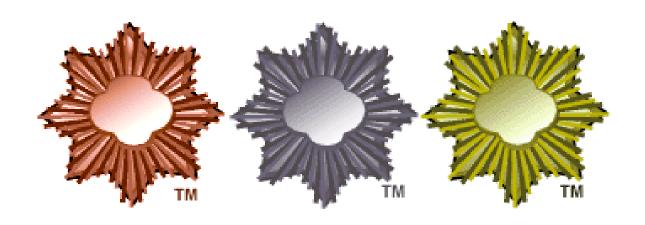
Girl Scouts Bryan/College Station Service Unit

2008 Girl Awards Ceremony



May 2, 2008



Girl Scout(s): Morgan, Elizabeth, Bryce, Victoria, Emma, Grace, Grace, Taylor

McKenna

Troop Number: 9088

Project Title: Astin Park Sign at Camp Howdy

Description: The girls restained and repainted the Camp Howdy Astin Park sign, as

well as landscaping the area around the sign with flowers, shrubs, and

handmade stones.

Troop Leader: Wendy (Leader) and Stephanie (Assist. Leader)



Girl Scout(s): Aubrey, Sophie, and Miana

Troop Number: 9132

Project: **Doggie Treats**

Description: The girls earned a cooking badge and a pet badge as part of their

Bronze Award. They learned about animal needs in our community. While volunteering at the shelter, they noticed a need for doggie toys and decided to bake doggie treats to put on rope toys to make the toys extra special. They donated about 40 rope toys with treats hanging on them for the dogs to play with and enjoy during their stay

in the shelter.

Troop Leader: Lis

Project Advisor: Leiha, Brazos Animal Shelter



Girl Scout(s): Mikayla, Angela, Megan, Kaylea, Morgan, Emily, Allie, and

Claire

Troop Number: 9449

Project: Coat and Blanket Drive

Description: Girl Scout Troop 9449 collected coats and blankets for the annual Twin

City Mission November Coat and Blanket Giveaway. Approximately 700 coats and blankets were collected at several local schools and businesses which represented about a third of the items distributed by

Twin City last November. As part of their Bronze Award project, the girls contacted businesses for

permission to announce

collection times, set out boxes for

donations, and transported the donated items to a central

location for pick up by Twin City

Mission.

Troop Leader: Jenny and Kay

Project Advisor: Ron of Twin City Mission





Girl Scout(s): Resa, Mya, Kambrie, Jessica, and Jordan

Troop Number: 9126

Title: Make Camp Howdy a Better Place

Description: Several projects were completed at Camp Howdy. The Girls learned

about working with cement and helped with the pouring of the

foundation to a double latrine. They planted flowers at the Arbor using what they learned about suitable and adaptable plants for the area. They also worked the Ranap Bridge flower bed for the past two years. Last but not least they were the first Girl Scout troop to construct a fire

circle, which can be found at Ranap 2.

Troop Leader: Angelica Project Advisor: Steve







Award: Silver

Girl Scout(s): Lydia, Ana, Heather, Eliza,

Kaitlyn

Troop Number: 9449

Project: Camp Silver Brownie:

A Three Day Fun Adventure

Description: A mini-day camp for Brownies

over Spring Break provided a safe, inexpensive and fun opportunity for girls to go

during the week when they had no school but their parents had to work. The Brownies earned five Try-Its, completed arts & crafts projects and enjoyed spending time with girls their age and the aides they love from Howdy Day Camp.

Troop Leader: Davanna Project Advisor: Susan





Award: Silver
Girl Scout: Dione
Troop Number: 9449

Project: Deck for Camp Howdy's Ranap Shelter

Description: My Silver Award Project was to build a deck at Camp Howdy's Ranap

shelter. To raise funds I sent out a flyer advertising my project and how I would complete it. For every \$20 donated I would burn up to a 20-character name into the completed deck. I spent time in different lumber and hardware stores recording prices and asking managers for discounts. The deck was built over a very full and long three-day weekend. I selected this project because the deck will provide a cleaner place for aides, campers, and adults to eat, talk, and create

crafts.

Troop Leader: Davanna

Project Advisor: Kay, Steve, Mark







Award: Silver

Girl Scout(s): Kanika, Katie Beth, Christine,

and Hannah

Troop Number: 9146

Project Title: Bookshelf and Book Drive for the

Boy's & Girl's Club of the Brazos

Valley

Description: Kanika, Katie Beth, Christine and

Hannah wanted to do something to help out the children who belong to the Boys' and Girls' Club here in the Brazos Valley. All four enjoy reading so they decided to build bookshelves and hold a book drive enabling the boys and girls to have something educational to do after school. The Scouts learned all about woodworking when each of them built bookshelves and painted them in fun colors to appeal to the kids at the Boys' and Girls' Club. Then the Scouts worked together holding a book drive in their neighborhoods. They collected plenty of books which were enthusiastically received by the Boys' and Girls' Club.

Troop Leader: Kathy





Award: Silver
Girl Scout(s): Brooke
Troop Number: 9146

Project Title: Food for the Homeless

Description: Brooke knew that in the community there were people going without

food who needed help and a healthy meal. She contacted the Salvation Army and Good Will to see what she could do to help with this problem. These organizations directed her to the Brazos Valley Food Bank which told her, yes, they can always use donations of food. Brooke used her desktop publishing skills to make fliers which she distributed throughout her neighborhood asking for food donations.

She gathered her friends and family together to help collect the canned goods and other nonperishable items and was able to give back to the community with her

generous donation to the Food Bank.







Award: Silver
Girl Scout(s): Kaitlin
Troop Number: 9146

Project Title: Health for the Homeless

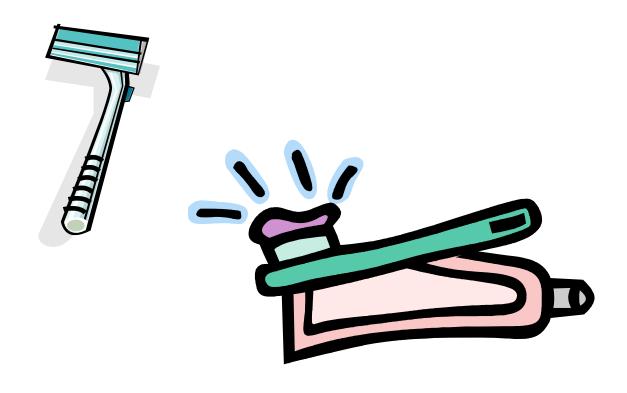
Description: Kaitlin wanted to make a difference in the lives of the homeless in

Bryan and College Station. She felt that many people help by donating food and clothing but she wanted to do something different. Kaitlin realized that many of the homeless needed essentials for their personal hygiene. She put out fliers in several neighborhoods asking for donations of toothbrushes and toothpaste, shampoo and conditioner, deodorant, soap and washcloths, feminine items, hair brushes, and razors. She was able to collect over nine boxes of personal hygiene items for the Twin City Mission. As you

can imagine these items were greatly

appreciated.

Troop Leader: Kathy



Award: Silver
Girl Scout(s): Elizabeth
Troop Number: 9146

Project Title: Want to Play Cards?

Description: Elizabeth wanted to use her love for woodworking in a meaningful way

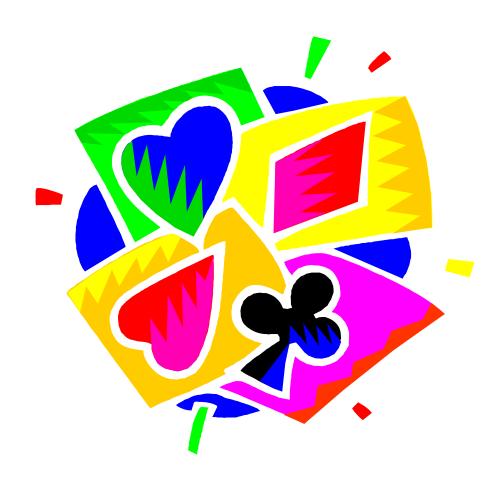
to help others. Having a cousin with limited use of one hand, she realized the difficulty that many physically disabled people have just playing a simple game of cards. Elizabeth worked with the Brazos Rehabilitation Center to develop and build card holders for people with

physical disabilities. Her greatest reward from this project was experiencing the excitement and joy from the people at the

rehabilitation center when they realized how easy and enjoyable it was

to play cards with her new card holders.

Troop Leader: Kathy



Award: Silver Girl Scout(s): Christina Troop Number: 9146

Project Title: Help for the Hungry

Description: Christina has always had a concern for community issues. She

recognized that a real problem in our community is the number of low

income families who have a hard time buying nutritious food for their

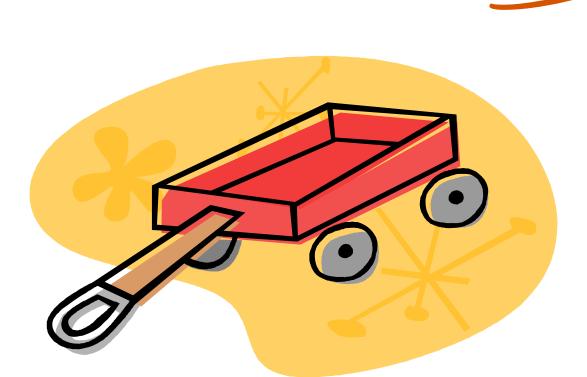
children. She decided to hold a canned food drive in her Kurten community to collect food for the Food Bank. Christina passed out fliers to alert people to what she was doing, and armed with her wagon, she set out. She was able to collect a significant amount of food that was very appreciated by the Food

Bank. Many people in our

community will benefit from her hard

work.

Troop Leader: Kathy



Award: Gold

Girl Scout(s): **Beth and Becca**

Troop Number: 9165

Project Title: Listening to Learn

Description: Beth and Becca organized volunteers to record young children's books

on audio tapes so that visually impaired children could look at and

listen to entertaining books. Working in conjunction with the teachers of the visually impaired in the Bryan and College Station school districts, they were able to donate 100 audio tapes to the two school districts. They also developed activities for the volunteers to do that simulated life as a blind

person.

Troop Leader: Sandra Project Advisor: Sandra





The Girl Scout Promise

On my honor, I will try:

To serve God and my country,

To help people at all times,

And to live by the Girl Scout Law.

The Girl Scout Law

I will do my best to be honest and fair, friendly and helpful, considerate and caring, courageous and strong, and responsible for what I say and do, and to respect myself and others, respect authority, use resources wisely, make the world a better place, and be a sister to every Girl Scout.



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