

**Service Unit 70-2
2007-2008**

Dear Troop Leaders,

A warm **Welcome Back** to our returning leaders, and a special **WELCOME** to all of you New Leaders! We are so happy that you'll be joining us for another year of Girl Scouting. The Service Unit Team has been working hard to get ready for the upcoming year. A few things you need to know now are included in this letter.



Service Unit Meetings

This year, monthly SU Meetings will be held on Tuesdays, at 7:00pm, in the Evergreen Mill Elementary School cafeteria. Please see page 2 of this letter for exact dates, and don't forget to mark your calendar now! Also, you will have access to the meeting place at 6:45pm. PLEASE *plan to come at least 15 minutes early* so you can pick up materials, talk to friends, or ask your consultant questions *before* the meeting begins – we'll start the meeting promptly at 7pm.

All troops will be assigned Kapers throughout the year. Please be sure to check the monthly SU Newsletter to see when it's your turn. The Kapers for September's meeting are on page 2 of this letter. If you are unable to fulfill your Kaper duties, please be sure to make arrangements to switch with another troop. Thx! 😊

Childcare will be available at the monthly meetings. The Team is busy lining up interested Cadettes/Seniors to tend to your children, which will allow you to get the most out of our SU Meetings.

Your troop *must* have a representative attend these monthly meetings. This is where you'll get all sorts of **great** information to help you have an exciting year with your troop, and attendance of the entire meeting is required for your troop to earn Honor Troop recognition. If a leader can't come, send a parent!

September 11th & OCTOBER 9th MEETINGS

***** *NEW LEADERS* *****

If you haven't attended a Welcome Meeting, please arrive at 6:30pm to meet with Melanie Malloy, our Welcome Committee Chairperson. Thx!

OCTOBER 9th MEETING ONLY

***** *ALL LEADERS* *****

Please bring:

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| ⇒ Calendar (<i>to mark imp. dates</i>) | ⇒ Copy of each Leader's updated Training Card |
| ⇒ Troop Checkbook | ⇒ Copy of First Aider's certification card |
| ⇒ Ideas for SU Events! 😊 | ⇒ Updated info. needed for forms (<i>if applicable</i>) |

SU Team Meetings

We are still securing locations for the Team Meetings. The time for these meetings will now be 7:00pm (instead of 6:00pm). Please see page 2 of this letter for exact time/dates. Committee chairs are asked to report at the Team Meetings that correspond with their event(s). All are welcome to attend. This is your opportunity to make your voice heard, and to let us know what you're thinking!

SHARE

A meeting for this Annual Giving Fund will be held within the next couple of months. All troops must have a representative attend this meeting. If you haven't recruited your troop's SHARE leader, yet, do so as soon as possible. Any questions regarding SHARE should be directed to our SU SHARE leader, Sonya Khan. Please see the included Team Roster for her contact information. Thanks.

Service Unit Events

Our Service Unit holds several events throughout the year for our girls. These events are either run as a Troop Money-making Event, OR, they are run as Service Unit Events. Troop Money-making Events are held when a troop needs to raise money for a specific purpose. Various Service Unit volunteers run the Service Unit Events, and the purpose of these events is to help the Service Unit as a

whole; any profit coming from these events goes to support the Service Unit. If you're interested in either helping out at a SU Event, or holding a Troop Money-making Event, please contact our new Special Events Coordinator, Karen Parsons. Her info. is also on the Team Roster. She will check our SU Calendar, and give you a copy of the *Event Planning Packet*, which *must* be filled out prior to making any plans. Thx!

Also, it's important to follow the guidelines set forth in *Safety Wise*. This includes the recommended ratio of adults to girls, which is found on p. 69. Per *Safety Wise*, all meetings must have two adults present, with at least one of those adults being a Leader. If you have any questions about this, please don't hesitate to ask.

Thanks so much for sharing your time, energy, and talents with the girls in your troop. I'm excited about seeing you all, and working together to continue to serve the girls and leaders in SU 70-2. Again, if you have any questions/concerns/suggestions, please feel free to contact either of the SUMs. I hope to see you at the 1st SU Meeting of the year, on September 11th! 😊

YIGS,
(Yours in Girl Scouting)



Lynn Cesard
Service Unit Manager, SU 70-2



Troop Kapers for 9/11/07:

Set-up: **Team Members.**

Clean-up: **#1724, #5337, & #658.**

Snacks: **#4050, #1590, & #3347.**

(Finger foods only; SU will provide drinks. Thx!)

2007-08 Service Unit Meetings, SU 70-2

(7:00pm – Evergreen Mill Elementary School Cafeteria)

Reminder: All troops should send a representative to each SU meeting.

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| ❖ 09/11/07 | ❖ 12/11/07 | ❖ 03/11/08 |
| ❖ 10/09/07 | ❖ 01/15/08 | ❖ 04/08/08 |
| ❖ 11/13/07 | ❖ 02/12/08 | ❖ 05/13/08 |

2007-08 Team Meetings, SU 70-2

(7:00pm – locations TBD)

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| ❖ 08/15/06 | ❖ 12/05/06 | ❖ 04/02/07 |
| ❖ 09/05/06 | ❖ 01/09/07 | ❖ 05/07/07 |
| ❖ 10/03/06 | ❖ 02/06/07 | ❖ 06/04/07 |
| ❖ 11/07/06 | ❖ 03/05/07 | |

Important GS Web sites:

- ❖ www.serviceunit70-2.org -- *Our look is changing – keep checking!* 😊
- ❖ www.gscnc.org
- ❖ www.girlscouts.org
- ❖ www.wagggsworld.org



SU 70-2 Team Roster 2007 – 2008 (as of 8/24/07)**Core Team**

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