What’s on a Trail Card?

Trail Card title

The Adventure: a brief description of the activity

Safety considerations specific to the activity—standard safety practices still apply

Tips for Scouters (where applicable—Beaver Scouters only)

Moonlight Shadow Tag

The Adventure: Have a moonlight Adventure outdoors! Head outside to play Shadow Tag. The full moon will create the shadows.

The Beaver Scout who is “It” needs to step on the shadow of another Beaver Scout to “tag” him or her and make that Beaver Scout “it.”

For Scouters

This will be a winter Adventure so that you can best see moonlight shadows during the time of the Colony meeting.

Safety note:

White Tails, this is a chance to help the Colony learn ways to stay safe in winter weather. What will you share about frostbite, hypothermia and wearing layers of clothing, mitts, toques and boots?

Online Resources: How to build a Fox & Goose track in the snow

Online Resources: Hyperlinks to videos + websites

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*may also reference corresponding Scouters’ Tip

RUSTY’S MEADOW

Active & Healthy Living

Plan:

• What is the next full moon? How can you find out?
• What is the weather forecast?
• Will it be a clear night so you can see the moon?
• What will you need to wear for this Adventure?
• How will you mark the area where you will play the game?
• How will you decide who is “It”?
• How will a Beaver find a Scouter if he or she needs help?
• What other games of tag might be fun on your Moonlight Adventure?

Do:

• Dress warmly and head out for your moonlight Adventure.
• Ready… Set… You’re “It”!

Review:

• Over hot chocolate, reflect on your Adventure:
• What do you know now that you did not know before this Adventure?
• How did you respect your friends while playing tag?
• What surprised you, frustrated you or delighted you during the game?
• What other games are fun to play outside on a night with a full moon? Have you ever played “Fox and Goose?”

Questions to help get youth (supported—not led—by Scouters) started on the planning process. Scouters should support youth planning by asking additional questions

Share the Adventure—have fun!

Questions to help youth (supported—not led—by Scouters) review the Adventure

Program Area + link to Symbolic Framework

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