

SILVER DOLLAR CITY® 2009
GIRL SCOUT DAY

PEOPLE OF THE WORLD:

Brownies

- 1. Language Hunt** Girls will explore how many different languages are being spoken throughout the park. If possible, have them learn how to say Hello in the various languages.
- 2. World Stories** Girls will use their imagination to create a story about a girl her age who lives in one of the countries where the world showcase performers are from. Share the story with her Girl Scout troop.
- 3. World Reporter** Interview someone who was born and lived for a few years in a country other than the USA. Ask about things that are the same and things that are different in the two countries they've lived in. Ask how holidays are celebrated.
- 4. Flags of Many Countries** Girls will need to look at the flags of the countries the performers are from and learn what country they are. Girls can draw a picture of the flag or take a picture of it. When they get home they can find that country on the map.

CELEBRATING PEOPLE:

Junior Girl Scouts

- 1. Celebrate The Day** Find out how wedding and birthdays are celebrated in different countries.
- 2. One Big Family** Take photos of people from as many different places around the world as you can. When you return to your troop meeting make a "Human family" poster, display or booklet.
- 3. Solve It Together** Think of five problems that might occur when people who are different live or work together. Discuss solutions to the problems.
- 4. Include Everyone** People with disabilities can face challenges that people without disabilities may not understand. Find out ways Silver Dollar City makes it easier for people with disabilities to get around and to participate at the park.
- 5. It's A Pleasure** Learn four different meeting and greeting customs from around the world and practice them with friends and family.

LETS GET COOKING:

Junior Girl Scouts

- Requirement #9
Food Around
the World** Eat your way around the world. Start in the US and trace a path around the globe in any direction. Each girl chooses a country on the "trip." Find out what kind of ingredients are in a traditional dish; what can you learn about a culture from a recipe and it's ingredients? Taste food from different countries with your troop.

Junior Girl Scouts will need to complete remaining requirements at a later troop meeting to complete the badge.

A WORLD OF UNDERSTANDING:

Cadet, Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts

- Skill Builder 6** Look at the clothing and costumes that women from other countries wear. Discuss what that clothing tells you about being female in that country or group. What roles and behaviors are expected of these women? Are the clothes they are wearing for “everyday” or for a ceremony or tradition; if the clothes are for everyday how does their clothing affect their everyday activities?
- Career Exploration 3** Compare business customs in at least three different countries. If possible, interview someone who conducts business abroad and find out what customs they observe as part of their job. How do these customs differ from those practiced in the United States?

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