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# TROOP #33666 UPDATE

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September 10, 2017

## Thanks are due...

- Thank you Anastasia for meeting help, and the pictures
- Thank you Katie for the delicious snacks.

**Upcoming Events – Please see flyer for more details or Cody/Liz with questions. Sign up in purple events binder.**

**Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, Marsh Creek Clean-Up from 9-11am. Location TBA.**

**Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, S'more SWAPS Event from 2:15-4:15pm, \$6.50.**

**\*\*If your daughter would like to attend the SWAP Event, please bring \$6.50 cash or a check made out to Troop #33666 to secure her spot.**

## **FALL SALES TRAINING:**

**Michelle, our Fall Sales Manager, will be visiting our next meeting to train parents and girls about Fall Sales & to hand out product packets.**

**Please fill out both sides of the pink Annual Registration Form and Health History and return at our next meeting. They were sent home at the last meeting.**

## **Meeting #2: Make new friends**

We welcomed three potential new members at our last meeting. Hopefully our troop will be growing as the girls and their families decide to join in the journey.

We voted on a variety of things from food choices at Bridging to decisions about how to spend our troop money. All girls were included in decision making and voting.

We practiced the Law in partners but most of the girls will need more practice. Please have them do their best to memorize it by the next meeting as we will no longer be Daisies. I'd like the girls who are eligible to earn the Daisy which completes the last journey and allows them to earn the Daisy Summit pin. A copy of the Girl Scout Law was in the last newsletter and also inside the front cover of Daisy binder. (New troop members are not required to memorize the Law at this time.) We also practiced our parts for the Brownie Story which will be a part of Bridging. Scripts were sent home with the girls. Please ask the girls to bring their scripts to our next meeting.

We did not have a chance to vote on troop crest but we will at the next meeting.

## **NEW BADGES**

**Here's how the vote turned out\*:**

1. Cook (Snacks) - 11
2. Athlete (Fair Play) - 11
3. Artist (Painting) – 9
4. Citizen (Celebrating community) – 4
5. First Aid - 4
6. Naturalist (Bugs)- 0
7. Girl Scout Way - 3

**\*a few votes still need to be cast**

We will start with the Athlete/Fair Play badge which focuses on Title IX and accessibility to sports for women.

## Brownie Uniform Basics

We can buy uniforms at the KidsNCribs location in Dublin, at the GS Store in Alameda or San Jose or at [www.girlscoutshop.com](http://www.girlscoutshop.com) I'd be happy to gather orders and go to the Alameda store.

**Please do not affix the troop numbers to your daughter's Brownie vest/sash.** Brownies vote to choose a special troop crest. The crests will be purchased with troop funds. Crests will be given at Bridging.

If you'd like your daughter to try on a vest before you buy one, I have a Small that I'll bring to our next meeting.

New uniforms and books are not required until Bridging.

I'll be sending invites to Bridging via Facebook. Please RSVP with an approximate number of guests (don't count your girls) that you'll be bringing. The sign-up sheet for food donations will be posted in Snack Helper on our Shutterfly site.

For the ceremony, please have your girl wear her Daisy uniform and bring her Brownie vest on a hanger, preferably one that the hook of the hanger can be moved. Changing the uniform will be part of the ceremony for those who were Daisies.

## What's Happening??

**September 13th – Meet with Troop 33667 for Bridging “Up”, Garin Elementary, 5-6pm (NOT FOR NEW MEMBERS)**

**September 16<sup>th</sup> – Marsh Creek Clean-Up, location TBA, 9-11am**

**September 22<sup>nd</sup> – Girl Scout Meeting, Loma Vista MDR, 3:30 – 5pm**

**September 23<sup>rd</sup> , Fall Presales begin**

**September 24<sup>th</sup>, Bridging Ceremony, SunGold Park, 2:30-4:30pm**

**October 20<sup>th</sup> – Girl Scout Meeting, Loma Vista MDR, 3:30 – 5pm**

**October 27<sup>th</sup>– Juliette Gordon Low Birthday & Halloween party, 1209 Tartarian Court, 3:30 – 5pm**

**October 30<sup>th</sup> – Celebrate Juliette Gordon Low's birthday by wearing your uniform to school**

**New events highlighted yellow**