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Saturday, January 20, 2018
Calling all 7th -12th Grade Girls!!!!!

Dear Girl Scouts,

The Discoveree 2018 Planning Committee will be accepting applications for qualified Girl Scouts in grades 7-12 to assist at this day-long adult training event, to be held on Saturday, January 20, 2018 at César Chávez Middle School in Union City. This is an excellent opportunity to earn service hours.

In an effort to match individual Girl Scouts' skills and talents with workshop leaders whose needs are similar, we ask that you complete an application and indicate your strengths and skills. The Committee makes no guarantee that individuals will be assigned to help in a specific workshop, however. This is a *service project* and a great deal of your time will be spent getting workshop leaders and their equipment to and from their classrooms. You may have some "quiet time", so you may wish to bring homework projects, a book, or something else to occupy your time. This is also a great opportunity to meet other Girl Scouts, make new friends, share goals, and learn about one another's activities and interests.

Please fill out the attached application and return it with a recent photo and a letter of recommendation from your troop leader **by January 5, 2018.** You will be notified of the date and time of your interview. We will conduct interviews by phone. All new AND returning Assistants must participate in a phone interview in order to be considered for the Assistant position, even if you have been requested by a specific Workshop Leader to help solely in his/her workshop(s).

It is very important that a parent/guardian be available to talk to the Discoveree Committee member conducting the phone interview so he/she is fully aware of the expectations and rewards of being an Assistant at Discoveree 2018.

Mail or email your application, photo and letter of recommendation **by January 5, 2018** OR if you have any questions, please contact:

> Elizabeth Cox
> 510-910-5744
> LibbyCox510@gmail.com
>
> 2965 Meridien Cir.
> Union City, CA 94587

All communication regarding being a Discoveree Assistant must come from the interested girl. Contact from parents/adults will not be accepted. This is an opportunity for girls to prove their maturity in handling all communication regarding the event. We understand that girls have busy lives, but it is also an opportunity for them to grow in their ability to apply, interview and communicate with adults regarding a service project "job". It will help them to develop important skills for later in life.

We look forward to sharing this exciting opportunity with you.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth Cox, Discoveree Assistant Coordinator
Discoveree 2018 Planning Committee

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Discoveree Assistants Application
To be returned by January 6, 2017

Date of Application _____   e-mail _____

Name   _____   Phone _____

Street Address _____

City   _____   Zip _____

Troop/Group #_____   Grade _____   # Years in Girl Scouts _____

Leader's Name   _____   Leader's Phone _____

_____ I am in grades 9-12 and am interested in attending the Gold Award Training (**MUST** submit Discoveree registration paperwork as well, but indicate you have applied to be a Discoveree Assistant) I registered for Gold Award Training Session # _____

1. Please share some of your most positive experiences in Girl Scouts, i.e. interest projects, leadership and community service, day camps, mentoring, etc.

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2. Please indicate any special skills or experiences you have to offer workshop leaders, i.e. camping/outdoor skills, games, ceremonies, song leading, crafts, etc.

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3. Have you previously assisted at Discoveree ? _____   **If not, please skip to item 4.**

3a. If yes, when? _____   3b. Did you enjoy the experience? _____

3c. What, if anything, would you like to see changed/improved in how Assistants assist with

Discoveree? _____

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4. Please attach a recent photo and submit a letter of recommendation from your troop leader with this application.

Note: If a specific workshop leader has asked you to assist him/her in their workshop(s) please print their name here: _____
The workshop leader will need to communicate this request directly to the Assistants Coordinator prior to your assignment to a specific workshop leader.

Discoveree Assistants Application
(please attach photo here)

For Committee Use Only

Assistants Name: _____ Troop/Group #_____

   Interview Date:_____
   Place_____

   □ Acceptance letter sent   or   □ Regret letter sent
   □ Gold Award Training Attendee Session # _____

Skills/Interests_____

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Assigned to: _____