

## Pack 225

# Ideas for Cub Scout Den Leaders

Note: Many of these activities meet a requirement for a rank. Check your scout handbooks. Check websites for information.

Hike at Stough Canyon in Burbank. Visit the nature center there. Docent led visits can be arranged for a small fee per boy.

Police or fire station visit.

Visit the Wildlife Waystation. Call for reservations.

Wildwood Canyon hike.

Placerita Canyon and Nature Center hike. This is a 20 minute drive north of Burbank just after the 14 Freeway split. Arrange for a docent led tour.

Make and decorate walking sticks for a hike.

Burbank Historical Society/Gordon R. Howard Museum visit.

Christmas caroling and cookies/hot cocoa.

Attend a sporting event. Check for special "scout nights" that Dodgers and hockey teams have.

Woodworking meetings. Make bird houses, practice basic tool skills.

Loews has Saturday morning craft events. Check their website for time and dates. Free!

Pool parties.

Scavenger hunt/hike in park.

Sharing of collection meeting.

Pumpkin carving contest.

Fire/home/health/first aid/safety meeting taught by a trained "first responder" (nurse, EMT, etc.)

Flag use and etiquette meeting. Arrange to raise or lower a school flag.

Frisbee meeting and games.

Paper airplane meeting.

Art meeting. Draw, use various media.

Krispy Kreme tour. Call to arrange.

California Pizza Kitchen tour. Call to arrange.

Barnes and Noble tour. Call to arrange.

Burbank Recycling Center Tour. Call to arrange.

Physical fitness meeting with games.

Help with decorating Burbank Rose Parade float. Call to arrange.

Tour of JPL in La Canada.

Go golfing at De Bell 3-par.

Help pick up trash at Stough Canyon trail.

Plant a small cactus garden and add with sand and rocks and plastic cowboy figures.

Astronomy night. Contact Sidewalk Astronomers who might help.

Conservation project: collect old athletic shoes and take to recycling.

Make a Time Capsule (Great for Tigers. Save for when boys are Webelos II.)

Earn the Zoo Patch Award. Check the LA Zoo website for information.

Have a "Snack a thon". Boys help prepare snacks to share, pot luck style. Make it a meal.

Descanso Gardens tour. Call to arrange.

Visit an architect or surveyor.

Have a magician come and give a demonstration and help kids learn a few tricks. Put on a play.