand and the sea. We pause to give thanks as we run and play, enjoying in awe your beauty."

OPENING CEREMONY: Waves

Materials: Large cards with the letters to spell WAVES on the one side and script on the other; water-activity toys and equipment for the boys to wear or carry.

Setup: Each Cub Scout holds a letter and wears or carries on piece of water-activity gear or toy.

- CUB SCOUT 1 (W): Welcome to our pack meeting!
CUB SCOUT 1 (A): August is a great time to play in the water.
CUB SCOUT 1 (V): Visit a beach or visit a pool.
CUB SCOUT 1 (E): Everyone's ready to have some fun!
CUB SCOUT 1 (S): Stand, please, for the Pledge of Allegiance.



SPOTLIGHT:

The "Guide to Safe Scouting, a unit leader's guide for current policies and procedures to safe activities", can be found online at the following link.

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/HealthandSafety/GSS.aspx>

All volunteers participating in official Scouting activities should become familiar with the *Guide to Safe Scouting*.

CALENDAR

As of June 1, 2010 - Youth Protection requirements have changed. Check out the changes at the following link: <http://www.scouting.org/Training/YouthProtection.aspx>

July 3, 2010 – West Jordan parade. Meet in uniform at 7000 South and Redwood Road. Remember to bring your pack flag or American flag!

July 30 – Cub Country and Webelos Wilderness Camps end.

August 12 – Roundtable

September 11 – Basic Training (*Cobble Creek Zone to host*)

September 17th, 18th - 2010 Council Jamboral @ Tooele County Deseret Peaks Complex. Cost is \$15.00 per person (if signed up by Sept. 3, 2010. \$20.00 after.) See Council website for more information.

APPLAUSES:

Waves of Fun- The Cubmaster points to one side of the room. As he or she slowly sweeps an arm across the room, the audience jumps up and yells, "Fun!" When the wave of fun reaches the other side of the room, the Cubmaster could have the wave return.

Water Cheer: Glug, Glug, Glug, Ah-hhh. That was great!

Beach Cheer: Divide your audience into 3 groups. When you point to group 1, they yell "Sand." When you point to group 2, they yell "Surf" And when you point to group 3, they yell "Sun."

CRAFT: Life Preserver Slide

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On a piece of Styrofoam about 1/2" thick, draw a 3" circle and cut out. From the center of the circle, remove a 2" circle. Loosely wrap cord around edge of Styrofoam and bind in place, as shown, with red "Mystic" tape. Print "Cub Scout" on one side and "Pack No. ---" on the other. Insert and glue ends of a piece of white chenille into back for ring.

DEN CHIEF RUN ONS

Why did the boy throw water out of the window?
He wanted to see a waterfall.

What does not get any wetter no matter how much it rains?
A lake.

#1: What is the formula for water?

#2: H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O

#1: Whoever told you that?

#2: You did! You said it was H to O

SONG: A trip to the ocean

Tune: My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean

We're taking a trip to the ocean,
My family, my dog, and my friends.
We've packed up the car with the goodies,
To the ocean, where fun never ends.

Chorus:

The ocean, the ocean;
The water is one of my faves, my faves!
The ocean, the ocean;
I can't wait to jump in the waves!

How long till we get to the ocean?
It's hot, and I'm starting to sweat.
Oh won't you please make the car hurry?
I can't wait until I am all wet!

Repeat chorus.

We're finally here at the ocean.
The sand feels warm on my feet.
The sun's shining brightly to greet us.
Hooray! Now we're here at the beach!

