

Troop Ideas: September Outdoor Activities

Troop meeting activities for Juniors-Ambassadors

Girl Scouts are always good stewards of the outdoors. Have some troop fun while tying together what was learned by completing the Eco Badges!

Leaders, this is an overview meeting template to help you and your girls plan. At these levels, the meetings are girl led and you are facilitators!



Try one or more of these activities	
Meeting activity:	Virtual adaptation:
<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a Kahoot! About the principles of Leave no Trace! Test your girls' knowledge and ways they can apply the principles! • Girls can work together to create a Kahoot! for a younger troop to help them learn about the Leave no Trace principles. 	<p>Kahoots can be played in person or virtually!</p> <p>Have the girls set up a Zoom with a younger troop and play the Kahoot!</p>
<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan and create a one pot meal to share. One pot meals are more eco-friendly! • Plan an eco-friendly day hike or camp out using the Leave No Trace principles. When it is safe to get together for it, plan meals from your Pinterest cookbook! 	<p>Create a troop Pinterest page! Add a One Pot Meal Cookbook board and have everyone contribute recipes that look good. Try to find breakfasts, lunches, and dinners.</p>
<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create field journals together out of blank journals, spiral notebooks, or composition notebooks. See our Pinterest board for ideas! 	<p>Have girls create a work playlist of songs that have a theme they enjoy! Give girls a list of supplies to get or take supplies to them in a porch drop. Share the Pinterest link with them and spend some Zoom time talking, listening to music and creating journals!</p>
<p>Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have an in-depth debrief of what individual girls are doing with their badges. • Have the girls share their projects/field studies with the group. Have them to share their successes as well as their struggles. Have discussions that allow girls to help each other problem solve, promote involvement with each other's projects, and offer ideas and support. • Upon badge completion, lead the girls in reflection. What did they do (in detail)? Who was involved? How did it go? What did they learn? What was successful? What changed and why? What will they do going forward? Have the girls share their data in presentations! 	<p>Use Google Slides or a PowerPoint to guide discussions.</p>

