WORLD BOX - 2011 - SWEDEN

Theme – Simply Scouting

Activity - Make a Gnome

What you need

- Carboard Tubes (Kitchen Roll etc.)
- Coloured Paper
- Pom Poms
- Wool
- Glue
- Scissors

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- 1. Cut cardboard tubes into varying lengths to produce gnomes of different heights. Cover them with coloured paper.
- 2. Roll white paper into a cone and secure with glue or tape. Trim the open end straight.
- 3. To make the beard, wrap wool around your four fingers 10-12 times. Cut a piece of wool about 6 inches long and thread it through the centre of the looped wool. Tie in a knot then cut the loops.
- Trim the beard to make the strands a bit more even then glue it to the top of the cardboard tube. Glue it so that the wool knot is resting above the top of the tube. This will make it easier to get the hat over it.
- 5. Glue the hat over the beard.
- 6. Glue a pom pom to the top of the beard where it meets the hat.
- 7. Let everything dry completely. When dry, the final step is to carefully bend the hats a little to give them some character. You can skip this step and stick with straight caps if you like

Reflection:

Gnomes are known as symbols of good luck. Originally, gnomes were thought to provide protection, especially of buried treasure and minerals in the ground.

You could use your home-made Gnome as a good luck gift for a friend or to mark your own buried treasure!

Safety Notes:

Scissors / Sharp Objects: Supervise young people appropriately when they're using scissors. Store all sharp objects securely, out of the reach of young people.

Glue and Solvents: Supervise young people appropriately when they're using glue and solvent products. Make sure there's plenty of ventilation. Be aware of any medical conditions which could be affected by glue or solvent use and make adjustments as needed.



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