

Girl Scout Glossary

How well do you know your stuff?

Across

2. Ceremony in which girl forgets her promise after practicing it at least 25 times that afternoon.
3. A geographical subdivision of a council with a fancy name to confuse new leaders as to where they belong.
4. Poster board announcing, for all to see, who gets to clean the latrine.
10. Girls standing in circle trying to out-squeeze each other's hands.
14. Large group of girls dedicated to making leader insane.
17. A mat or pad, usually somewhere else when you really need it.
18. Special Guiding and Scouting day when leaders worldwide wonder why they are spending more than an hour a week on somebody else's girls.
20. A week on the calendar, sometime in March, that overstressed leaders can't seem to think of anything special to do to celebrate it.

Down

1. Usually called Halloween because that's more "fun".
5. Group of Girl Scouts tripping over each other while banging flag poles into door jams.
6. Very short girl with blue smock covering all food, paint, and grubby hand stains on regular clothes.
7. Tall girl who would rather be caught dead than seen in uniform.
8. Medium size girl dressed in green with sash falling off shoulder.
9. Girl holding up 3 fingers so she has something to look at while saying her promise.
11. Ceremony parents attend to make sure their daughter got more badges than the neighbor's daughter.
12. Pairing of girls which guarantees they will never be in the same place at the same time.
13. Be Prepared, but any experienced leader actually knows it's Be Flexible.
15. Short girl in brown dress which is either 2 sizes too big or 1 size too small.
16. Hand signal invented by leader with laryngitis.
19. Fancy name to trick the girls into cleaning the latrine.

