

BEYOND THE BASICS FOR TROOP LEADERS AND ADVISORS

Troop leaders and advisors are encouraged to participate in training beyond the required grade level training. Beyond the Basics offers adults valuable information to enhance the experience they have with the girls in their groups. These classes are open to leaders of all age levels.

The New Girl Scout Leadership Experience Journey Updates

Did you miss the summer introductory session on GSUSA's new materials for volunteers and girls? If you did, here's your chance to see the great new Leadership Journey books and learn how to use them with your girls. They are created to help girls change the world! Join us to find out how to use the Discover, Connect, Take Action framework, not just with the new books, but with the ongoing Girl Scout materials you are using now. Get pointers on using the girl processes: girl led, cooperative learning and learning by doing. Find out about the new research on outcomes and indicators and what this means for you!

FEE \$0

COURSE	DAY	DATE	WHEN	WHERE
10	MONDAY	SEPTEMBER 22, 2008	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	RANCHO CORDOVA
11	TUESDAY	SEPTEMBER 23, 2008	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	MODESTO
12	WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 24, 2008	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	WOODLAND
13	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 25, 2008	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	MERCED
14	MONDAY	SEPTEMBER 29, 2008	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	TRACY
15	TUESDAY	SEPTEMBER 30, 2008	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	ROSEVILLE

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Successfully Involving Parents in Your Girl Scout Troop

A common challenge for all troop leaders and advisors is getting parents to volunteer within the troop. This professionally facilitated course will offer you reasons why leaders need parental support, information on how to successfully get parents involved, and effective strategies to increase adult involvement on all levels.

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COURSE	DAY	DATE	WHEN	WHERE
16	THURSDAY	OCTOBER 23, 2008	6:30 PM - 9:30 PM	RANCHO CORDOVA
17	TUESDAY	MARCH 31, 2009	6:30 PM - 9:30 PM	SACRAMENTO AREA

Project Wild/Project Aquatic Leader Training

Looking for fresh outdoor activities that will excite girls of any program level? Project Wild and Project Aquatic are environmental education and conservation programs that teach adults fun ways to explore the outside world with their girls. Each participant will receive the Project Wild and Project Aquatic K-12 Curriculum and Activity Guides containing more than 120 activities. These are great resources to use with your troop or with girls at Service Unit events. Wildlife investigated in these activities include: microscopic organisms, insects, spiders, birds, reptiles, fish, amphibians and mammals in the urban environment as well as natural surroundings.

FEE \$15.00

COURSE	DAY	DATE	WHEN	WHERE
18	SATURDAY	MARCH 21, 2009	9:00 AM - 4:00 PM	ELK GROVE

Positive Power

The Positive Power program provides girls with knowledge and experiences that will help them develop healthy relationship skills and avoid unhealthy, abusive relationships. Research shows that one in three girls will experience some type of relationship violence by their high school graduation. In this class, advisors of teen-aged girls will learn how to present materials on: recognizing verbal, emotional, physical and sexual abuse; protecting yourself, helping others plan for safety in relationships, the cycle of relationship violence, the stages of a healthy relationship, and how to take action to put Positive Power to work in your community.

FEE \$ 5.00

COURSE	DAY	DATE	WHEN	WHERE
19	MONDAY	DECEMBER 8, 2008	6:00 PM - 9:00 PM	RANCHO CORDOVA
20	TUESDAY	DECEMBER 9, 2008	6:00 PM - 9:00 PM	MODESTO

Archery Instructor

Participants will receive National Archery Association Level I Instructor certification, which is valid for three years. This course meets **Safety-Wise** standards for adult supervision of archery activities. Course enrollment is a maximum of 12 participants. Girls aged 16 and older may register for this class using the Individual Training Registration for Girl Scout Cadette, Senior and Ambassador form.

FEE \$30.00

COURSE	DAY	DATE	WHEN	WHERE
594	SATURDAY	SEPT. 27, 2008	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	CAMP MENZIES
595	SATURDAY	MAY 2, 2009	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	SACRAMENTO
596	SATURDAY	SEPT. 26, 2009	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	SACRAMENTO

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W.O.W. 2008

Come celebrate the Weekend of Workshops with friends, old and new! Enjoy workshops that will teach you a new craft or girl-centered activity; pamper yourself in a wonderful foothill setting; or just relax and have fun! To register for this fun-packed weekend, please use the W.O.W. registration form, available at your service unit leader meeting in August 2008. Event and registration information will also be available on the council Web site at www.girlscoutshcc.org. Financial assistance is not available for this event.

WHEN Friday, November 7, 2008 through Sunday, November 9, 2008

WHERE Fleming Lodge