

ECHO'S MOUNTAIN
Outdoor Adventure Skills

RAINBOW'S REFLECTIONS
Beliefs & Values

MALAK'S MAPLE
Leadership

RUSTY'S MEADOW
Active & Healthy Living

Building new ideas. Sharing new adventures. Making new friends.

THE COLONY PLANNING GUIDE

WILLOW'S CAMPFIRE
Ceremonies

BIG BROWN BEAVER'S LODGE
Citizenship

SET YOUR COLONY'S GOALS!

Think of the Possibilities!

Talk with the other Beavers in your Colony about the adventures they would like to have this year. Write your Colony's goals (as numbers) in the squares.



FALL: September – November



WINTER: December – February



SPRING: March – May



SUMMER: June – August

Our Scouting Year can be divided into four program, which align with the four seasons. Plan, do and review your program each season, and the quality of your adventures will improve in no time!

The coloured boxes include suggested goals from Scouts Canada. How adventurous will your Colony's program be?



Write the number your Colony would like to set as a goal.

PER MONTH

Meeting outdoors

(Suggested range: 1-2)

PER CYCLE (SEASON)

Outing, visit or event

(Suggested range: 1-2)

White Tails Council meetings

(Suggested range: 2-3)

Seasonal assessment and action plan*

1

PER SCOUTING YEAR

Nights away

(Suggested range: 3-6)

Adventures for each Program Area

(Suggested range: 1-3)

Adventures with Pack (one for White Tails)

(Suggested range: 2-4)

Personal progression review

(Suggested range: 1-3)

Section Code of Conduct developed

(Suggested)

Environmental service project

(Suggested range: 1-3)

Community service projects

(Suggested range: 1-3)

Activities with parental participation

(Suggested range: 3-6)

[The goal-setting template is also included in the Program Quality Guide.](#)

BIG IDEAS AT A GLANCE

Plot out some of your goals within this calendar.



SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER

NOVEMBER



DECEMBER

JANUARY

FEBRUARY



MARCH

APRIL

MAY



JUNE

JULY

AUGUST



FALL

ADVENTURES WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIS CYCLE:

USE PLAN-DO-REVIEW TO HELP
DRIVE THE DISCUSSIONS:

Plan

- How can we make sure everyone participates?
- How can we make sure everyone stays safe?
- What materials do we need?
- What tasks are required? How should they be divided?
- What skills are required?
- Has everyone agreed on all the details?

Do

- Learn any new skills required
- Take part in your adventure

Events

Investiture

Halloween

Fall camp

Remembrance Day

Apple Day / Scout Popcorn



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SEPTEMBER

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Events for this month:



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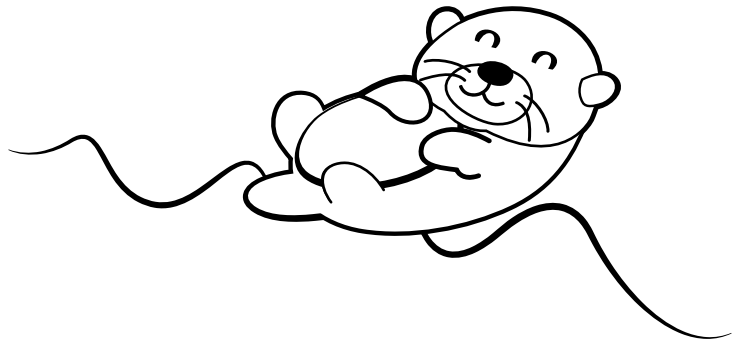
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FALL



USE PLAN-DO-REVIEW TO HELP DRIVE THE DISCUSSIONS:

Review

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PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

- Use the assessment questions in Lodges to guide discussions.
- Record the main points from the discussions. Ask the Beavers if they all agree with your notes.
- Based on the suggestions and expectations, have the White Tail Council create a plan to move some of the ideas forward.
- Repeat the process for the next program cycle.



WINTER

ADVENTURES WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIS CYCLE:

USE PLAN-DO-REVIEW TO HELP DRIVE THE DISCUSSIONS:

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- What tasks are required? How should they be divided?
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Do

- Learn any new skills required
- Take part in your adventure

EVENTS

Safety Week

Scout-Guide Week

Winter camp



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WINTER



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PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

- Are we using the Pond Map to try new things?
- Is our Lodge a good team?
- Runner: Do I know how to participate in planning, doing and reviewing an activity?
- White Tails: How have I helped another Beaver Scout to feel like part of the Colony?
- What do we want to try before Beavers is over?



SPRING

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EVENTS

Linking
Scouttrees
Spring camp



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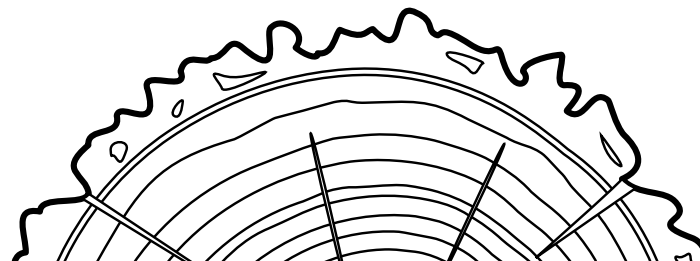
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PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

- What's my favourite spot to explore on my map?
- What was my favourite experience in Beavers this cycle/year?
- How am I helping other Beavers?
- What was the best part of Beavers this year?
- Do we need to go outdoors more?





SUMMER

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EVENTS

Summer camp

Summer outings



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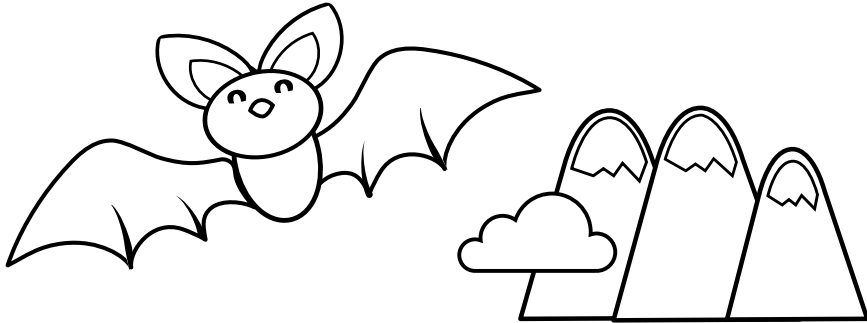
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PROGRAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT

- Has our Colony spent enough nights camping?
- What three things have I done that were new from last year?
- Do I plan to return to Beavers next year?
- Do White Tails plan to join Cubs next year?
- How have I developed in the SPICES (Social, Physical, Intellectual, Character, Emotional and Spiritual)?
