

# METRO 3 DATA

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## WELCOME BACK ! :-)

The **2005-2006 Program & Event Catalog** has arrived with all the programs planned for Girl Scouts of all ages this coming year. The 46 page catalog is where you will find the events and activities that you and/or your girls will want to participate in. The and other important information about Program. For girls 11-17 there's the **Lime Green Giraffe**, their magazine, with the activities and events for them. Be sure and register as soon as



ing offered by the Adult Ed Dept and our volunteer trainers. Check out my program calendar on page 4 to see those that I will be personally training and the description of who should take which classes on page 3. Lastly, remember I am 2005-2006 your very own resource, and I look forward to guiding you in this exciting new year.

allowable, so as to not be left out of the things your girls would like to do. Also new this year is the Year-long **Learning Opportunities** booklet. This will contain all the workshops be-

*-Terry*

## Girl Scout Day at Stone Mountain Park

Don't miss out on the fun at the 2nd **GIRL SCOUTS AT STONE MOUNTAIN Park** on Aug. 20, 2005. There are still some tickets available for this event but you have to act fast. This year's event will feature a "Swap Drop" and activities on the lawn before the

Laser Show. All-activity passes are \$14 each and are good for unlimited rides on most of the Stone Mountain attractions (see their website at [www.stonemountainpark.com](http://www.stonemountainpark.com) for pass details). To purchase



passes you must send in an Event Registration form, asap, for the number of tickets you want with full payment to the Atlanta Volunteer Service Center. For more information contact Terry at 404-527-7449 or [PSMetro3@girlscoutsnwga.org](mailto:PSMetro3@girlscoutsnwga.org)

## The Metro 3 Studio - news for 11-17s



Strong and Independent Leaders  
Our Girl Scout Program's Core Values

Remember something called **Halabalooza**? What's that? It's a Lock-in for girls in 6th grade and older that was planned by the STARZ East Planning Board but postponed till this year. Well, it is time to send in those registrations so that you don't miss out on the fun. The date has been postponed to **October 21-22, 2005 from 6:30 pm - 9 am**, in Rockdale County and costs only \$10 for a full night of fun. Send in your event registration form, accting. code 611, as soon as possible - space is limited. For more information contact Terry at 404-527-7448 or [PSMetro3@girlscoutsnwga.org](mailto:PSMetro3@girlscoutsnwga.org).

**WANTED GIRLS 14-17** to help

plan and run the **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Thriller Chiller Event at Timber Ridge**. This event is Halloween oriented for girls 11-13 years old. They will participate in activities planned by you during the day and by night the girls will visit the Haunted House and Haunted Trail designed by you. Your first meeting will be on August 28<sup>th</sup> from 12pm till 6pm to plan the event and put together supply lists. Your second meeting October 14-16<sup>th</sup> from 7pm Friday till 3pm Sunday, during the weekend you will be putting those plans into action by setting up the haunted trail and haunted house along with putting together the event schedule. The event weekends are October 21<sup>st</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>. You will be required to work at least one

of these weekends to ensure the event is just the way you planned it. Contact Kristi Fulford via email for more details! Email: [kfulford@girlscoutsnwga.org](mailto:kfulford@girlscoutsnwga.org)

Girls looking to earn their **Community Service Bar** have a unique opportunity to help out at the Volunteer Service Center. The Resource Center and the History Archives need help and girls can get the required 4 hours of training from them. The Resource Center needs help on Saturdays in Sept and October, between 9am and 1 pm. Girls 14- 17 can volunteer as individuals but girls 11-13 must be accompanied by a supervising adult. For more information contact Margaret at 404-527-7672 or **P r o g r a m m e r e -**

[sources@girlscoutsnwga.org](mailto:sources@girlscoutsnwga.org)

**From New York City**, comes a request for a local Cadette or Senior troop to "adopt" a group of 35 Cadettes & Seniors that will be traveling by bus to Atlanta for the National Convention in Oct. This group includes one of the oldest troops still active in the country and they are looking for fun places and free things to do while visiting. Interested troops should link up by email to make plans in advance and get to know each other. Contact Francina Wearing at [maude3333@aol.com](mailto:maude3333@aol.com) or 212-305-6741.

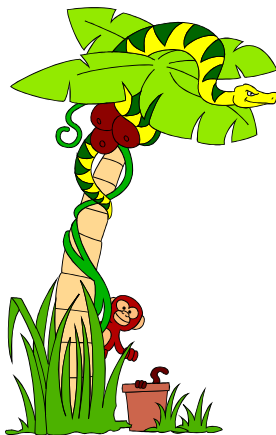
**HELP! Programs are in danger from a failure to find volunteers to help make them happen...**

I still need folks to step up and help me provide the quality programs I want to bring to our area.

Event Directors are needed for Dia de los Muertos, Taste of Girl Scouting, Junior Theater Badge, Brownie Art Try-It event, Thinking Day, Bounce into Brownies, and Jump Into Juniors. Event Directors are adults that will work directly with me to oversee and delegate the responsibilities for a

particular event. Perhaps your troop would like to "host" one of these for leadership? Perhaps the event is being staffed by STARZ? Then the event director may meet with the girls in their final planning stages. I am also looking for Advisors, 18-29 years old, for chaperones on Oct 22nd & 23rd and to work with my STARZ group Dance and Computer Clubs. Lastly, I am looking for Resource people for the Anti-Bully Challenge and the Silver Career event and a coordi-

nator for the Carlos Museum Patch Module. Volunteering on the Council level, can provide satisfaction, personal growth, experience and skills that could lead to rewards you can't yet imagine. As an added benefit, you get to work more closely with me. Let me know as soon as possible and help me get the new year off to a great start.



## Annual Leader Weekend Set for January

**Jungle Fever...It's Contagious!** The Annual Leader Weekend is scheduled for Jan. 20-22, 2006 at Camp Misty Mountain. This weekend offers something for everyone, new leaders and those green blooded, dyed in the wool, long time Girl Scout adults.

Look for registration forms in October or online at <http://3leaves.org/dcnr2006>.

Committee members are still needed to help make decisions and carry out our plans. Next meeting is on Aug 25th at 7 pm at the Council Office in Atl. For more info, email LiAnne Griffin at [Lianne.Griffin@bellsouth.com](mailto:Lianne.Griffin@bellsouth.com)

# The FYI - News You Gotta Know

-There's still "bring your own tent" space available at Mountain Jubilee. It is held at Camp Misty Mountain September 9-11, 16-18, 23-25, September 30 - October 2. . You can get an applica-



tion from the web at <http://www.girlscoutsnwga.org/> go to camping then Mountain Jubilee to download an application. For more information contact Rose Maina for more information 678-420-2692 or [campregistrar@girlscoutsnwga.org](mailto:campregistrar@girlscoutsnwga.org)

-There is a request for GS volunteers for the local breast cancer walk...Atlanta 2 Day Walk for Breast Cancer...taking place near the Hilton in Norcross on Sept. 17-18, 2005. If interested please see the website at [www.2daywalk.org](http://www.2daywalk.org)

and scroll down to click on the GS link to see details OR

follow the link: <http://www.donish.com/a2dgs.htm>.

- **Pen Pals Wanted!** The first pen-pal request is from a Brownie troop of 18 girls (primarily 8 year olds) in the Central California area. They are looking for pen-pals from any other state to correspond with and if interested please contact Rachel Portillo, Program Specialist; Girl Scouts Golden Valley Council; 559-291-5078 ext. 21 or [rportillo@girlscoutgvc.org](mailto:rportillo@girlscoutgvc.org).

The second request comes from Wisconsin, specifically looking for

some Georgia, 3rd grade Brownies. This contact person is Emily Hesper; Girl Scouts of Riverland Council; 1- 800 - 787 - 2688 ext. 305 or [emily-hesper@centurytel.net](mailto:emily-hesper@centurytel.net).

The **50th National Convention** is coming to Atlanta in October and over 10,000 Girl Scouts will be here to conduct the business of Girl Scouts. It will be a time of celebrating Girl Scouting with an Exhibit Hall of displays, activities, and vendors of Girl Scout items. To commemorate this great occasion there is a **new patch module the "50th National Council Meeting Patch Project**. Girls and Adults of all ages can earn the patch, available for purchase at the Badge & Sash, by completing the 5 simple requirements listed in the patch module booklet available at the Volunteer Service Center.



## Learning Opps Workshop Changes

Here's the inside scoop on the changes with trainings for this year. First of all, our basic trainings have been revamped and renamed. HGG-I has been renamed Basic Leader Training and contains much more useful information for our new leaders. Then HGG-II trainings have been renamed for what they are - Daisy Leader, Brownie Leader, Junior Leader and 11-17's Advisor training. Also workshops for girls 11-17 have some changes! Dream Chasers, a goal setting workshop,

is designed for girls and adults. It is not recommended for adults to take it without some of their girls present. Patrol Leader workshop is also for girls, Juniors and older, to learn to manage their meetings and activities and to use their "girls' voices" to get things done. The Planning Events Beyond the troop workshop has been updated and all Service Unit Event Directors will have to have taken it before they can plan their events. Lastly, the Silver & Gold workshops are designed for the

girls to attend. Due to the high cost of the Silver and Gold trainings, we will now be charging \$5.00 for these workshops. The \$5.00 covers the expense of the workbook, a valuable tool for girls. Adults may also pay \$5.00 to purchase a workbook but you must send the money in with your registration in order to receive these workbooks at the workshop you are attending. If you decide to purchase one later you will need to do this through the council office.

**Learning Opportunities workshops help us "Be Prepared" (the Girl Scout Motto)**

## TLC CORNER... Do you care enough?

Do you work with new leaders? Do you have the knowledge and experience to mentor someone in your Service Unit to help them through the troop year? Then I need you. Although in the Service Units, there are many names for this kind of "Angel," at the Council we call them TLCs or Troop Leader Coaches. It doesn't matter what name we use, the important part is that new leaders in every Service Unit have someone that will reach out to them and make sure they find out what is going on

around them. The major requirement is that YOU CARE enough to call and keep in touch with them. This year these mentors will be on MY team as well and have access to the latest of information once they have registered with me at the **DCNR TLC Reception on Aug. 7 from 1-4 pm**. At this meeting, from 1-4 p.m, you will enter your personal information into the data base and be updated with the latest information. The Reception is also an excellent opportunity to network

with others just like you around our area, to share ideas and suggestions. Service Unit Directors should email me, the contact info for their team asap, ([PSMetro3@girlscoutsnwga.org](mailto:PSMetro3@girlscoutsnwga.org)) Metro 1's training will be on 9/17 if you miss ours and mark your calendars for the Conference on Jan 14th. So...do YOU care enough...I hope so, and hope to hear from you soon.



TLCs are "Green Angels"

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[www.girlscoutsnwga.org](http://www.girlscoutsnwga.org)  
[www.studio2b.org](http://www.studio2b.org)



## 2005-6 DCNR Program Calendar

DCNR DATA is online.  
Look for issues posted on the Three  
leaves Service Unit website.

The URL is:

<http://www.3leaves.org/dcnrnews/>

The April and May, 2005 issues are  
there now and August should be  
posted soon.

### DATE

### EVENT

Aug 7 - TLC Reception & Info Mtg.	
Aug 21, '05 Stone Mountain Spring Reward (all ages)	
Aug 28 - 18-29's Pot Luck Picnic	
Sept. 8 Mix It Up Info Meeting for Nov event	
Sept 9 (eve) Patrol Leader Workshop - Rockdale Cty	
Sept. 10 Silver & Gold Workshops - Rockdale Cty.	
Sept 11 Dream Chaser Workshop - Rockdale Cty.	
Sept. 18 - D.I.G. Dance Club - DeKalb Cty. (1st mtg.)	
Sept 24 - Taste of GSing - in Rockdale/Newton	
Sept 25 - 18-29's Investiture/Rededication Day	
Oct. 14 - Patrol Leader Workshop - Clayton	
Oct. 15 - Silver & Gold Wksps - Clayton	
Oct 16 - Dream Chaser Wksp - Clayton	
Oct. 21-22 Halabalooza Lock-in (6th grade +)	
Oct. 22 All Around Atlanta (6th grade +)	
Oct. 23 Junior Badge @ Carlos Museum (Emory)	
Oct 30 Dia de los Muertos-Juliette Low Celebration	
Nov 5 or 6 Science Discovery at Fernbank Museum	
Nov. 15 - Girls Go Tech - DCNR Computer Club(1st mtg)	
Nov 15 - Mix It Up at Lunch	
Dec 4 - Mix It Up - Anti-Bully Challenge	
	Jan 20-22 DCNR Leader Retreat - Misty Mtn.
	Jan 28/29 Junior Theater Badge/Brownie Try-it in Rockdale County
	Feb 3 - Patrol Leader Workshop - DeKalb/VSC
	Feb 4 - Silver & Gold Wksps - DeKalb/VSC
	Feb 5 - Dream Chaser Wksp - DeKalb/VSC
	Feb 11-12th DCNR Madness Overnight (VCS) (bridging Jrs.)
	Feb 18-19 18-29s Connecting Conference
	Feb 26th Thinking Day - Rockdale County.
	March 12 Silver Award Career Event (VSC)
	March 18 or 19 Fernbank Museum Try-it Day
	March 26 Jump into Juniors (bridging Brownies)
	April 23 Bounce into Brownies (fka Daisy Daze)
	May (tentative) Art Adventure Patch @ Carlos Museum
	Spring'06 (tentative) Fernbank Patch Event
	May TBA- Bridging Ceremony in Rockdale