

2016-17 Leadership Program Updates

NEW

- **PROGRAM AIDE**
 - New & improved Program Aide Training—only 3.5 hours long! Plus an all new workbook and other training materials.
 - Pilot Program: PA To Go. Coming soon.... volunteers will be able to check out the resources and deliver the Program Aide Training to their girls on their schedule. More details to come.
- **SILVER AWARD**
 - Redesigned Silver Award Workshop materials and a more interactive workshop will allow girls and leaders to feel confident as they pursue the award. Plus, updates to Silver Award page on our website and Silver Award Final Report eForm.
- **GOLD AWARD**
 - Exciting new Gold Award Workshop experience and workshop materials. Girls and leaders will enjoy an intuitive and resourceful new workbook as well as a streamlined and insightful workshop PowerPoint. The new resources clearly define objectives of earning the Gold Award, including how to create a Gold Award Take Action caliber project.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- **Program Aide** - the LiA is the prerequisite to earning the Cadette Program Aide Award (pin). Please refer to your Cadette Journey Book for details on how to earn this award.
- **Girls interested in being a PA at day camp** should consult with the Camp Director for any relevant deadlines (ie. date PA Training must be completed by, application deadline, etc.)
- **Although Senior/Ambassador Girl Scouts cannot earn the Program Aide Award**, they can still take the Program Aide Training to be qualified to work as a PA at camps/programs/etc.
- **Cadette Girl Scouts, grades 6-8, may earn the Silver Award.** Girls must complete one Cadette Journey (including Take Action project) as the prerequisite prior to beginning work on their 50 hour Silver Award Take Action Project. When complete, each girl submits her own Silver Award Final Report eform.
- **Senior & Ambassador Girl Scouts, grades 9-12, may earn the Gold Award.** Girls must complete either two Sr./Amb. Journeys (including Take Action projects) or one Journey and the Silver Award. Girls must attend a GSGLA Gold Award Workshop, create a proposal on GoGold Online, be interviewed, and approved prior to starting work on a project. Projects must be 80 hours and last a min. of 3-months.
 - Incomplete Proposals and Final Reports WILL NOT receive an interview; all attachments must be uploaded at time of submission, no exceptions will be made.