

ADULT AGREEMENT FORM

For Adults accompanying or supervising Girl Scouts participating in a Council Planned Trip

I understand as a leader or adult member of Troop/Group # _____, I play an essential role in the success of this trip and that my attitudes, behavior and responsibilities as a role model are critical to the success of the trip. I, therefore, agree to do the following:

1. Be sensitive to the needs of each participant.
2. Be flexible, cooperative and abide by group decisions.
3. Respect the places and the people with whom I come in contact.
4. Work with the Trip Coordinator on all phases of planning and preparing for the trip.
5. Attend scheduled meetings and review all the materials and forms provided for this trip and ensure that all appropriate forms for my group are completed in a timely manner.
6. Adhere to and follow GSUSA's and Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council's health and safety standards during all phases of the trip. (See *Safety-Activity Checkpoints & Volunteer Essentials*)
7. Provide supervision to our group and fulfill "adults only" responsibilities during the trip.
8. Understand the use of firearms, alcohol, or drugs will not be tolerated and that usage during the event will result in expulsion from the event.
9. Be responsible for my personal belongings/ equipment and not hold Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council responsible for their loss or damage due to my negligence or neglect.
10. Treat equipment and supplies with care. I understand that I will be assessed for damages to equipment in the event that my use of equipment is negligent or abusive.
11. Use all required safety equipment and follow agreed-upon safety rules and procedures, i.e. buddy system, two adults with girls, etc.
12. I understand that if I am dismissed due to serious misconduct, it will be at my expense and that Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council staff may make the travel arrangements.
13. Ensure our group has met all pre-trip requirements and has the necessary clothing and equipment.
14. Provide a "stand-in" adult to go in my place to provide the adequate adult/girl ratio, if necessary, should unavoidable circumstances prevent my going on the trip.
15. Complete and return the trip evaluation.

Signature

Date