

## Program Ideas - October

### Underwater Investiture

#### *-Organise an Investiture with a difference-*

#### Learning Objectives:

##### Physical

- Do you appreciate that physical differences make society better?

##### Character

- Do you put the Promise and Law into practice?

#### Venture Scouts at **SUAS** phase:

- Decide on a timeline and dates for the ceremony.
- Working in your Crews find out more about the Scouting way of life, its practices and traditions.
- Understand the Aim of Scouting Ireland.
- Discuss with your Crew how the Scout Method works in your unit.
- Organise the ceremony, divide the tasks – location, transport, guest list, etc.
- Decide how to make the Promise underwater – learn to use Sign Language.
- Attend a safety briefing and introduction to SCUBA diving.
- Go Diving and become Venture Scout.
- Carry out a review session after the event.

#### Venture Scout at **TRASNA** phase:

- Welcome new members to the Unit, run an 'ice-breaker' night.
- Explain the Scout Method and how the Venture Scout unit works – the Venture Scout Executive, Crews, plan-do-review, etc.
- Contact a SCUBA training centre and explain the Units needs.





- Meet with the SCUBA instructor and agree how the ceremony will work and any safety issues.
- Arrange for a signing lesson to learn how to sign the promise.
- Organise the ceremony, include an after party celebration.
- Go Diving and invest the new members of your unit.
- Lead a review session after the event.

Special Interest Badges:

- Personal Skill
- Physical/Recreation

Web Resource: <http://irishdeafyouth.com/>  
<http://www.diveinnscluba.com/>

Video Link:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wockp2c4s7k>

