

C O N T E S T S

Design Our NEW Council Patch!

In just a few short months the Girl Scout Council of Vermont and the Girl Scouts of Swift Water Council will merge to become the Girl Scouts of the Green and White Mountains. We'd like you to put your creative talents to work and design a special patch just for our new Council! The new patch will be for sale at Council shops starting spring 2009.

- Submissions may be any shape, but must fit an 8-inch space. Remember to keep your drawings simple; patch designs will be reduced to fill a 4-inch or smaller patch size.
- Designs must include the name of the new Council.
- Designs which include geographic boundaries are discouraged.
- You may include color in your patch designs.
- Submissions may be sent to any Council office in either drawn or electronic form.
- Artwork may be edited to fit space and color constraints.



Write a Sing-a-Long Song!

Our country has a national anthem. Our states have state songs. Girl Scouts have enjoyed singing Girl Scout songs at camp, around the campfire, at troop gatherings, or just for fun. We would like to have a special song to be the "anthem" of the Girl Scouts of the Green and White Mountains. AND, we'd like you to write it! The winning entry will be sung at a special celebration this spring! Submissions may be sent to any Council office in any format ~ written or electronic. Burn us a CD. Post it on YouTube.com. Just follow the simple guidelines below.

- Songs must have lyrics and be singable *a capella*.
- Tunes must be either "original compositions" or in the public domain.
- Please do not use copyrighted material.
- Any style of music is permitted.
- Language must be girl appropriate. Slang is discouraged.
- Lyrics may be used in total or part and may be edited for content.



Deadlines & Details: Deadline for submissions for either contest is December 19, 2008. The contests are open to both girls and adults. Groups and individuals are eligible to participate, you just have to be a currently enrolled member of either Council to join the fun! Submissions will be judged by a panel of equal representation from both the Girl Scout Council of Vermont and the Girl Scouts of Swift Water Council. Every entry will be assigned a code to ensure the anonymity of the submissions. All songs and patch designs will become the property of the Girl Scouts of the Green and White Mountains.