

Family Patch Program

Form Expires September 1, 2008

Purpose: The family patch program provides a unique opportunity to encourage and stimulate more family participation in Girl Scouts and their activities

Requirements: The program is to be completed by individual girls and their families, and approved by their leader. Family members may include parents, guardians, grandparents, aunts, uncles, sisters, brothers, etc. Girls and their family members may obtain this patch. The first year, girls earn the patch. The following years, after fulfilling the requirements, the girls earn a segment.

The family member must complete the starred (*) activity, plus seven (7) other activities to earn this patch.

The word "troop" used in the following activities refers to both troops and groups.

- _____ *1. The family member working with the girl to complete this patch must be registered with her troop. (If an adult has more than one girl in Girl Scouting, they should register with only one troop. The seven activities may be divided between sibling Girl Scouts. All sibling Girl Scouts are entitled to receive a patch when all eight activities have been completed and approved by one of the girls' troop leader.)

- _____ 2. a. Serve as a Troop Leader or Co-Leader (counts as two activities)

OR

b. Serve as Troop Cookie Manager (counts as two activities)
(only A or B may be checked, NOT both)

- _____ 3. Provide transportation for a troop outing and/or troop meeting.

- _____ 4. Share a skill, talent or hobby with the troop.

- _____ 5. Take part in a fun time program/event such as a Mom-n-Me, troop picnic or campout, Dad-n-Me, etc.

- _____ 6. Assist with paperwork or record keeping.

- _____ 7. Help with troop telephoning.

- _____ 8. Attend a special Girl Scout ceremony, such as an Investiture/Rededication, Court of Awards, Thinking Day Ceremony, special Flag Ceremony, etc.

- _____ 9. Attend a service unit meeting or adult education opportunity.

- _____ 10. Be involved in presenting one Brownie Try-It, Junior Badge, Interest Project Patch,

or Council Patch to the troop.

_____11. Care for the Leader's children during training or troop functions.

_____12. Make a contribution to the Council's Annual Giving program.

_____13. Participate in a troop family outdoor activity (For example: cookout, hike, or bike)

_____14. Be a chaperone at a Girl Scout event.

_____15. Do some kind of community service project with other girls and parents in the troop.

_____16. Your own troop's idea. Specify: _____

To be Completed by a Family Member:

Girl's Name: _____

Family Member's Name: _____

Please circle one: Daisy Brownie Junior Older Girl

Leader's Signature: _____ Troop # _____

Leader's Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Date patch completed: _____

Patches (first year) # of girl and /or siblings _____ X \$1.25 = \$ _____

Optional - 1 Patch for adult X \$1.25 = \$ _____

Stick Person Patch (after 1st year) for girls _____ X \$1.25 = \$ _____

Optional - 1 Patch for adult X \$1.25 = \$ _____

TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Leader: Mail completed form with money attached to:
Girl Scouts of NOARK Council
2080 E. Joyce Blvd
Fayetteville, AR 72703

Make checks payable to Girl Scouts of NOARK Council.