

The BC Program Committee Presents...

IGNITE 2019!

You are invited to attend IGNITE 2019 - the biggest event for Pathfinders, Rangers and Bridging Members from across BC. Participants will come together for a weekend-long conference where they will have the opportunity to explore the girl-driven program in a meaningful context, cultivate their leadership skills, and connect with peers on issues and interests important to them. The event will include trainings, exchanging of ideas, and sharing in girl-focused programming and opportunities.

Participants can look forward to sessions that will IGNITE their curiosities, passions, inner leaders, voices, choices and actions.

When?

October 18th at 7 PM- October 20th at 12 PM.

Where?

The entire conference (including program and accommodations) will take place at the Executive Hotel Vancouver Airport in Richmond-7311 Westminster Hwy, Richmond.

Who May Apply?

Pathfinders, Rangers, Unit Assistants, Trex, Bridging Members and Guiders are invited to attend.

Girls may apply as individual participants or a patrol of 2, 3 or 4 girls. Guiders are required to apply separately as Adult Allies. Please note that Guiders are not guaranteed to be in put in a group with their own girls.

How Much Does it Cost?

\$125 per girl

This includes accommodations, meals from Friday Mug-Up to Sunday Lunch (if traveling more than 2 hours), program activities, a crest, t-shirt and transportation costs.

Accepted participants will be asked to submit their payment shortly after they receive their confirmation. Payment will be accepted by credit card or cheque. Participants who do not submit their payment and information by the deadline will forfeit their spot to somebody on the waitlist.

How Do I Get There?

Girls are responsible for arranging their own transportation.

Mileage will be reimbursed at \$0.50 per km from home location to the event. Airfare - GGC will reimburse the cost of economy airfare, but will not pay for flight changes / upgrades / insurance / seat selection costs. The hotel runs a free shuttle from the airport to the hotel.

Bus and Ferry - GGC will reimburse the price of the ticket (GGC also reimburses the cost of ferry reservations with prior approval)

Public transit - Will be reimbursed based on one-way fares.

Adult allies will be responsible for helping to coordinate the travel of the group that they are assigned. They may also be asked to travel with a group of girls, meet them at the airport, and travel with them from the airport to the hotel.

How Do I Apply?

Girls and patrols can apply using the Online Application form.

Patrols are asked to submit only one application per girl (i.e. 4 applications for a patrol of 4 girls). If applying as a patrol, please ensure that you list the other patrol members on your application.

Girls are also able to indicate whether they are interested in attending as an individual if there patrol is not chosen.

Important Note: All participants (including Adult Allies) will be expected to attend the ENTIRE event. BC Council is subsidizing a large part of this event, and months of planning go into making these events possible. Therefore, we cannot give participants a flexible schedule.

If you have any questions, please contact the IGNITE planning team at bcignite2019@gmail.com

Applications are due by May 13th at the latest. Applicants will be informed of their status by May 21st.