



Canyon Crest Newsletter

SUPERGIRL Workshop

Create the Best World For Girls... Transitioning easily Grade school to Middle school... Middle School to High School

Sunday April 25th
11:30 - 3:30
Hilltop Park Big Room
Grades 5 - 8 Girls
Cost: \$3:00
Troop Checks Only

Program includes:

High Self Esteem
Who are you Really?
Best body Image
Exercise
Skin Consultant
Make Up Artist
High School or Middle School Pre
Time Management
Healthy Snacks,
Your Own Recycle Bag

sponsored by:
Senior Troop 8116
RSVP by April 1st to
Lisa K Miller
858-538-7542

Manager's Message

Hello Girl Scouts!

Our Spring Calendar is chock full of great events: with activities ranging from Nature Walks with Ann Fege to workshops and encampments, there is sure to be something for every girl. Be sure to check the website for any updates and of course, the Service Unit Meetings are definitely the best place to get information and turn in fees and forms!

Cookie season is in full swing! Thank you to Marjorie Deck, Janice Buonasissi and Laurie Haupt for helping Gina Webb with all things cookies. A huge and very special thank you to the Disser family who graciously opened their garage as our local cookie cupboard. Thank you Gina Webb for your many, many years in our Service Unit. You will definitely be missed! Next year, Gina Webb will be passing her cookie crown to Tina Castro. Thank you Tina for taking on that very important task!

With our membership renewal being online this year, we hope every troop will re-register early so we can take advantage of a discount on Encampment next year. We do need a new registrar for 2010-2011 and with most registrations being online, it should be even easier than it has

been in past years. Right now would be a great time to work with Tina to get the scoop on what the Registrar job entails.

Our May Recognitions Event is just around the corner. Molly Fuller and her committee are working hard to make this an exciting event. Remember this year, you get to spend your hard earned Service Unit bucks on fun auction items. Anyone can donate to the auction and that will earn you even more \$\$\$\$!

It is that time of year to think about what team positions you might like to take on and several team positions will need new faces next year. Please consider being a part of the engine that drives this Girl Scout Community. It is because of you that this Service Unit is one of the best in the county!

Thank you for all you do!
See you at the next meeting!
Alyssa



Sundance Daisy Troop 8913 earns their yellow petal



Recently these amazing Kindergarteners earned this petal through 2 much-needed charity programs...

First, they collected shoes for the people of Haiti. The girls collected a total of 6 bags of shoes.

Then, at the last meet-

ing we talked about helping out kids that live on the street that were hungry and need hygiene products. The girls at our last troop meeting my girls all brought in bags loaded with food and hygiene products. Nice job Troop 8913!



Animal Try-it / Badge



Troop 8457 will help you learn about and interact with animals! Play charades, learn how to take care of animals and more!!! This will help us earn our Bronze Award!

The workshop is free but please buy your own Try-it or Badge.

Don't worry, we will bring the workshop to your meeting.
Contact Sue Eskridge at seskridge@att.net

Cookie Stories....

My girls are both Girls Scouts (Loren-a brownie from Troop 8256) and (Faith-a Daisy from Troop 8811). We want to share a great cookie story with everyone!

I have forwarded her message to us describing her plan for taking Girl Scout cookies to touch the hearts of many young children who are thousands of miles from San Diego...

Every year for the last 7 years, my husband and I sent boxes of girl scout cookies to the unfortunate children in the Philippines. Obviously, we could not afford to support all of them but we tried to provide as

money allows. For the last seven years, we provided milk and cookies for 1st to 3rd grade students of an elementary school where I grew up. We also sent some girl scout cookies and milk to the school where our daughter attends (we are in process of adoption). This year, we wanted to try giving out girl scout cookies and milk to the children living in squatters and children who are not in school focusing only in one small town. I have two cousins who we placed in charge of distributing the milk and the cookies. I wish I have photos to show you of the children receiving milk and cookies. I will try to ask for some this year.

We know that we like to see children smile even for the little things. My husband and I plan to continue to provide milk and girl scout cookies to these children as long as we can.



Volunteer Awards

It's time to nominate a volunteer who has made a difference in your community or in your child's life for a council award for the 2009 calendar year. Recipients will be honored at the biggest volunteer party of the year--the Volunteer Celebration and Annual Meeting, Thursday evening, April 22, 2010. New and easy-to-follow nomination forms are located on our website in the Adult Recognitions-Council Award category. Application and endorsement deadline is February 28th.

The different council level awards available:

- o **Membership Numeral Guards** – all members are eligible! Presented in five-year increments. 15 years or more presented at VCAM
- o **Volunteer Years of Service Pin**- registered adults who have given volunteer service to Girl Scouting. Presented in five-year increments. 15 years or more presented at VCAM
- o **Appreciation pin**- outstanding service in one SU or program delivery audience
- o **Honor Pin** – outstanding service to at least two service unit areas
- o **Thanks Badge** – outstanding service and performance that benefits the entire council
- o **Thanks Badge II** – for a member who has already received the Thanks Badge
- o **Cookie Award** – SUCC's and Area Managers who have gone above and beyond their duties
- o **Courage Confidence Character** – Significant impact on council through volunteer service and leadership in a community project, as well as demonstrated leadership through service to service units, multiple troops or girl activities
- o **Friendship Award** – Superior service or assistance to our council by an individual, group/organization or business
- o **Family Award** – service rendered over a period of time by more than one family member that enhances the Girl Scout experience beyond the troop level

We all work with volunteers on a daily basis. It's time to recognize those who provide service “above and beyond” through our adult recognitions program. If you have a volunteer in mind, please contact your Recognitions Chair or Adina Veen. We can help you with the forms process to get them nominated! The deadline for nominations is February 28th.



Thinking about camp?



by: Katie Eskridge

“Going to resident camp and being a program aide is a lot of fun! At resident camp, I love learning new things like game and crafts. Also, meeting new people is always exciting. As a program aide, I get to work with girls of all ages. It is great to be looked up to as a role model. As an added bonus, I get to do many of the activities the girls get to do. Every summer since I was a Brownie, I have looked forward to going to resident camp and being a program aid. I can't wait to be a camp councilor!”

Sweet Shoppe Workshop:

Learn about candy and make some of your own!
Brownies: Make ice cream, fondue and candy bars!
Junior: Make Lollipops and fudge!
Cadette, Seniors and Ambassadors: Make chocolate candy and covered fruit and nuts!

By Troop 8220
Date and Time: Sunday, March 21st
Brownies at 12 PM, Juniors at 1:30 PM,
Older girls at 3 PM

Location: Hilltop Park
Cost (includes the patch)
\$8 for Brownies, \$10 for Juniors and Older Girls
Deadline to register is March 7th

Please e-mail Sue- seskridge@att.net to register



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