



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF LARIMER COUNTY

Cardboard Aliens

Supplies: cardboard tube (toilet paper/paper towel rolls, construction paper, black and white craft paper, colored pom poms (optional), googly eyes, pipe cleaners, glue and scissors



Activity:

1. Cut a wide strip of colored craft paper, so that the width is the same as the length of the cardboard tube. Cut out more shapes, to make the ears and eyes. These are aliens, so don't worry about perfection!
2. At the same time, cut out teeth from white paper and stick on a black mouth.
3. Use glue to cover the cardboard tube with a wide strip of paper.
4. Stick the googly eyes on the eye circles. Go for large googly eyes for a more alien-ish look.
5. Stick the pompoms on the pipe cleaners with glue to make the antennae.
6. Rinse and repeat to make more aliens in different colors!

Wall Ball

Supplies: Tennis ball, an empty wall

Activity: The object of the game is to last as long as possible!

All players start away from a wall, one has the ball. The game begins when the ball is thrown against the wall. Once the ball is in play, players must grab the ball and hit it against the wall without letting it hit the ground.

If the ball is dropped, it hits a player or if the ball hits the floor before the wall, the player who touched the ball last must run and touch the wall before a different player throws the ball onto the wall. If the ball hits the wall before the player hits it, they are out.

Last person wins!

Make A Game of It

Activity: Get your child to make and keep a diary or calendar to encourage them to begin to take responsibility for their own organisation and activities.

Get your child involved in a planning party. They can suggest a theme, who to invite, food, invitations and so on.