Cloverbud Activity Book

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That great goat milk

This makes a great activity when discussing goat project.

Things needed:

Goat milk

Cow's milk

Dixie Cups

markers

When bring the milk to the meeting bring in contains that don't display the type in.

Instead label them 1 And 2 and write down which one is which Give each cloverbud two Dixie cups write one 1 and the other write 2. Pour the matching containers in to each cup.

Have them taste test the milk who can guess the right kind of milk. It is also a idea to have water and crackers, they may not like the milk.

Easy Ice cream

This works well when you are getting in to the Cattle

Things needed:

Milk

Ice

Sugar

Vanilla

Salt

Small zip lock bag

Large zip lock bag

Give each a small zip lock bag In each mix in milk sugar and vanilla, More milk than anything. In large bag put ice and salt in. Place smaller bag in large bag making sure its sealed tight seal big bag and shake until its cold and drink

This Ice Cream is not firm it is a liquid that taste like Ice cream.

Milk Containers Bunnies

This works well with the rabbit section.

Things needed:

Milk containers (like the ones you get at school)

Wiggly eyes

Cotton balls

Construction paper white and pink

Glue

Cut milk containers in half length wise. Then pull cotton balls apart to the point of thin cotton layer not braking apart.

Glue cotton to outside of milk containers not in the inside. Then glue on a cotton ball as a tail. Then the wiggly eyes as eyes.

Than take white construction paper and make ears glue on a thin layer of cotton if you want to make an inner ear by making smaller ears using pink glue in the ear, glue ears to bunny by bending base of ears and glueing on. Pillow stuffing also works well instead of cotton balls.

Oh that Saddling

This activity works well with the horses project

Things Needed:

Some one who knows how to saddle a horse.

A Saddle

A Saddle rack

A stopwatch

Teach Cloverbuds how to saddle have each of them try a couple times with your help. Then have each go up and time them, the winner goes up in front at the general Meeting and shows the club what they learned.

Inter-Club Community service

This activity works well when on Community Service.

Things needed:

Cleaning supplies

A leaders house

Find Someway to get the leader out of the house.

Then you and the cloverbuds come in and clean the house. After every thing is clean form the walls to the floors.

Leave little post-it-notes

Of thank you and inspiration

Or have everyone in the club write a message on a post-it-not

Travel Time

Things needed:

Shoe box

Old road maps

Paper mache

Yarn

Glue gun

To make the paper mache mix one part flour

Tear maps in to strips and pieces then dip the them as you are going to use them after dipping put them on the shoe box cover the lid and bottom don't paper mache them together. Take the yarn cut off a long cut. Glue the center on the bottom of the box in the center. Than the two lose ends and glue them to the bottom a little over from the other. This makes handles.

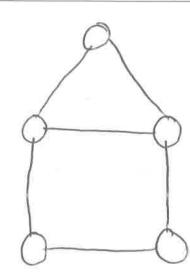
This project makes a box for kids to take stuff for them to do on car trips.

Pea Constructions

Things Needed:

Peas

Tooth picks



Stick toothpicks into the peas. You can make amazing constructions. Set aside to harden.

Pinwheel

Start with a square piece of paper draw an X from corner to corner. Cut from each corner half way to the center. Fold over every other point and tape or staple these points at the center. Push a thumb tack Though the center and eraser on a pencil. Blow on the Pinwheel or run.

Flute

Use the point of a pencil to poke holes in one side of a cardboard tube. Cover one side of the tube with wax paper Hold down with a rubber band. Hum into the uncovered end of the tube as you move your fingers over the holes.

Hula Dancer

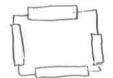
Cut out the bottom of a large paper bag. Draw a line about 3 inches from the top of the bag. Make long strips by cutting up to the line. Tape paper shoulder straps to the skirt band. Glue crumpled tissue paper to the shoulder straps for the flowers.

Bubbles

1 Cup liquid dish soap

gallon of water

Combine the two ingredients Use shallow pans and make things to form bubbles like coffee can lids cut out and make squares out of strings and straws.





Fun fans

Things needed:

Cardboard

Crayons or Magic markers

Scissors

Clear tape

Computer paper

Place your bare foot or hand on a piece of cardboard and draw around it. Cut out the shape and color both sides.

Roll a sheet of paper into a tight tube to make a handle. Type the tube closed. Tape one end of the tube to the fan and you are ready to keep cool on a hot day.

Chemical Clay

Things needed:

½ cup cornstarch

1 cup salt

3/4 cup water

cooking pot

pie tin or aluminum

mixing spoon

Mix 1 cup of salt and ½ cup of cornstarch in the cooking pot. Slowly stir ¾ cup of water, keep stirring until the mixture is smooth. Cook and stir the mixture over low heat until it's stiff, like mashed potatoes. It should take about 3 to 4 minutes, Spoon mixture in pie tin cool ten min. Then Press and squeeze it until it feels like clay. About 3 to 4 min.

Banner and gadget painting

Things needed:

Butcher paper

Paint brushes

Paint

Different gadgets

Cut off enough butcher paper to make a sign saying Cloverbuds and your clubs name. Write that on it. Then put the writing on. Get different kinds of paint color on plates then take the gadgets such as forks sponges fruit any thing you can find dip in the paint and stamp on the banner. You can also have the kids put there hand prints on it.

Pendulum Patterns

Things needed:

6" square of stiff paper

Sand or salt

String

Thumbtack

Dark paper

Scissors or a pin

Table top

Hole puncher

Glue

Fold paper to make triangle that again for a smaller triangle open to form a cone tape sides

Pierce it with a pin

Punch two one opposite side put string suspend from table top

Put colored paper under put sand in cone swing from center and release

Kaleidoscope Creator

Things Needed:

A shiny picture postcard

Tape

Colored Cellophane

White tissue paper

Scissors

Fold the postcard, with shiny side in lengthwise into three equal sections Tape the postcard so the seam dos not leak Cut small pieces of colored cellophane.

Cut two pieces of white tissue paper larger than the end of the tube Place the cut cellophane between the two pieces of tissue paper and tape around one end of the tube. You now have a kaleidoscopes hold up to the light and slowly spin it around.

One-Pulley Lift

Things Needed:

Thread spool wooden would be best

A wire Hanger

A pole suspended between two chairs

A small basket

10' of string or cord

Make a triangle with the hanger and thread the spool on the wire and close, than put it on the pole

Run the cord over the pulley suspended from the pole

Attach one end of the cord to the basket pull the other end and it makes the basket rise.

Fast growing grass

Things Needed:

A Sponge

Water

grass seed

A glass

A Saucer

Put some grass seed on a moist sponge cover with glass and leave in the sunlight for several days.

The glass acts as a greenhouse producing heat and water in a contained environment.

Scratchboard

Things needed:

Heavy, smooth white paper

Colored crayons

Black crayons

Large safety pin or Metal file

Cover areas of the paper with different colors of crayon.

Color over the entire paper with the black crayon, pressing hard.

When the entire paper is covered scratch away your design. You might want to put news paper down.

Compass Maker

Things Needed:

Strong magnet

A needle

Cork big enough to lay needle on

Thumbtack

Water

paperclip

Real compass

Colored nail polish

Stroke the needle along the magnet one way until it acts like a magnet and attracts the paper clip

Poke the thumb tack in to the bottom of the cork to keep it from it from tipping over.

Lay the cork in the bowl of water so it floats in the middle. Lay the needle so it is flat on the cork

Use the real compass to check which way your needle is pointing put a dab of nail polish at north.

Acid Rain

Things Needed:

2 small bowls 1 filled with water 1 filled with vinegar or lemon juice

2 pieces of new chalk

A ruler

Place the chalk in each of the bowls what happens Leave the bowls for 12 hours are there still bubbles Take the chalk pieces out and compare them. What happened.

Decoupage for a planter

Things Needed:

Clean Soup Can Paint Paintbrush Cup of water Paper towels Pictures or decal stickers Varnish Potting Soil Gravel Peel the label off the empty can Paint all around the can et it dry Glue pictures on the cans Varnish the entire can let it dry varnish again and allow it to dry completely Put gravel in the bottom of the can and then some soil Carefully put your plant into the planter and fill the sides and the bottom of the planter with soil. How can you move a big book with only I finger Things Needed: 1Big book 4 Pencil

Lay the pencils in rows under the book and roll the book forward. Pick up the last pencils and place it in the front of the book. This reduces friction between the book and the floor. Try rolling the book with one finger.

How can you blow up a balloon without blowing into it

Things Needed:

Large- Size plastic bottles empty with the cap off

Balloon

Bowl with very hot water

Blow up the balloon and let the air out Put the balloon over the top of the bottle

Put the bottle in the hot water the balloon will blow up.