

**MACKINAC ISLAND  
HONOR SCOUTS  
Troop 147**

**APPLICATION FOR  
ADULT LEADERSHIP**

**Application with reference form must  
be postmarked by**

**INSTRUCTIONS.** Please read carefully

1. Please type or print clearly and neatly with a pen. (No pencils please)  
  
All sections should be filled out by the applicant herself.
2. A reference is required for all applicants.
3. Return applications to:  
*MIHS: Rachel Andres  
31 E 33<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Holland, MI 49423*

**October 16, 2021, for consideration.**

Name of applicant (first, middle initial, last)

Area Code/Home Telephone

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

Are you currently a registered member of GSUSA?  Yes  No

Are you at least 18 years of age?  Yes  No      At least 21 years of age?  Yes  No

Presently a Troop Leader?  Yes  No

Number of years as a leader (include this year)

Please list all training you have had through your local Girl Scout Council:

1.) Have you previously served as a member of MIHS? If so, list years served and positions held,

2.) Have you ever taken a group camping or on an overnight trip? Please explain:

3.) Do you have any other youth leadership experience that will help you serve the girls?

4.) Please list your experience and comfort with people of different cultures, socioeconomic status other than yourself, and how you will lead girls to be more diverse in thought.

Each applicant is required to have Basic First Aid training before departure for the Island. It is also desirable that all adult volunteer staff be certified in CPR.

Are you currently certified in First Aid?  Yes  No In CPR  Yes  No

If not, will you commit to certifying by June, 2022?  Yes  No

5.) Adult members of the unit are occasionally needed to march with the girls, to raise and lower flags, and walk the distances up and down the hills of Mackinac Island. Do you have any physical or medical needs that might affect your ability to perform these duties when needed? If so, please explain what supports you will need to serve.

Please list (in order of preference) at least two Adult Leadership positions in which you are interested:

- \* **DIRECTOR:** (1) Manages the unit, supervise all adults and paperwork and financial duties, communicates with parents, park staff and Council representations  
**Assistant Director:** (1) Collects and coordinates all paperwork, makes transportation arrangements, responsible for bikes, plans/coordinates daily activities on island, troop finances
- \* **SENIOR LEADERSHIP ADVISOR** (1) Ensures proper training is given to unit members, develops training; schedules and supervises guide and flag duties while on the Island, secures training locations and mentors Senior Leadership.
- \* **JUNIOR LEADERSHIP ADVISOR** (1) helps girls plan and carry out program and recreational activities., mentors Junior Leadership, assists Sr. Leadership advisor with training plans.
- \* **FOOD SUPERVISOR:** (1) Plans menus, purchases food, manages kitchen during trainings and while on the Island. Requires standing for long periods of time.  
**ASSISTANT FOOD SUPERVISOR:** (1) Assists Food Supervisor in all responsibilities. Requires standing for long periods of time.
  
- UNIFORM SUPERVISOR:** (1) Fits unit members for uniforms and orders needed uniform parts; responsible for laundry and maintenance of uniforms while on the Island.
- NURSE:** (1) Medical specialist for the unit; supervises medications, provides routine first aid care, etc. Must be RN or LPN certified

1<sup>st</sup> Choice

Please explain in detail your qualifications for this position:

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice

Please explain in detail your qualifications for this position:

\* **REQUIRES AT LEAST ONE YEAR'S EXPERIENCE OR KNOWLEDGE OF THE MIHS PROGRAM.**

6.) Why you are interested in becoming an adult volunteer with the Mackinac Island Honor Scout Unit? What do you feel you will gain from this experience?

7.) How will you contribute to reaching the goals of the Mackinac Island Honor Scout Program: Diversity, Leadership and Service?

8.) What do you feel you can give to the girls that attend this service leadership camp?

9.) What would be your personal goals with your future as an MIHS adult?

**FOR ALL APPLICANTS:**

Please ask at least one person who knows you well (not a relative) to write a letter of reference. This letter should be mailed to the address at the top of this application. Included in the letter, should be information about your qualifications for the position(s) for which you have applied. Be sure to tell them it **must be postmarked** no later than **October 16, 2021**.

I have asked the following person to provide a reference for me:

Name	
Relationship	

I understand that the Mackinac Island Honor Scout Program has a series of training sessions held approximately every month, and that attendance at these trainings is required. I also understand that MIHS will serve for seven days on Mackinac Island next summer.

Signature of applicant

Date