**RELATED ACTIVITIES**

**NO-POWER PARTY MIX**
Ingredients: cereal, pretzels, crackers, small candies, baggies

Oh, no! The power is out and you want a snack. It is best to leave the refrigerator closed to help food stay cold; the oven and microwave don't work. Grab a baggie, open up the pantry, and see what goodies you can find to make party mix. Put a couple of spoonfuls of different snack items into your bag, gently shake, and then munch and crunch until the lights come back on.

**GLOW STICK SCULPTURES**
Materials: thin glow sticks

In a typical tube of 20 glow sticks with connectors, see what you could build by connecting the glow sticks together. Construct away and then turn out the lights to see your masterpiece at its brightest!

**SILLY SHADOWS**

Turn out the lights and turn on a flashlight. What happens if you put your hand in front of the light? Have a family member shine the light several feet away from you while you make silly shadows in front of it. Can you make recognizable shapes, animals, or objects? Play a guessing game with the family.

**MEET THE NEIGHBORS**

Don't wait for the power to go off to do something fun with your neighbors! Organize a neighborhood night out. Ask each family to bring a light snack to share and a game to play.

**ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

**OTHER BOOKS BY JOHN ROCCO**

*Moonpowder* (2008)
*Super Hair-O and the Barber of Doom* (2013)
*Wolf! Wolf!* (2007)