



The Beaver Scouts 50 Challenge marks the 50th Anniversary of Beaver Scouting officially starting in Ireland.

To celebrate here are 50 suggested activities for Beaver Scouts to complete. Any of the activities can be adjusted or changed to accommodate the individual needs of a Beaver Scout.

The Beaver Scouts 50 Challenge will help Beaver Scouts advance in their Bree, Ruarc, and Conn Badges and can be used as inspiration for planning at a Log Chew.





FIONN's challenges

- Take part in a Lodge Chew
- Help cook a meal with your lodge
- Design and make a sign or flag for your Lodge
- Exchange postcards with another Beaver Scout Colony
- Attend a County Event
- Learn some sign language
- Know how to contact the emergency services
- Go on a Colony trip to the cinema or a theatre
- Find out why all Scouts greet each other with a left handshake.



ZENA's challenges

- Go on a hike
- Earn an Adventure Special Interest Badge
- Learn how to make and follow tracking signs
- Make a trail mix that everyone can eat on a hike*
- Spend a night on camp
- Build a simple shelter
- Go on a Shoreside Safari
- Learn about the importance of a personal flotation device



MOON's challenges

- Do three jobs at home that you don't usually do
- Make a personal First Aid kit
- Draw one of the characters from the Fox Patrol
- Make cupcakes for 50 years of Beaver Scouting
- Watch a film, such as Inside Out, Paddington, or Moana
- Afterwards talk about the movie, what was it about?
- Make a list of ways to be friendly to a person who is new in your area and try them out.



CASPER's challenges

- Take part in a campfire
- Make a bird feeder or an insect hotel
- Take part in a Beaver Scouts' Own
- Help plant a tree
- Learn about Leave No Trace
- Make a model Beaver lodge
- Go on a stargazing hike
- Find out about wetlands and how we can protect them
- Take part in a clean-up of a beach, river, or forest



STAR's challenges

- With another Beaver Scout, run a game for your Lodge
- Earn a Skills Special Interest Badge
- Tie the basic knots I need for pioneering
- Teach another Beaver Scout a skill that you are good at
- Draw/paint three pictures using different methods
- Make a small parachute using a piece of light fabric & string
- Point out and name the main features of a map
- Tie the basic knots I need for pioneering
- Show where the bow and stern are in a kayak or boat



SPIKE's challenges

- Get invested or renew your Beaver Scout Promise
- Know how to roll and fold your neckerchief
- Help to tidy up at the end of a meeting or activity
- Make a good deed jar
- Tell a story or draw a cartoon about an imaginary hero for your community.
- Visit a historical location with your Lodge
- Know how to keep safe at a Swimming Pool
- Earn a Community Special Interest Badge

