

QUALITY CHAPTER MEETING
Number 13—Dive-In Movie

Background: Build the ties of Brotherhood within your chapter by hosting a Dive-In Movie. This combines two favorites of Scouts: movies and swimming!

Meeting resources: This chapter meeting will require a swimming pool, video player, video projector, and a screen or wall on which to project the movie. Food, drinks, and changing areas will also be necessary. For extra fun, provide pool toys and rafts.

Meeting Content: Set up a video player and projector near a swimming pool. Project the movie onto a screen or side of a nearby building. Have your Brothers watch the movie from the pool or pool deck. To better prepare yourself and your officers consider the following:

- ♦ Ensure BSA Safe Swim Defense is followed. All swimmers should have a swim test, a swim buddy, and supervision from a lifeguard.
- ♦ Show a movie that is rated appropriately for all Brothers in attendance.
- ♦ Consider starting your Dive-In Movie night with competitive water games. Team competition will encourage new chapter members to meet each other and everyone to work together.
- ♦ A movie that is aquatic-related adds a spark of fun. Be creative!
- ♦ Have tasty food on hand for hungry Scouts. Pizza and swimming go great together, but avoid cramps!
- ♦ Invite other chapters to participate.
- ♦ Consider opening the pool thirty minutes early and having a merit badge counselor onsite for those wishing to work on the swimming merit badge.