Collaborative Unit Planning Committee

C3 Engaging Parents

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Topic	Engage Parents to Become Leaders
Model Level	Cub Scout - Introductory
Who Should Attend	All interested leaders and parents with special empasis for Cubmaster, Asst. Cubmasters, Committee Chair, Committee Members and Den Leaders.
Timing	20 Minutes - June/July
Objectives	1. Provide tools for Cub Scout Pack to obtain "new" leaders.
Benefit to Scouts	Improve the adult to youth ratio and obtain "new" leaders for the pack.
Syllabus Suggestions	1. Solicit the best adult leaders in the district that are good at getting adults to volunteer to identify the best way to get leaders. 2. Brainstorm on ideas for ways to get adults to volunteer. 3. Possibly have existing leaders to invite parents they know to help out. 4. Discuss what makes a fun and exciting program. 5. Convince parents that it is in their best interest to be a leader to add bonding time with their youth and make the program the best it can be for their child. 6. Develop a list of tactics. 7. Put a plan together and assign responsibility
Hands On Activities	Planning worksheet. Overcoming parent objections to helping the pack.
Reference Materials	Leader application. Inventory of skills.
Handouts	Leader application. Cub Scout Leader Book.
Who Can Help Us?	District Executive, Unit Commissioner, Successful past Unit Leaders
Supplemental Activities	
Success Metric(s)	Have a Cubmaster and a committee with at least three members. All dens have leaders. The entire committee has completed This Is Scouting, Fast Start training, and Youth Protection training or, if new, complete within three months of joining. Den or pack meetings have started by October 31.