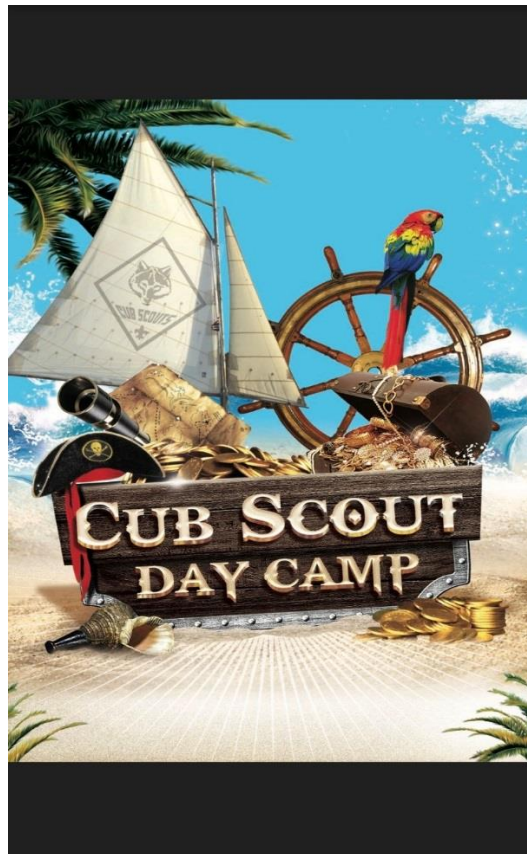


Harford District  
2018 Cub Scout Day Camp  
June 25-29, 2018  
**Cub Buccaneers, Adventures on the High Seas**

**Here's Me Suppa!**  
**Bears Go Fishing!**



**Station Volunteer's Guide**

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time;  
They have the heart. And YOU are the heart of our  
camp. Thank you!



*Please, please read this guide!*

**What** is being covered at most stations is important so that the scouts earn the correct achievements toward rank or advancement. Some stations are JUST for fun, though and are not designed for earning anything.

**HOW YOU** present the material is not set in stone and can be presented in any manner that best suits you, as LONG AS THE REQUIREMENTS ARE MET FOR THE SCOUT.

.....in other words...

If you find a better way to accomplish the requirements or if the method we have outlined doesn't seem to be working...please feel free to change it! *This is only a guide...do what works best for you and the scouts coming to your station.*

**One other thing to keep in mind** - some stations will be visited by all ranks. That means you may have 6 year olds through 11 year olds and may have to simplify or intensify the methods to meet the skills and knowledge of all the scouts.

Thanks again - we are glad to have you as part of Harford Day Camp!

## Station Procedures

- *Read your schedule and BE PREPARED!*
- Monday: stations begin at 10:15am; Tues-Fri: stations begin at 9:15am
- Usually 2 dens at a time (max 24 youth),,,,,but there could be more
- Greet dens as they arrive. Ask for their cheer!!!
- **It is very important that you start and end on time!**
- **Each time limit is only 45 minutes. Late arrivals CANNOT stay late; it interferes with the overall schedule. If available, they can come back at a free time.**
- **Execute the station with energy and enthusiasm!** Let the scouts do as much for themselves as possible. It doesn't need to be perfect, they just need to Do Their Best!
- Remember the Alamo, um BEADS!! One bead/scout/participation.  
(*Beads can be given to the den leader for distribution.*)
- Take a breath, then prepare for your next group.

These are the volunteer instructor instructions for operating the “Bears Go Fishing Station”.

You should have...

5 semi-large spray-paint circles on the field in front of the stage/boat.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 300+ fish coloring pictures</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A few DMV Fishing pamphlets.</li><li>•</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 300+ Bamboo Fishing Pole Kits.</li></ul>

Instructions: One Den

1. Explain 3 types of local fish, habitat, what they eat, etc. (Use pamphlet for reference)
2. Explain local area fishing regulations. (Use pamphlet for reference)
3. Have scouts color a picture of a fish.
4. Construct Bamboo fishing poles. They will be keeping these.
5. Demonstrate proper casting. (Overhand only) And explain that the purpose is to get the magnet on the end of the line to connect with a magnetic fish in a spray-paint “pond”
6. Assign 2-3 scouts per pond as needed. And put necessary amount of fish in each pond.
7. Cast and try to catch a fish.
8. Recap skills.

Instructions: Multiple Dens

1. Follow steps 1-2 above as group.
2. Have one den color a fish then construct poles.
3. Simultaneously, have the other den construct poles and cast. Or construct poles together if easier.
4. Switch areas.
5. Recap skills.

• **Last station of the day**

Organize station items in the bag/container provided and store where directed. In case of inclement weather, take your station items to the nearest shelter where directed.

Complete a Station Evaluation (inside front cover). Return to the Admin tower or the Crouse Building.

**\*\*\*\*\*Last station of the week\*\*\*\*\***

Dispose of anything no longer useable: please recycle when appropriate.

- Inventory your station (See the inventory sheet in the front pocket of the station guide)
- Return all items that you can to Crouse/trailer staff.
- You are ALWAYS invited to help pack up the camp!

Inventory

Station name: Fishing		
	opening	closing
station guide	1	
semi-large spray-paint circles on the field in front of the stage/boat.	5	
• 300+ fish coloring pictures	300	
• A few DMV Fishing pamphlets.	10	
• 100 Bamboo Fishing Pole Kits. Each bear will make a pole and take it home	300	

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