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Class Descriptions

60 Hints in 60 Minutes for Den Leaders A fast paced session where you'll learn some clever and quick ideas to liven up your den meetings! Classroom instruction segment for Range Master qualification. (This is pre-requisite for certification) Archery Rangemaster Indoors **BB** Gun Rangemaster Indoor Classroom instruction segment for Range Master qualification. (This is pre-requisite for certification) **Boy Behavior** Science might not know how to figure out girls, but they have boys down! Join this group and learn what you look for as your boys grow in scouting. Concoctions A little of this, a dab of that and presto....you have.....a mess. And boy to boys love a mess! Learn fun and exciting concoctions to bring help bring your meetings to live! Ever wonder why? Come to this class...you might still be wondering 'why', but you'll know how! How to make **Cool Science** your meetings fun with Cool Science! **Cub Day Camp Essentials** Have boys attending camp this year? Learn how to make it the most rewarding program of the summer! **Cub Outdoor Cooking** Learn age appropriate out door cooking that will light a fire under your cubs! Cub Scout Games Discover resources and ideas for great interactive games. Den and Pack Ceremonies Learn how to make your ceremonies memorable. Fun With Rockets/Successful derbies Learn how to make simple, non-fuel rockets for your den or pack program. Fund Raisers and Finance Money makes the Scouting world go around. Learn how to make your fund raisers and finance a cabaret instead of a catastrophe. Jazzing up Meetings with songs Learn the secret to getting kids to sing along and turn your meetings into full-blown song fests. **Kneckerchief Slides** The neckerchief slide is the one area of the uniform where the boys can get creative. Learn some great ideas and techniques for making stand out slides. Don't get all tied up in knots just thinking about 10 boys and some rope. Join this session and learn the best Knots and Pioneering for Cubs ways to teach your Scouts the basics about knots and pioneering. Magic Magic...need we say more? Want to add some to your program? Join this session. You'll love it! Origami Here is a twist (with folds) in making simple paper crafts Recruiting Cub Scouts Is your pack dwindling? Learn effective ways to recruit new scouts in a world where extra curricular activies are competing at a fever pitch! Scrap Booking Memories done right! Don't miss this great session. Themed Crafts Fun and easy crafts you can do in your Den Webelos to Scout Transition One of the purposes of Cub Scouting is to prepare boys to become Boy Scouts. Here's how. Woodworking for Cubs Ask any grown Scout to list their favorite Scouting activities and wood working will be in the top 5. Don't miss this opportunity to learn how to add this fun and rewarding craft to your Scouting repertoire A Scout is Reverent "A Scout is Reverent", "A scout or cub has a 'duty to God"...come learn how to incorporate these ideals into your unit activities. Adult Leader First Aid Learn how to keep your boys save with this basic first aid course. While you won't receive any certification, you'll learn more than how to put on a bandage. If you are planning outing with your boys, this short class could save a life. Adv Merit Badge Counseling Learn to be the best mentor you can be. Don't miss this important class. Advancement / Eagle Project Prep. Not sure who gets what when? Need to understand how to reward your boys for their 'job well done'. Join this session to get the low down on advancement! **Campfire Planning** The evening campfire should be the highlight at the end of the day. Make it memorable. Climb on Safely This session will give you all you need to know to present a safe and fun climbing program! Commissioner Service The unsung heroes of scouting. Learn how you can serve scouting long after your own boys are through the program. Guide to Safe Scouting Want to be sure your scouting program is safe? Learn what and how to do it safely. Learn Safe Scouting! Learn what you can do to insure that every boy, leader, and parent has a safe scouting experience. Learn what to do if all goes wrong! Internet Advancement Learn how to leverage the power of the Internet for your advancement. Introduction to Backpacking This course reviews the basics of how to transition from car camping to backcountry backpacking. Learn why Scouts backpack. What type of gear is necessary and places to go. Kayaking How to build and use a folding one-person kayak. This session covers materials and procedures for construction, training, and where to use your kayak. Two sessions of 15 people each will be offered. Leave No Trace This program is a must for scouting. If you have not included Leave No Trace in your program, you should. Join this class and see why. Maintng Scouting Values in Volunteer We often focus all our attention on the boys, but our parent pool is just as important to a successful program. Learn how to integrate Relationships parents into your program Merit Badge Training Have a new job in the unit or not sure if you are doing all you can do with your role as Merit Badge Councilor? Join this session to get tips and tricks on how to energize the boys. Your giving these boys the wings to become eagles. Don't lay an egg. How you can use rope and poles to build useful creations -- and getting in some practice before teaching this skill to your Scouts. Pioneering Preparation for 1st OverNighter Waking up in a cold sweat because you have scheduled your first overnighter? Worried what on earth you'll do with 30 boys and a campfire? Your worries are over, join this session to learn the tips and trick that will make you look like an old pro! **Preparing Teepee Poles** Ever wanted to make your own TeePee? Here is your chance. Come to this session and you'll have a teepee in your backvard in no time! **Recruiting Boy Scouts** How many packs do you pull from? What activities do you invite those potential tenderfoot to with your troop. Learn effective ways to entice potential scouts to your troop. Safe Swim Defense / Safety Afloat Swimming is one of the activities our boys love the most. Learn how to be safe and Scouting compliant. Scouts love the challenge and adventure of the outdoor experience. Learn how to develop challenging outdoor skills in your ScoutCraft Scouts and make outings an event that nobody will want to miss. The weather outside might be frightful, but with this training, your experience will still be delightful. Learn the tips and techniques Snow Camping of this fantastic High Adventure sport! Special Needs Scouting Scouting is for everyone, but not everyone know how to manage a diverse program effectively. Please join this special session, you'll walk away knowing the tips and tricks you'll need to integrate everyone into your program. Teepee. The Art of Set Up 2 Hrs If you have ever tried to make a teepee campfire, you know how hard it can be to get those Teepee poles to cooperate! Join this interactive session and you'll become an expert on Teepee construction. Treking Designed to help youth and adult leaders plan and carry out a safe trekking experience. The 40 minute session presented by unit, district or council trainers with trek experience. Covers seven points of Trek Safely, qualified supervision and discipline and resources for planning a trek. Wood Working for Scouts Ask any grown Scout to list their favorite Scouting activities and wood working will be in the top 5. Don't miss this opportunity to learn how to add this fun and rewarding craft to your Scouting repertoire Venturing for Scoutmaster Venturing Basics will teach you what you need to know to get an exciting and fun-filled Venturing group off the ground.