

*****CHOICE*****
ALTERNATIVE GIRL SCOUT
PROGRAM

Choice is an alternative Girl Scout program for at-risk girls 11-17. Volunteers are needed to meet with small groups of girls on a weekly basis during a nine month period.

The focus of CHOICE is to help girls develop their full self-potential. The program includes educational opportunities to help girls learn independent living skills, discover new talents and interests, plan their own activities, develop and achieve their personal goals. The program also emphasizes traditional Girl Scout values such as building a positive self-image, developing ones' self-potential, and learning skills for living in today's society. Girls from 11 to 17 voluntarily join these specialized groups. The girls participate in group meetings to work on Girl Scout recognition designed around contemporary issues and activities such as: preventing child abuse, conflict management, saying no to drugs, self-awareness, career awareness and appropriate use of leisure time.

The girl who is a CHOICE participant may be a runaway, a victim of abuse, have low self esteem, be a foster child, have poor peer relationships or be uninvolved in school activities.

Those needed for leaders must be over the age of 18, be competent and resourceful, be a positive role model and be sensitive to the issues of at-risk teen girls. The leader will receive training on contemporary issues affecting today's teens, gain personally and professionally through the CHOICE experience, and have the opportunity to develop new friendships.

The Santiam Girl Scout CHOICE program is a member of the state-wide Juvenile Justice Alliance Project. The project's main focus is on preventing juvenile delinquency by involving teens in character-building youth organizations.

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INDIAN DANCERS - 1941

Left to Right: Agnes Baker, Illeana Simmons, Minnie Arden, Mary Agnes Simmons, Annabelle Simmons, Larkie Logan, Edward Rilatos.



SILETZ RODEO - CIRCA 1939

SILETZ SCHOOL SPRING
FESTIVAL

APRIL 6, 1990

6:00 - 9:00 P.M.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

CARNIVAL BOOTHS

PONY RIDES

BOOK FAIR

RAFFLE

FUN! FUN! FUN! FOR EVERYONE!

