

# MACKINAC ISLAND HONOR SCOUT APPLICATION

## CADETTE & SENIOR RETURNING GIRL SCOUTS

I am applying for: (select one)

Returning     Leadership

Applications with attached reference letters

**must be postmarked** by October 30, 2007 to: *MIHS 3275 Walker Ave. NW  
Grand Rapids, MI 49544*

Name of applicant (first, middle initial, last)	Area Code/Home Telephone
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Email Address

Home Address (number, street, city, zip code)

Date of Birth	Age	Present Grade in School	Girl Scout Council
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Are you currently a registered Girl Scout? <b>*Must be registered by October 30, 2007</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please indicate: <input type="checkbox"/> Cadette <input type="checkbox"/> Senior
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How many years have you been in MIHS? Current MIHS Position:	How many years have you been a Girl Scout?
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Troop No. (or indicate non-troop)	Troop Leader's Name & Telephone Number:
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Ethnicity:     Native American     Asian American  
 Check all that apply     African American     Hispanic/Latino  
     European American     Other, please indicate

1.) What interests you in returning as a Mackinac Island Honor Scout?

2.) Explain how Mackinac Island Honor Scouts has improved your leadership skills:

3.) The goals of Mackinac are diversity, service and leadership. What qualities will you contribute to promoting each of these for the program?

4.) Do you have any special medical or physical needs that could affect your ability to march, to stand duty for several hours per day, or to live in an open dormitory setting? If so, please elaborate on the support you will need to serve.

5.) What skills do you bring to the Mackinac Island Honor Scout Unit?

6.) What do you feel you have learned in your past year(s) as an Honor Scout?

(Leadership) Please check below which recognition's you have earned: Two IPP's are required for all leadership

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Fort Mackinac Interest Project      | <input type="checkbox"/> Cadette Silver Award              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Great Turtle Interest Project       | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Leadership Award           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mackinac's History Interest Project | <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership Interest Project Patch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> By Foot, By Carriage, By Bicycle.   | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Gold Award                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harbor Lights Interest Project      |  |

(Leadership) These are the positions available as part of the Leadership Team (indicates # of positions available). Please rank desired Leadership positions.

\_\_\_ **SENIOR PATROL LEADER (4):** These girls run the trainings and train girls in the proper marching and flag procedures. They are part of the Court of Honor and do not work directly with any one patrol.

\_\_\_ **PATROL LEADER (4):** Responsible for making sure that the girls in her patrol are informed of MIHS procedures. They are a part of the Court of Honor.

\_\_\_ **ASSISTANT PATROL LEADER (4):** Responsible for assisting her Patrol Leader and organizing patrol in her absence.

\_\_\_ **PATROL ACTIVITY LEADER (4):** Responsible for planning and carrying out activities at the trainings and while on the Island.

*If applying for leadership, please complete page three of this application.*

9.) (Leadership) What qualifications do you feel you have for these leadership position(s)? Include any leadership experience you have with your troop, school, or other youth organizations, as well as what your personality or skills will add to the program.

10.) (Leadership) If you have never served in a leadership position before, what do you feel you can contribute to MIHS leadership, and what do you feel you will gain from this experience?

11.) (Leadership) If you have previously served in a leadership position, what do you feel you have learned from serving in that capacity?

12.) (Leadership) In what ways do you share MIHS program with girls in your council? (List any specific activities)

I understand that the Mackinac Island Honor Scouts has a series of training sessions (including at least one overnight) held approximately every six weeks, and that attendance for trainings is expected for all unit members. I understand that the MIHS Unit will serve for seven days on Mackinac Island next summer and that I must have the capabilities to perform all marching, flag, and guide duty responsibilities. I understand that I am required to be present for the full week of service. I am aware of the camp and uniform fees that I will be responsible for if selected. I give permission for my daughter to be photographed for Girl Scout publicity purposes.

Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent or guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

