

Welsh Challenge



This Welsh Challenge is for all sections. It can be completed as either the whole unit or in sixes/patrols. To gain the challenge badge you will be required to complete clauses 1, 2 and 3 plus two others of your choice.

For Brownies completion of clauses 1, 2 and 3 covers the Culture badge and for Guides 1, 2 and 3 covers parts of the Culture badge.

The challenge for all our adult Members is slightly different and we hope to heighten awareness of our Welsh Training and Activity Centre, Broneirion. To complete the challenge adults will need to complete two challenges of their choice and one extra challenge which is connected to Broneirion.



1. Hold a Welsh evening to include crafts, dance and songs.
2. Make a Welsh hat.
3. Have a Dragon evening and make your own dragon (template included).
4. Grow your own leek.
5. Play a daffodil drive game (template included).
6. Make a love spoon.
7. Build a castle using recycled materials.



If your Brownies complete clauses 1, 2, and 3 they will be able to receive their Culture interest badge.

1. Find out about the history of your own Brownie Pack, and make a display of your findings.
2. Visit your local museum or library to find out the history of where you live.
3. Cook a traditional Welsh dish e.g. Welsh Cakes, Cawl or Bara Brith.
4. Hold your own Eisteddfod.
5. Each six to make up a local picture quiz and challenge another six to complete it.
6. Find out about a Welsh Saint for example St. Dwynwen.
7. Make a collage depicting a scene from your county.



1. Find out about a local legend and present it in an interesting way e.g. cartoon strip, play or video.
2. As a unit take part in an Eisteddfod and crown your own Bard.
3. Make a time line of local historical events and display.
4. With your patrol make up a neighbourhood trail/quiz concentrating on local heritage.
5. Cook a traditional Welsh meal on either an open fire or a portable stove.
6. Interview a member of your community who can tell you about life in your area. Record the interview on tape or video.
7. Make up a coat of arms representing your local area and explain its significance.



SENIOR SECTION

1. Find out about your county's coat of arms and what it signifies.
2. Wales is famous for its Coracles, either build a mini coracle or paddle a real coracle on a river.
3. Collect as many traditional Welsh recipes and compile them into a book. The completed recipe book will need to be submitted to your County Commissioner and will then be collated with submissions from around Wales to produce a Welsh recipe book to be sold at Broneirion.
4. Find out about local and national youth councils, parliaments or forums which give young people a voice in Wales.
5. Make a love spoon and find out the meanings behind the symbols.
6. Interview an unsung hero from your local community and make a feature for your local newspaper.
7. Within your counties hold a 7 a side/tag rugby tournament.



ADULT LEADERS/UNIT HELPERS/TREFOIL GUILD

1. Put together “An Evening in a Bag”. This is to include a plan of a meeting, as well as items such as resources needed, songs, stories, list of craft items and templates. The theme of the evening should be either a Welsh evening or based on the Culture badges.
2. Guiding beyond your meeting place. Critique a place that you wish to visit/or have visited with a certain section.
3. International/Thinking Day - put together an activity that would be suitable for a particular section that promotes worldwide Guiding.
4. Put together a theme for a pack holiday/guide holiday with details of names for sixes/patrols, proposed activities, craft ideas etc.
5. The girls in your units have worked hard to complete their challenges, put on a show and tell night for the parents for them to experience what your girls have achieved. Make this into a fundraising exercise with proceeds going towards the upkeep of Broneirion.
6. Not everyone has been able to visit Broneirion. Either take your unit or find a way of getting as many adults to Broneirion who have never been before.
7. We need to support Broneirion to ensure that it is there for us in the future. Think of new and exciting ways that we can raise money for Broneirion.



WELSH CHALLENGE BADGE ORDER

I would like to order Badges at £1 each plus postage and packing.

For orders up to 20 badges, please add £1.00 postage and packing.
For orders for 20 - 50 badges, please add £2.00 postage and packing.
For order 50-200 badges, please add £3.00 postage and packing.

I enclose a cheque for £ made payable to "Broneirion Ltd"

Signed Date

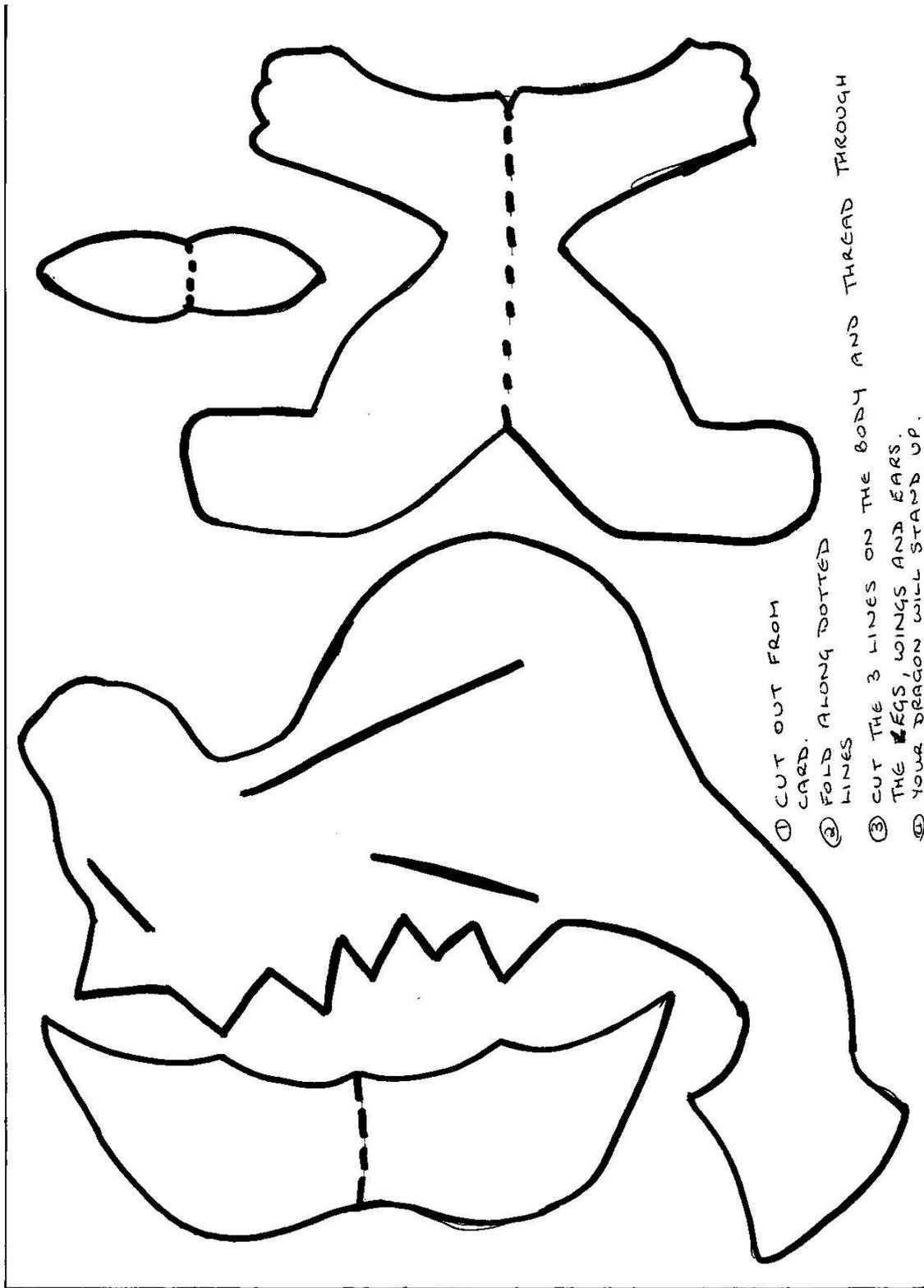
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Name of Guider

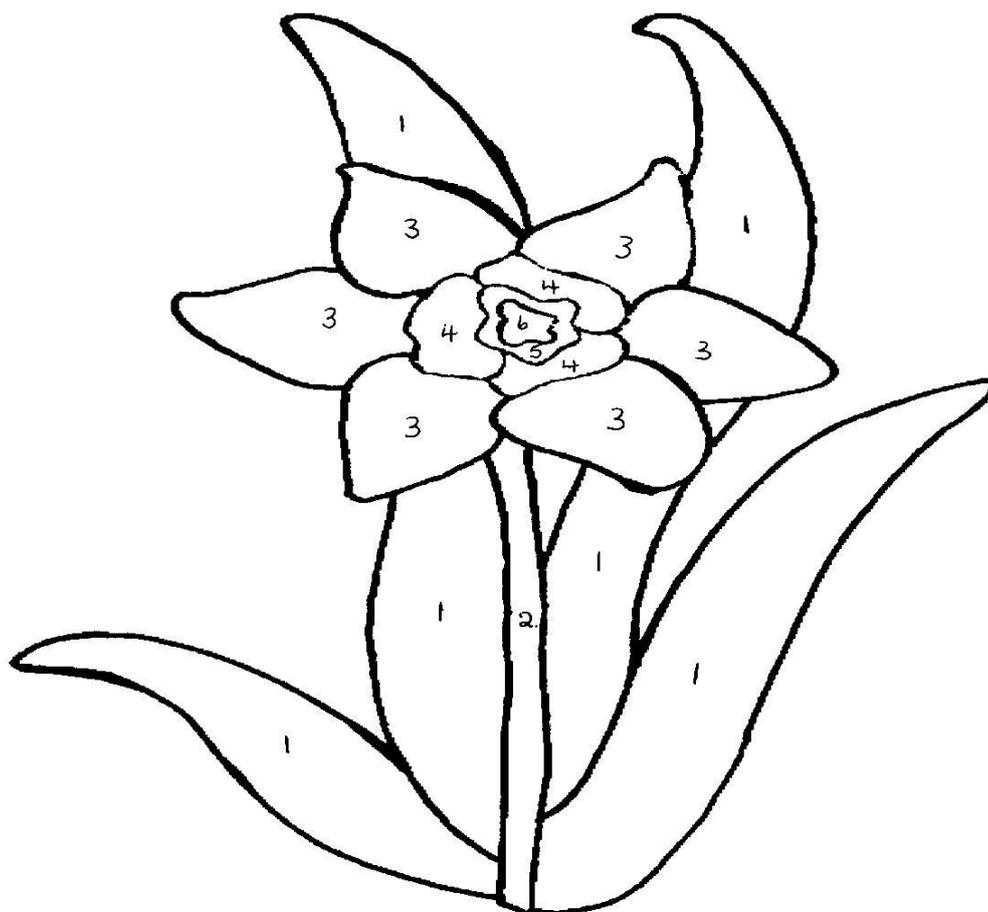
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- ① CUT OUT FROM CARD.
- ② FOLD ALONG DOTTED LINES
- ③ CUT THE 3 LINES ON THE BODY AND THREAD THROUGH THE LEGS, WINGS AND EARS.
- ④ YOUR DRAGON WILL STAND UP.



Equipment needed.

Dice and picture for each group. Assorted coloured pencils/crayons/felts

To play, where there are more than one leaf/petal you will need to throw the same number on the dice for each leaf/petal i.e. 4 leaves you will need to throw 1 four times.

1 = colour each leaf in green

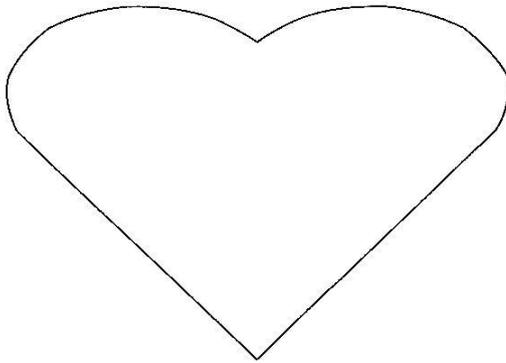
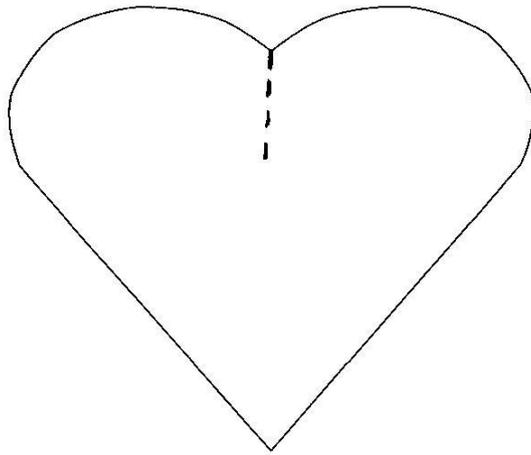
2 = colour the stem in a darker green

3 = colour the outer petals bright yellow

4 = colour the next layer of leaves darker yellow

5 = colour the next layer dark orange

6 = colour the inner layer bright orange



Equipment needed

2 hearts one larger than the other

1 lollypop stick

Cut out 2 hearts in card the larger is for the bowl of the spoon and the smaller the top of the spoon. Decorate both of the hearts and the lollypop stick.

Cut along the dotted line and fold one edge behind the other to make the bowl shape on the larger heart.

Glue both of the hearts onto the lollypop stick.