



2020 TOURNAMENT OF ROSES TROOP APPLICATION

Applications must be received at GSGLA Arcadia Service Center Offices by August 30, 2019

Attention: Deanne Moore

101 E. Wheeler Avenue

Arcadia, CA 91006

Please note, hard copy, original applications only, no fax copies will be accepted

Note: The 2019 \$135.00 Tournament Troop fees will be paid at the Parent Meeting / Orientation in October.

All Meetings are MANDATORY. Please see the attached information sheet for sample dates

Name: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Email: _____

Address: _____
Street City Zip

Age: _____ Grade: _____ Expected Date of Graduation _____

Blouse Size: _____ Skirt Size: _____

Troop # _____ Service Unit: _____

Leader's Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Have you received your Silver Award? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you received your Gold Award? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, when did you receive your Gold Award? _____

If no, are you working on an approved Gold Award Project ☐ Yes ☐ No

When are you expecting to receive your Gold Award Pin _____ (date)

Have you participated as a banner carrier in a previous Rose Parade?

☐ Yes If yes, when? _____ ☐ No



Why are you interested in becoming a member of the Tournament of Roses Troop?

List 3 experiences in Girl Scouting that have meant the most to you.

Girl Scouting helps build girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place. Please tell us about a time when you have helped to make the world a better place using either courage, confidence or character (chose one)

What inspired you to earn the Girl Scout Gold Award?

I have read the sample schedule and am available to attend events listed. I understand that the actual dates will be announced in early fall, 2019

Signature _____ Date _____

Please include with your application a picture of you in your Girl Scout uniform.



I have asked my leader to provide a letter of reference for me.

Reference must be submitted with application.

(If your mother is the leader, please ask another Girl Scout adult to write a reference for you)

Name of Leader _____

Troop # _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Address _____
Street City Zip



PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN(S) MUST COMPLETE:

I have read the attached information _____ has a clear understanding of her responsibilities and if selected for the Tournament of Roses Parade as a member of the Tournament Troop (Banner Carrier), she has my permission to participate, and I will ensure she attends all required rehearsals & meetings.

Signature _____ Date _____

Print Name _____ Phone _____





2020 Tournament of Roses Troop Girl Scout Participation Requirements and Expectations

The Tournament of Roses Parade is watched by over 47 million Americans, as well as millions of people in 220 territories around the world. GSGLA is seeking Girl Scouts who are proud of their heritage, and excited to serve as representatives for our Council.

Please note that the Tournament of Roses Committee has very strict regulations, which we are required to follow during our selection procedure. We appreciate your interest and are excited to be able to share this opportunity with you.

Only GSGLA Girl Scouts may apply to participate as:

Tournament Troop (Banner Carriers for award-winning floats) – These girls will carry the banners ahead of the award-winning floats. They must be a currently registered Senior or Ambassador Girl Scout who has earned her Gold Award by August 2019, or is currently a high school senior working on an approved Gold Award Project.

Other critical information:

- Selected participants must be able to attend practices, picture day, Elks' Breakfast, and parade day. See sample schedule below. *A schedule with exact dates will be provided at the Parents' Meeting & Orientation to be held in October 2019.*
- Selected participants must be available to attend the Scouting Reception to be held in November, 2019, at the Tournament House – Pasadena.
- Selected participants for the Tournament Troop must be able to walk 6 miles at parade pace. (Girl Scouts in a wheel chair must be able to proceed at this pace for the duration of the parade).
- Tournament Troop members must be able to carry 10-15 lbs. of weight.
- Participants must be prepared to represent GSGLA in uniform.
- Participants must have a media release & Health History Record on file with GSGLA.
- For health and safety, all participants must wear non-skid, sturdy black leather shoes that tie. (NO tennis shoes)
- Troop dues will be **\$135.00**, payable by all participants.
(If needed payment arrangements can be made; we are willing to work with families to make this an option for each and every girl)
Tournament of Roses Troop members are encouraged to sell commemorative pins to reimburse most of the cost of participation. Pins will be provided in December.





SAMPLE SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Dates and times are subject to change. Final schedule will be provided for those selected to participate.

August 30, 2019	2020 Tournament of Roses Troop Applications Due to GSGLA Arcadia Service Center
September 6, 2019	Appointment Letters for Interviews E-Mailed
September 21, 2019	Interviews at GSGLA Arcadia Service Center 9:00 AM – 12 NOON
October 4, 2019	Acceptance Letters E-Mailed
October 16, 2019	Parent/Troop Meeting & Orientation 7:00 p.m. San Marino High School 2701 Huntington Drive, San Marino, CA. 91108
November 2, 2019	Scouting Reception Tournament of Roses House (full uniform) 391 S. Orange Grove Blvd., Pasadena 91184
December 7, 2019	Parade Practice 7:00 a.m. San Marino High School
December 8, 2019	Arcadia Elks Club Breakfast (full uniform) 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Arcadia Elks Lodge 27 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia
December 14, 2019	Flag Practice & Group Photo Day 9:00 am - Tournament of Roses House 391 S. Orange Grove Blvd., Pasadena 91184 Holiday Party (following group photo) More info: TBA
December 21, 2019	Parade Practice 7:00 a.m. San Marino High School
December 18&19, 2019	Uniform Turn-In 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. GSGLA Arcadia Service Center 101 E. Wheeler Avenue; Arcadia, CA 91006
January 1, 2020	Parade Day - 3:00 am GSGLA Arcadia Service Center 101 E. Wheeler Avenue; Arcadia, CA 91006 (Breakfast at Tournament House) Approx. Time of return: 12:30 pm

