

Think Pink! Patch Program

Breast Health Awareness Patch Program



Think Pink! is designed to promote breast health awareness and healthy living to all Girl Scouts. Participants will learn about the importance of heathy living by participating in activities, completing service projects, and researching topics related to breast health awareness. All grade levels are invited to participate in this program. Breast cancer awareness is very important to the Girl Scouts, because our founder, Juliette Gordon Low, died of breast cancer.

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Think Pink! Requirements:

Girl Scout Daisies- Must complete the three foundational activities and 1 activity from each section (Discover, Connect, Take Action)

Girl Scout Brownie/Junior- Must complete the three foundational activities and 2 activities from each section (Discover, Connect, Take Action)

Cadette/Senior/Ambassador- Must complete the three foundational activities and 3 activities from each section (Discover, Connect, Take Action)

Activity Section

Foundational Activities

- **ALL Juliette Gordon Low:** Answer the following questions to learn why October is an important month to celebrate Juliette Gordon Low. When you have answered the questions, draw a picture or journal about something new you learned about our founder.
 - 1. What was Juliette's nickname?
 - 2. Where was she born?
 - 3. What object did she sell to help pay for Girl Scouts?
 - 4. What object got stuck in her ear and impaired her hearing?
 - 5. What did Juliette Gordon Low die from?
 - 6. When was Juliette's birthday?
 - 7. Which Juliette Gordon Low quote do you find the most inspiring?
- ALL

 Breast Cancer Myths: Take time to go through the breast cancer myths in the Resource Section.

 They are divided by age. Have your troop guess if the statement is a myth or a fact. After they have guessed, use the information to explain the answer. If you aren't comfortable answering questions about cancer and breast cancer, invite a doctor, nurse, or breast cancer survivor to talk through the myths with your troop. If you are going to have an expert come in and talk about breast cancer myths, you will need to complete a Notice of Sensitive Issues Form. To get this form please email programteam@nccoastalpines.org.
- **ALL**Healthy Living Challenge: There are many different reasons that people get cancer, which is why is it hard to prevent cancer. One way you can reduce your risk of getting cancer to live a healthy life.

 Read through the healthy living challenges in the **Resource Section** and then pick one of the healthy living challenges to do over the next week. After a week of doing the challenge talk as a troop about the following questions:
 - Was the challenge hard? Why or why not?
 - How did you feel during the challenge?
 - How did you feel after completing the challenge?
 - Are you going to continue practicing the healthy habit?

Discover

ALL Bingo: Increase your troop's knowledge of heathy living and breast cancer through bingo. You can find the bingo cards in the **Resources Section** of the patch program. There are two sets of bingo Cards, a set for Daisies, Brownies and Juniors and a set for Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors.

- **ALL** Fact Relay Race: Print out the facts in the Resources Section (facts are divided by age) and play the game below:
 - 1. Have your troop divide into two groups.
 - 2. Have the two teams make two lines.
 - 3. Then have two adults stand running length across from the lines.
 - 4. Each team will take turns running to the leader across from them. When the girl gets to the leader, she will be asked a question, if she gets it right she can go back to tag the next person. If she gets it wrong she will keep answering questions until she gets a question right.
 - 5. The first team to have all their girls answer questions correctly wins (smaller troops may want to make girls go through the line twice).
 - 6. Be sure to go over facts after and answer questions girls have.
- **ALL Stress balloons:** Create stress balloons with your troop. Managing stress is an important part of living a healthy life. See **Resources Section** for instructions.
- **C/S/A**The Basics of Breast Health: As a troop read over the Basics of Breast Health Sheet in the Resource Section. Talk through each of the points. Let girls ask questions about breast health and breast cancer. Invite a doctor, nurse, or health expert to talk through this information with your troop, if you aren't comfortable answering their questions. If you are going to have an expert come in and talk about breast cancer you will need to complete a Notice of Sensitive Issues Form. To get this form please email patchprogram@nccoastalpines.org.

Have the girls, journal over the following questions:

- What did you learn?
- How did the information make you feel?
- What is one thing you are going to do to practice good breast health?

Connect

- **C/S/A**Share Breast Health Knowledge: Talk to a woman in your life about breast cancer. Share 2 facts you've learned with a woman in your family. Talk about how the facts make you feel. If someone in your family is a survivor, ask if they are willing to talk about their experience with breast cancer. Encourage the women in your life to get their annual mammography.
- **Share Healthy Living Knowledge**: Share with a woman in your family two things you've learned about healthy living. Talk about how you can be healthy together. Take a walk or do a healthy living challenge together.
- **C/S/A**Media and Breast Health: Media has a strong presence in the life of a Girl Scout. Images of women's bodies flood media. These images can be hard to process as a young woman during a time when you are learning about your own body. This activity allows Girl Scouts in this stage of life to think about women's body images in media and their own comfort level with breast health and their own body image. See **Resource Section** for instructions on this activity.
- **ALL Connect to community:** In honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month (October), paint pumpkins pink! Purchase small pumpkins and decorate them with pink paint, the Breast Cancer symbol, and encouraging phrases. Share these pumpkins with those in your community. Give them to your neighbors or people at church. Help spread awareness!
- **ALL Healthy living game:** Play a game that gets your troop moving but also involves teamwork. Teach the girls how being active is something you can do together. Below are a few example games:

- Blob Tag- Determine who will be it. When the person who is it, tags another participant they will grab their hand and become a "blob." They have to hold hands as they try to tag someone else. As the blob gets bigger they have to work harder to stay together. When the blob gets to 4 participants it can split and become two blobs.
- Hands, shoulders, elbows, and hips relay race- Divide into two groups. Mark a start and end
 point. The teams will go to the end point and turn around. First they must do it all holding hands,
 then with their arm around each other's shoulders, then they must link elbows, and the final race
 they must have their hips touching at all times.
- **C/S/A**Interview: Ask a survivor you know if they will share about their battle with breast cancer (please be considerate and thoughtful in that some survivors may not be comfortable talking about their battle as it is a very emotional process). Talk to them about when they found out they had cancer. Inquire about their treatment and how they mentally battled the disease. Breast cancer survivors are very inspiring and powerful. This interview can be done as a troop or individual. Some ideas for questions are below:
 - When were you diagnosed?
 - How did they find the cancer?
 - What were your initial thoughts?
 - How did you keep positive during your battle?
 - What forms of treatment did you receive?
 - How did you feel when they declared you cancer free?
 - What do you do now to stay healthy?

Take Action

ALL Pink Ribbon Campaign: Have each Girl Scout make 10 pink ribbons. Have the girls distribute the ribbons to women in their life and remind them to stay healthy and get their annual mammography.

Supplies:

Pink Ribbon

Safety Pins

Scissors

Instructions:

Cut a piece of ribbon 4-6 inches. Loop the so it is the shape of the Breast Cancer Ribbon. Then stick the pin in the ribbon.

- **ALL Mastectomy Pillows**: Create a mastectomy pillow using the instructions in the **Resource Section** and donate it to a local hospital's oncology unit. If you have trouble connecting with a local oncology unit, contact Girl Scouts-North Carolina Coastal Pines at patchprogram@nccoastalpines.org to get connected with a local hospital.
- **ALL Make a poster**: Create a poster that promotes healthy living, good breast health, or breast cancer awareness.
- **ALL Birthday Party for Juliette Gordon Low**: Throw a birthday party for Juliette Gordon Low with your troop. Juliette Gordon Low's Birthday was October 31 and October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. So, make it a PINK themed party to support breast cancer awareness. Have pink punch, a pink

frosted cake, and pink decorations. Make sure to include Girl Scout traditions, just as Juliette would have, such as the Friendship Squeeze, or a couple of your favorite Girl Scout songs.

- **C/S/A**Honor Survivors You Know: As a troop host a party or dinner honoring the survivors you know. Be sure to ask the survivors if they are okay with being honored at a dinner/party (please be considerate and thoughtful in that some survivors may not be comfortable talking about their battle as it is a very emotional process). Take time at the gathering to honor each survivor. Read a poem or ask one of the survivors to talk about their journey. Include a small gift and note for each survivor. Be sure to encourage the survivors and all other women at the dinner/party to stay health and get regular screenings.
- **C/S/A Chemo Kit:** Create a Chemo Kit using the list in the **Resource Section**. Give it to a family member or friend going through chemo or donate to a hospital. Talk as a troop, why you are buying each item and how it helps patients.

Resource Section

Resources:

Breast Cancer Statistics- http://www.breastcancer.org/symptoms/understand_bc/statistics

Healthy Living Basics & Facts-

http://www.heart.org/HEARTORG/HealthyLiving/Diet-and-Lifestyle-Recommendations_UCM_305855_Article.jsp#.V9BQafkrLIU

http://www.webmd.com/diet/features/4-steps-healthy-lifestyle#1

https://sleepfoundation.org/media-center/press-release/national-sleep-foundation-recommends-new-sleep-times

http://www.mayoclinic.org/healthy-lifestyle/nutrition-and-healthy-eating/in-depth/water/art-20044256

Healthy Living Challenges

Pick one of the follow challenges to do for a week

- Don't drink soda all week
- Drink 9 cups of water a day
- Exercise for 30 minutes 3 days out of the week
- Walk for 30 minutes 4 days out of the week
- Stretch while you are watching TV
- Give up screens for the week- no TV, computer, or phone for entertainment
- Do a mini-workout while watching TV- during commercials do jumping jacks, squats, walk, or jog-just move!
- Eat a healthy breakfast every morning
- Eat a serving of fruit everyday
- Eat a serving of vegetables everyday
- Limit sweets-try to only have sweets 2-3 times a week
- Do yoga 3 times a week
- Get 9-10 hours of sleep per night
- Try 4 new fruits this week
- Try 5 new vegetables this week

Tips

- Do the challenge as a troop if you can
- Make the challenge a family affair
- Changing habits is hard, so try your best, but understand that is really hard to make or break a habit

Stress Balloon:

Supplies Needed:

- Bag of sand
- Bag of red beans
- Scoop for sand
- Funnel
- Balloons
- Tins/bowls/tablecloths-something to help keep the mess minimal

Instructions:

- 1. Set out bowls of sand in the dishes beforehand.
- 2. Give each girl a balloon and a bean.
- 3. Assist girls in putting about ¾ cup of sand into balloon with funnel. While putting in sand into balloon add the bean. Make sure to do this over a tin/tablecloth.
- 4. Double knot balloon when done.
- 5. Encourage girls to find the bean*
- 6. Talk about the benefits of using the stress balloon:
 - a. Squeezing the ball allows muscles to relax.
 - b. The repeating pattern of squeezing alleviates tension and stress.
 - c. Squeezing the balloon strengthens hand muscles that get over used when typing, texting, or other task that over use your hands.
 - d. Stress can have a negative impact on your health, so it is important to learn to manage stress.

*With Older Girl Scouts you can explain that finding the bean is similar to find a lump in your breast. The average lump is bigger than a bean, but you can demonstrate on the balloon to use two fingers to find the bean, similarly done with a self-breast exam.

Resource: http://www.livestrong.com/article/141645-what-are-benefits-stress-balls/

Chemo Kit:

The items on this list are just suggestions, be creative and add other items!

*If you are donating a kit, be sure to contact the local hospital before purchasing items for a chemo kit. Some hospitals are strict about what materials you can donate.

- Scarf/beanie-keep their head warm
- Thick lotion-no scent-chemo dries out skin
- Toothbrushes- chemo leaves a metal taste in patients mouth
- Toothpaste- chemo leaves a metal taste in patients mouth
- Tissues-chemo is emotionally draining
- Hard lemon candies- chemo leaves a metal taste in patients mouth
- Mint tea-helps with nausea
- Hand sanitizer- chemo weakness the immune system
- Fuzzy socks-keeps feet warm in the hospital
- Chocolate- who doesn't love chocolate?!
- Hydrating lip balm- chemo dries lips
- Encouraging notes or posters

Media and Breast Health:

Supplies Needed:

- Glue
- Culturally and age-appropriate magazines
- Poster paper
- Scissors
- Markers, crayons, glitter-glue, and other craft supplies

Instructions:

- 1. Tell your troop they are going to complete an art project that will get them thinking about the effects of media on body image and breast health
- 2. Spend the next 15-20 letting the girls find images, words, and drawings that represent how girls and women are displayed in media
- 3. When posters are finished it is time to share, ask the followings questions:
 - a. What do the pictures say about girls and women?
 - b. What do the pictures have in common?
 - c. How do these images make you feel about your body and breasts?
 - d. How do these images affect your comfort level with talking about breast cancer and your own breast health?

Breast Cancer Myths for Older Girls

- If a girl or woman bumps or bruises her breast, it can turn into breast cancer.
 - o Myth-bumps or bruises on a person's breast do not cause breast cancer. Abnormal cells growing out of control causes breast and other types of cancer.
- Antiperspirants and deodorants cause breast cancer.
 - Myth- there have been a lot of rumors that the use of antiperspirants or deodorants increases a woman's risk of getting breast cancer. There is no scientific proof that this is true.
- Having breast cancer surgery will spread cancer to other parts of someone's body.
 - o Myth-cancer does not spread through the air or during surgery.
- If a woman is diagnosed with breast cancer when she's pregnant, her baby will get breast cancer.
 - o Myth- however, having a close relative such as a mother, sister or daughter with breast cancer increases a woman's risk of getting breast cancer herself.
- Healthy, cancer-free breasts are not lumpy.
 - Myth- most breasts feel lumpy because the breast is made up of fatty tissue, glands that make milk, and the ducts that carry the milk to the nipple.
- When it comes to breast cancer, breast size doesn't matter.
 - o Fact-breast size and shape have nothing at all to do with a woman's risk of breast cancer.
- It is recommended that you know what is normal for you, and see your health care provider if you notice any changes in your breasts.
 - o Fact- it is recommended that you know what your breasts are like so that you notice any changes, such as a lump, dimpling or puckering of the skin or nipple discharge, to name a few.
- Screening tests can help women find breast cancer early.
 - o Fact-screening tests help women find breast cancer, before symptoms appear. Clinical breast exams, which are exams performed by a medical provider, are recommended at least every 3 years starting at age 20, and every year starting at age 40.
- Breast cancer is easier to treat if you find it early.
 - Fact- the earlier breast cancer is found, the more likely it is that treatment will be successful. In the past 20 years, great progress has been made in the early detection and treatment of breast cancer. As a result, the number of breast cancer survivors continues to rise.
- Cancer is contagious and can spread like the flu.
 - o Myth-it cannot spread person to person.
- The majority of people who have been diagnosed with cancer survive the disease.
 - o Fact-many cancers are curable, and many people do fight cancer and live.
- Finding a lump in your breast means you have breast cancer.
 - o Myth- only a small percent of lumps turnout to be cancer. If you do discover a persistent lump in your breast or notice any changes in breast tissue you should consult your doctor.
- Men get breast cancer.
 - o Fact-men can also get breast cancer, it is a very small percentage of men.
- Breast cancer always comes in the form a lump.
 - o Myth- a lump many indicate breast cancer, but women should also be on the alert for other changes. These changes can include: swelling, skin irritation or dimpling, or nipple pain.

Resources:

http://www.nationalbreastcancer.org/breast-cancer-myths

http://www.health.com/health/gallery/0,,20533364,00.html#myth-wearing-an-underwire-bra-increases-your-risk-of-getting-breast-cance-0

Breast Cancer Myths for Younger Girls

Please note that some of the myths/facts below may be too technical and difficult for Daisies and Brownies to understand. If you feel your troop may not comprehend a majority of the myths/facts only share the first three. These three are general myths/facts about cancer that many young children are confused by and should understand the truth.

- Cancer is contagious and can spread like the flu.
 - o Myth-it cannot spread person to person.
- Having surgery will spread cancer to other parts of someone's body.
 - o Myth-cancer does not spread through the air or during surgery.
- The majority of people who have been diagnosed with cancer survive the disease.
 - o Fact-many cancers are curable, and many people do fight cancer and live.
- If a girl or woman bumps or bruises her breast, it can turn into breast cancer.
 - o Myth-bumps or bruises on a person's breast do not cause breast cancer. Abnormal cells growing out of control causes breast and other types of cancer.
- Healthy, cancer-free breasts are not lumpy.
 - o Myth-most breasts feel lumpy because the breast is made up of fatty tissue, glands that make milk, and the ducts that carry the milk to the nipple.
- When it comes to breast cancer, breast size doesn't matter.
 - o Fact-breast size and shape have nothing at all to do with a woman's risk of breast cancer.
- Breast cancer is easier to treat if you find it early.
 - o Fact-the earlier breast cancer is found, the more likely it is that treatment will be successful. In the past 20 years, great progress has been made in the early detection and treatment of breast cancer. As a result, the number of breast cancer survivors continues to rise.
- Men get breast cancer.
 - o Fact-men can also get breast cancer, it is a very small percentage of men.

Resources:

http://www.nationalbreastcancer.org/breast-cancer-myths

http://www.health.com/health/gallery/0,,20533364,00.html#myth-wearing-an-underwire-bra-increases-your-risk-of-getting-breast-cance-0

Older Girl Facts:

- 1. How many hours should you sleep each night?
 - a. 9 hours
- 2. How many minutes should you brush your teeth?
 - a. 2 minutes
- 3. What is the Breast Cancer symbol?
 - a. A Pink Ribbon
- 4. What is cancer?
 - a. The disease caused by an uncontrolled division of abnormal cells in a part of the body
- 5. It is possible for you can survive cancer, true or false?
 - a. True
- 6. Which month is Breast Cancer Awareness Month?
 - a. October
- 7. Which is healthier for you, a piece of baked chicken or a hamburger?
 - a. Chicken
- 8. What famous Girl Scout had breast cancer?
 - a. Juliette Gordon Low
- 9. What percentage of your body is made of water?
 - a. 70%
- 10. How many minutes should you exercise each day?
 - a. 30 minutes
- 11. Men can have breast cancer too, true or false?
 - a. True
- 12. What is the name of the X-ray of the breast that helps detect cancer?
 - a. Mammogram
- 13. What is one common form of treatment for breast cancer?
 - a. Surgery, Chemotherapy, radiation therapy or hormone therapy
- 14. What is the size of the average lump found by accident
 - a. A ping-pong ball
- 15. How many cups of water should you drink a day?
 - a. 9 cups

Younger Girl Facts:

- 1. Which is better for you, soda or water?
 - a. Water
- 2. How many hours should you sleep each night?
 - a. 9-10 hours
- 3. Is a carrot a vegetable or a fruit?
 - a. Vegetable
- 4. How many minutes should you brush your teeth?
 - a. 2 minutes
- 5. Is a banana a fruit or a vegetable?
 - a. Fruit
- 6. Who cleans your teeth, a Doctor or a Dentist?
 - a. Dentist
- 7. What is the Breast Cancer symbol?
 - a. A Pink Ribbon
- 8. What is cancer?
 - a. A spot of sick cells in the body
- 9. It is possible to survive cancer, true or false?
 - a. True
- 10. Which month is Breast Cancer Awareness Month?
 - a. October
- 11. Which is healthier for you a piece of baked chicken or a hamburger?
 - a. Chicken
- 12. Who do you visit if you are sick, the Doctor or the Dentist?
 - a. Doctor
- 13. What famous Girl Scout had breast cancer?
 - a. Juliette Gordon Low
- 14. What percentage of your body is made of water, 10%, 70% or 100%?
 - a. 70%
- 15. How many minutes should you exercise each day?
 - a. 30 minutes

The Basics of Breast Health and Breast Cancer Sheet

Reduce the Risk of Cancer

- There is no way to prevent cancer completely. There are many factors that go into getting the disease. Here are ways to help reduce the risk of getting cancer and stay healthy:
 - **Living a healthy lifestyle** One way to prevent some of the risk factors of getting breast cancer is through a healthy lifestyle. Exercise and a diet full of fruits and vegetables are the foundation of a healthy lifestyle. Maintain a healthy weight. Alcohol and smoking can increase your risk.
 - **Know your body** It's a good idea to get to know what's normal for your breasts. That way, you can check in with your doctor if you notice something unusual, such as a lump, skin change, or discharge. This can be done visually or a self-breast exam. Not all medical groups agree on the method of assessing one's breast health. Talk to your health care provider about which method is best for you.
 - **Clinical breast exams/mammograms** These are examinations done by your health care provider to ensure everything is looking healthy and normal. As you get older these examination increase in their frequency.

Education

Know your risk

 Sometimes breast cancer can be genetic. It is important to know your family history of breast cancer and make your doctor aware. Open conversation with your family is key.

Know the terms

- Mammogram- X-ray of the breast
- Breast cancer- Abnormal cell growth within the breast
- Lumpectomy- Having a lump surgically removed from the breast without removing the breast
- Mastectomy- Surgical removal of breast
- Malignant tumor-Abnormal cells that grow out of control and invade normal tissue (in breast cancer, the tumor invades breast tissue)
- Chemotherapy- Anti-cancer drug that keeps the cancer from spreading, slows the growth of cancer, and kills the cancer cells in the body
- Radiation therapy- High-energy X-rays that destroy cancer cells that weren't removed during surgery
- Metastatic cancer Cancer cells have spread to other parts of the body from the original tissue

Know the symptoms

- Lump, hard knot in breast or underarm area
- Swelling, warmth, redness, or darkening under the breast
- Change in shape or size of breast
- Dimpling of skin
- New pain in one spot that won't go away
- Nipple discharge
- Itchy, scaly sore or rash on the nipple

Know your body

• It is important to know what is normal for your body and what isn't. Ask your doctor or nurse which screening tests are right for you and if you are at a higher risk.

Resources:

 $\underline{https://ww5.komen.org/uploadedFiles/_Komen/Content/About_Breast_Cancer/Tools_and_Resources/Fact_Sheets_and_Breast_Self_Awaren\underline{ess_Cards/Breast%20Health%20Basics.pdf}$

http://preventcancer.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/12/Breast-Health-Education-Facilitators-Guide-12-10-12_final.pdf

http://youngwomenshealth.org/2014/02/27/breast-self-exam-and-cancer-risks/

Breast Health BINGO-D/B/J

- 1. What is a spot of sick cells in the body?
 - a. Cancer
- 2. Broccoli, spinach, carrots, and peppers are part of which food group?
 - a. Vegetable
- 3. What is an example of a lean protein?
 - a. Chicken
- 4. How many minutes of physical activity should you get a day?
 - a. 30 minutes
- 5. How long should you brush your teeth for?
 - a. 2 minutes
- 6. Apples, pears, pineapple, and strawberries are part of which food group?
 - a. Fruits
- 7. What is a spot of sickness in the breast tissue?
 - a. Breast cancer
- 8. Water makes up what percent of your body?
 - a. 70%
- 9. What is the Breast Cancer Symbol?
 - a. A Pink Ribbon
- 10. What famous Girl Scout died of breast cancer?
 - a. Juliette Gordon Low
- 11. What is one way to get rid of germs?
 - a. Washing your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- 12. Name a vegetable you like-make girls shout out answer
 - a. Own answer!
- 13. Stretch and touch your toes-make girls stand up and do the activity
- 14. Which is better for you, water or soda?
 - a. Water
- 15. Name a fruit you like- make girls shout out answer
 - a. Own answer!
- 16. Name an exercise you like to do-make girls shout out answer
 - a. Own answer!
- 17. Hop up and down 4 times- make girls stand up and do the activity
- 18. Vitamin C, which helps your immune system, is found in high amounts in what fruit and fruit drink?
 - a. Orange and Orange juice
- 19. Milk, cheese, yogurt, and even ice cream is part of which food group?
 - a. Dairy
- 20. Chicken, beef, and fish are part of which food group?
 - a. Proteins
- 21. Cereal, bread, and rice are part of which food group?
 - a. Grains
- 22. Drinking milk helps build strong what?
 - a. Bones
- 23. What month is Breast Cancer Awareness month?
 - a. October
- 24. How many hours should you sleep each night?
 - a. 9-10 Hours
- 25. Millions of women fight and beat cancer every year, true or false?
 - a. True

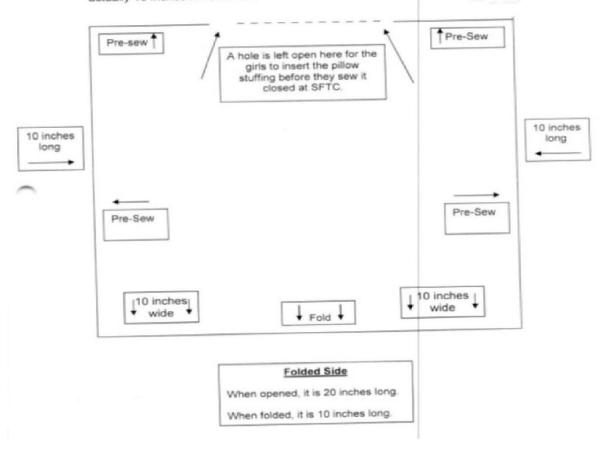
Breast Health BINGO-C/S/A

- 1. What is breast cancer?
 - a. A division of cells that is out of control in the breast tissue
- 2. How many women will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year?
 - a. Over200,000
- 3. How many men will be diagnosed with breast cancer?
 - a. Over 2,300
- 4. What part of your body needs calcium?
 - a. Your bones
- 5. What are the most important screening methods to detect breast cancer?
 - a. Mammogram, clinical breast exam and self-breast exams
- 6. What is an example of a lean protein?
 - a. Chicken
- 7. Am lat risk for breast cancer?
 - a. Yes, all women are at risk
- 8. What famous Girl Scout died from breast cancer?
 - a. Juliette Gordon Low
- 9. What is the breast cancer awareness symbol?
 - a. A Pink Ribbon
- 10. What size is the average lump found by accident?
 - a. A ping-pong ball
- 11. What is a mastectomy?
 - a. The breast is surgically removed
- 12. What are the common forms of treatment?
 - a. Surgery, chemotherapy, radiation therapy and hormone therapy
- 13. Having a lump surgically removed from the breast without removing the breast is called what?
 - a. Lumpectomy
- 14. Does breast cancer always lead to death?
 - a. No. With regular screenings, breast cancer can be detected early.
- 15. How many servings of fruits should you have a day?
 - a. 4 servings
- 16. How often should you get mammograms?
 - a. Annually after age 40
- 17. How often should you have a clinical breast exam?
 - a. Everythree years starting at age 20
- 18. What is an anti-cancer drug that keeps the cancer from spreading, slows the growth of the cancer, and kills cancer cells in the body?
 - a. Chemotherapy
- 19. What are high-energy X-Rays that destroy cancer cells that weren't removed during surgery?
 - a. Radiation Therapy
- 20. What is an X-Ray of the breast that only takes a few minutes?
 - a. Mammogram
- 21. How many servings of vegetables should you eat a day?
 - a. 3-4 servings
- 22. You should do these at least once a month?
 - a. BreastSelf-Exam
- 23. How many hours should you sleep each night?
 - a. 9-10 hours
- 24. How many cups of water should you drink a day?
 - a. 9 cups

Mastectomy Pillow Instructions:

SCOUTING FOR THE CURE™ PILLOW DIAGRAM (10 inches long X 10 inches wide)

The pillows are pre-sewn before the Scouting for the Cure (SFTC) event, leaving an opening in the center at the top of the pillow for the girls to sew. The fabric is cut 20 inches long and 10 inches wide. The long side is folded so the pillow is actually 10 inches X 10 inches.



Older Girl BINGO-Sheet A

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The most common form of cancer found among women in the US	A Pink Ribbon	Your Bones	Surgery, chemotherapy, radiation therapy and hormone therapy	9-10 Hours
Radiation Therapy	Every three years starting at age 20	The Breast is Surgically Removed	Chicken	3-4 Servings
Lumpectomy	A Ping-Pong Ball	FREE	Over 2,300	Mammogram
Yes, all women are at risk	4 Servings	No. With regular screenings, breast cancer can be detected early	Self-Breast Exam	Annually after age 40
Juliette Gordon Low	Chemotherapy	Over 200,000	9 Cups	Mammogram, clinical breast exam and self- breast exams

Older Girl BINGO-Sheet B

B		N	G	0
Over 2,300	Chicken	Mammogram, clinical breast exam and self- breast exams	A Ping-Pong Ball	Radiation Therapy
Your Bones	Annually after age 40	Mammogram	Yes, all women are at risk	Chemotherapy
9 Cups	The most common form of cancer found among women in the US	FREE	Over 200,000	No. With regular screenings, breast cancer can be detected early
The Breast is Surgically Removed	Self-Breast Exam	3-4 Servings	A Pink Ribbon	Every three years starting at age 20
4 Servings	Juliette Gordon Low	9-10 Hours	Surgery, chemotherapy, radiation therapyand hormone therapy	Lumpectomy

Older Girl BINGO-Sheet C

B		N	G	0
3-4 Servings	9 Cups	No. With regular screenings, breast cancer can be detected early	Lumpectomy	The Breast is Surgically Removed
9-10 Hours	Juliette Gordon Low	Self-Breast Exam	A Pink Ribbon	A Ping-Pong Ball
4 Servings	Mammogram , clinical breast exam and self- breast exams	FREE	Chicken	Annually after age 40
Over 200,000	Mammogram	Radiation Therapy	Over 2,300	Chemotherapy
Surgery, chemotherapy, radiation therapyand hormone therapy	Yes, all women are at risk	Every three years starting at age 20	Your Bones	The most common form of cancer found among women in the US

Younger Girl BINGO-Sheet A

B		N	G	0
Vegetable	Own Answer	Hop Up and Down 4 Times	2 Minutes	70%
Chicken	True	10-11 Hours	Own Answer	Fruits
Breast Cancer	Bones	FREE	30 Minutes	Cancer
Wash Your Hands with Soap and Water for at Least 20 seconds	Own Answer	October	Proteins	Dairy
Grains	Juliette Gordon Low	Stretch and Touch Your Toes	A Pink Ribbon	Water

Younger Girl BINGO-Sheet B

B		N	G	
Hop Up and Down 4 Times	Own Answer	Fruits	10-11 Hours	Cancer
Dairy	October	A Pink Ribbon	Bones	Grains
Juliette Gordon Low	Orange Juice	FREE	Own Answer	Proteins
Stretch and Touch Your Toes	70%	October	Vegetable	30 Minutes
Own Answer	Hop Up and Down 4 Times	True	Breast Cancer	Wash Your Hands with Soap and Water for at Least 20 seconds

Younger Girl BINGO-Sheet C

B		N	G	0
2 Minutes	A Pink Ribbon	Bones	True	10-11 Hours
Stretch and Touch Your Toes	70%	Cancer	Wash Your Hands with Soap and Water for at Least 20 seconds	Hope Up and Down 4 Times
Water	Own Answer	FREE	Fruits	Orange Juice
Chicken	Grains	Proteins	2 Minutes	True
Juliette Gordon Low	Dairy	Breast Cancer	30 Minutes	Own Answer