Girl Scouts of Greater Los Angeles
Tournament of Roses Patch Program

“The Power of Hope”
131st Tournament of Roses Parade 2020

For: Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette, Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts

When: The Tournament of Roses Patch Program may be completed at any time, although many troops find it easiest to complete during the winter months.

Purpose: To introduce Girl Scouts to:
1. The Tournament of Roses Parade and the preparations required to make it happen.
2. The role of volunteers in the parade.
3. Related places of interest in Pasadena.

Program: The requirements for completing the patch program are listed on page 2.

Upon completion of the requirements, return the enclosed evaluation and patch order form with the Rose Parade Quiz to any Girl Scouts of Greater Los Angeles Service Center Store or Mail to: GSGLA, ATTN: Council Shop, 101 E. Wheeler Ave., Arcadia CA 91006.

Before you begin: Please keep in mind that this patch program was designed for the girls to do the research with your guidance. Try the local libraries for information on Tournament of Roses history. The Pasadena Central Library has great reference materials, including the Pasadena Centennial Room with many Tournament of Roses items. The library would be more than happy to provide your troop with a personalized tour to assist with the answers to the patch requirements. They even have Internet access to the Tournament of Roses website, which you may use. Reservations for library tours are required. Please call (626) 744-4052 to arrange a tour.

The Tournament House would appreciate us NOT calling them for information during their busiest time of the year (September through January). They will be happy to have you visit during the times indicated on the “requirements” page.

Questions: Contact Girl Scouts of Greater Los Angeles at (213) 213-0123.
Tournament of Roses Patch Program Requirements
“The Power of Hope”

All Age Levels Complete These Requirements:

1. Find out about the awards given to the floats being judged in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Parade. How are the floats judged? What are the guidelines used?
2. Develop a float idea based upon this year’s theme, “The Power of Hope,” and make a troop poster of your float.
3. As a troop, complete the Rose Parade Quiz after watching the parade on television or videotape.

Additional Activities:

Daisy and Brownie Girl Scouts: complete 2 additional activities
Junior Girl Scouts: complete 3 additional activities
Cadette Girl Scouts: complete 4 additional activities
Senior and Ambassador Scouts: complete 5 additional activities

1. View a float being built (a list of float builders is attached; remember there may be a charge for viewing). What are the stages involved in building a float? How do the floats move?
2. Interview a person who works on the floats. What is their background? What is his or her job or responsibility on the float?
3. Learn about the materials used to decorate a Rose Parade Float. Find out how many flowers are needed to decorate a float and where the flowers come from?
4. Find out about three women who were Grand Marshals. Who were they? What did they do? Find out three interesting facts about each.
5. Visit the float displays at Victory Park in Pasadena after the parade.
6. Tour the Tournament House in Pasadena (Thursdays only February through August). Arrangements can be made after February 1 by calling (626) 449-4100. Reservations are needed for groups of more than 25 people.
7. Visit the flower mart in downtown Los Angeles, Descanso Gardens in La Cañada, or the Los Angeles County Arboretum to discover the world of flowers.
8. Attend Bandfest at Pasadena City College, 1570 E. Colorado, Pasadena, dates and times on the Tournament of Roses website; or a high school or college marching band practice to discover the world of music.
9. Participate in the decoration of a float.
10. Find out how five other countries celebrate New Year’s Day. Ask parents, grandparents, teachers, etc. how their ancestors celebrated the New Year.
12. Has a Girl Scout ever been the Rose Queen? Or a Princess? If so, when and who?
13. Visit Equifest, the world of parade horses, dates and times TBA, usually held at the Los Angeles Equestrian Center, 480 Riverside Drive, Burbank.
Independent Float Builders
(in alphabetical order)

The companies listed in this section are building one or more floats for the Tournament of Roses Parade. If you would like to view floats being built or participate in float building, check the Tournament of Roses web page, or look for more information in your local newspaper. Please remember that Safety-Wise requirements must be met at all times, but the float builders may have a higher girl to adult ratio. All volunteer decorating opportunities are organized directly by the float builders and NOT Girl Scouts of Greater Los Angeles. Please contact the float builders listed below for volunteer information. GSGLA recommends contacting Fiesta Parade Floats as we have partnered with them successfully previously.

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<th>Builder Name and Phone</th>
<th>Business Address (not necessarily where floats are housed)</th>
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<td>Artistic Entertainment Service</td>
<td>120 N. Aspan Azusa, CA 91702</td>
<td>Volunteers must be 13 or older, 1 adult for every 8 girls.</td>
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<td>626/334 9388</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fiesta Parade Floats</td>
<td>P.O. Box 5417 Pasadena, CA 91117</td>
<td>Volunteers must be 13 or older, 1 adult for every 8 girls. Please contact Gloria Halfacre and Julie Miller 626-788-1828</td>
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<td>Phone: 626-788-1828 <a href="mailto:info@fiestaparadefloats.com">info@fiestaparadefloats.com</a></td>
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<td>Floatbuilders.com</td>
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<td>Phoenix Decorating</td>
<td>835 S. Raymond Ave. Pasadena, CA 91105</td>
<td>Volunteers must be 13 years old and up, 1 adult for every 6 girls.</td>
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<td>(626) 793-3174</td>
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<td>(626) 793-7187 fax</td>
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<td>Paradiso Parade Floats</td>
<td>16016 Avenida Padilla, Unit A Irwindale, CA 91702</td>
<td>Volunteers must be 14 years old and up, 1 adult for every 5 girls.</td>
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<td>Phone: (626) 864-3199 <a href="mailto:volunteers@paradisoparadefloats.com">volunteers@paradisoparadefloats.com</a></td>
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SELF BUILT FLOATS

Sierra Madre Rose Float Assoc.
587 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Sierra Madre, CA
(626) 355-7005

City of Burbank
Constructed & Decorated at:
Burbank Water and Power
123 W. Olive Avenue
Burbank, CA

City of South Pasadena
Constructed & Decorated at:
War Memorial Building
South Parking Lot
Fair Oaks Blvd. (N. of the Pasadena Freeway)

City of Downey
Float Site
13003 Erickson Avenue
Located on the back side of
Rancho Los Amigos Hospital
Downey, CA

City of La Canada
Constructed at:
Valley Water Company
4524 Hampton Road
La Cañada, CA

Cal Poly/Pomona/SLO
As of 12/26/07
Rose Bowl Parking Lot I
Brookside Tent