

OPERATION: DETERMINATION

Activity Summary

This is an exercise that can be incorporated to an online evening meeting which can later be expanded to the youth members personal progression at home. The aim, is to meet online and field ideas together for some goals to be created. Goals can be things such as “I plan to complete the Everest challenge”, “I plan to cycle the length of Ireland”, “I plan to learn how to cook 10 dinners and 5 desserts from scratch”, etc..

You must agree a timeline in your section so as goals can be tailored to suit this. It can be one month goals, one year, or a time suited better to your group/section plans.

Rationale

To continue a scouting program while at home and within current restrictions. This plan can be geared towards collectively getting healthier, or collectively working on a scout adventure skill, or simply a mix & mash of all things and a review at a later date.

Activity Components / Equipment

Online meeting platform

Link to PPS

Covering aspects of the SPICES, and working on personal progression.

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Activity Resources & Help

- This activity can be adapted to youth and adults working together by having your Adult Scouter team take on goals also. They can be staggered in difficulty and leaders tackling this goal could provide training plans/recipes/etc for youth members to follow weekly.
- A challenge that is widely used within Scouting is the 'Everest Challenge'. For those who have not heard or used this; members would track their hills and mountains climbed and add the height of each one climbed onto each other until reaching the exact height of Mount Everest. This can be tailored to members areas such as covering a distance instead if there are no available hills/mountains nearby or they can tackle the height using their staircase for the first while.