

November Activity Guide

Community Service

Meeting Outline:



Pledge and Promise:

Girls stand to say the Pledge of Allegiance, while one girl holds the American flag:

“I pledge allegiance to the flag
of the United States of America,
And to the republic for which it stands,
one nation under God,
Indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”

Have the girls remain standing for the Girl Scout Promise. Recite the promise aloud together as a group:

On my honor, I will try:
To serve God and my country,
To help people at all times,
And to live by the Girl Scout Law.



Service Activity:

Explain the importance of service to the girls by reading the following passage:

Girl Scouts has a rich history of empowering girls to help improve their communities. Since 1912, Girl Scout groups throughout the country have participated in community service projects addressing everything from caring for animals, baking for troops, serving senior citizens, to improving the environment. Sometimes being of service is being kind and sharing love with others. Today we are going to be of service to others by creating gratitude cards to give to someone special (identify who will be receiving the girls' cards).

Have the girls write a nice message to someone who may need uplifting words or a friend.

Have the girls use the supplies at their table to create a card using words and pictures as decoration.

When done, encourage the girls to share their creations with the group.

Supply list:

- Paper (cardstock)
- Markers/crayons
- Pencils
- Stickers
- Gems
- United States Flag

Meeting Prep:

- Identify a group/organization to receive cards.
- Place supplies on each table before the meeting begins.

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Sing the Friendship Circle Song:

Have the girls hold hands (right hand over left) in a circle.

Make new friends, but keep the old
One is silver and the other's gold
A circle is round, it has no end
That's how long I want to be your friend

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Allow for Q&A with the parents/dismissal

