



Girls First Launch Party – Volunteer Opportunities

OVERVIEW

This fall, Girl Guides of Canada is launching our brand-new program for every branch of Guiding. To celebrate, we're hosting launch parties in Moncton, Vancouver and Toronto on Saturday, September 29. Events will be developed and hosted by dynamic Pathfinder and Ranger teams, called Launch Leaders. Each city will host a morning and afternoon launch party, catering to different ages, with up to 150 girls attending each session.

We're looking for local Guiders to volunteer at each event. You'll have the opportunity to support the local Launch Leader team and act as an ally to girls (from Sparks to Rangers) attending the launch party.

VOLUNTEER ROLE: Group Lead (Adult Ally)

LOCATIONS:

Moncton event (September 29 from 8:00 am - 8:00 pm – with breaks and meals)
Legends Restaurant, Moncton Coliseum (377 Killam Drive)

Vancouver event (September 29 from 8:00 am - 8:00 pm – with breaks and meals)
The Nest, Alma Mater Society, UBC, (6133 University Boulevard)

Toronto event (September 29 from 8:00 am - 8:00 pm – with breaks and meals)
Evergreen Brickworks (550 Bayview Ave)

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Supporting two groups of attendees; one each in morning and afternoon sessions
- Connecting with your two groups in advance of the event by email: Introduce yourself, welcome the group, create a team name
- Coordinating H.1 forms (and H.3 if needed) in advance (and ensure these are with you onsite)
- Collecting and welcoming group upon arrival
- Ensuring group members who have not granted image release on their IR.1 are wearing yellow bands
- Staying with your groups and acting as an adult ally for them throughout the day (ensure girls with dietary restrictions get the right meal, washroom breaks, flow of events)
- Ensuring girls are having a good time and getting engaged
- Ensure group members sign out before leaving

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Experienced in facilitating girl-led programming
- Great communication skills and desire to help make girls feel comfortable
- Organized, reliable and good at solving problems
- Possess positive energy and a passion for Guiding and the new Girls First program!
- Asset qualification (not required): first aid certification (completed, does not expire before September 2018, registered in iMIS)

BENEFITS:

- ✓ Experience a fun, fresh, entirely girl-led event
- ✓ See the Girls First program in action and support the program transition