

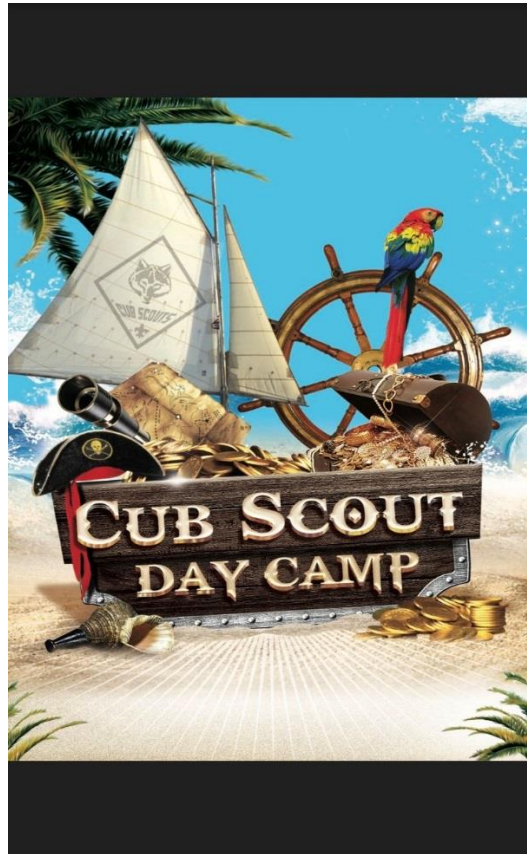
Harford District

2018 Cub Scout Day Camp

June 25-29, 2018

Cub Buccaneers, Adventures on the High Seas

Lego Boat Building



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.

• **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!

Set-up:

Open bins and:

1. Set up racing track with instructions provided.
2. Set out all Lego pieces in groups (base & wheels, bricks).

Break-Down

1. Return all materials to the bins.
2. Please assure that all bins are closed tightly and place under the tent for the night.
3. In the event that rainy weather is expected, please take the bins into the Tag building for the night.

Station Objectives:

Each scout will: Create a Lego "boat" in 10-15 minutes, race/float their "boat".

Activity 1: Creating/Assembling Lego boat

Have the scouts look at the example Lego boat. Talk about the main parts required for the boat to float.



- Allow the scouts to build their own boat in 10-15 minutes. Make sure to give a warning when time is almost over (5 minutes left, 2 minutes left).
- Have the scouts race their boats in the pool provided
- Scout should pick up as much as possible and return to "Dry dock".
- Scouts may build as many times as time allows.

