The National Pen Pal Program is a great way to make friends in other Troops across the country. Participants receive the name and address of another girl in the National Pen Pal Program who wants to meet a new friend. Girls can write letters, send pictures, send a birthday card by regular mail or choose to communicate by email. Participants receive a patch to place on the back of their vest or sash. All levels may participate in the program. Girls must be AHG members for 2015-2016. Patches will be sent to Troop Coordinators after February 1, 2016.

**Sign up**

*October 1-31, 2015 for the 2016 calendar year!*

Parent FAQs may be found at [www.americanheritagegirls.org/penpal](http://www.americanheritagegirls.org/penpal)

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**Pen Pals Meet**

Peyton from Indiana asked her mom, Emily, if she thought her pen pal would be at Convention. They decided probably not because Genevieve and her mom, Melanie, are from Florida - a long way from Anderson, Indiana!

Towards the end of the week at Convention, Peyton saw some girls had their faces painted and wanted her face painted too. That’s when Emily heard a mom call her daughter “Genevieve”. Emily and Peyton walked over to them and said, “Is this Genevieve from Florida?” When Melanie said, “yes,” Emily responded, “This is Peyton from Indiana. They’re pen pals!” Peyton and Genevieve were so excited to meet. It was an instant friendship!

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Registration for AHG’s National Pen Pal Program is October 1-31, 2015!
Dear Pen Pal Participants,

Parents should complete individual registrations for all participants through ahgconnect during the month of October. Registration will close at midnight October 31.

Parents should pay the registration fee of $6 by credit or debit. Registration is considered complete once payment is received. The registration fee covers the cost and mailing of the patch and registration site processing.

During Pen Pal registration you may choose to communicate by regular mail or email.

Parents will receive via email the name and address or email of the pen pal match by December 31, 2015.

By registering for the National Pen Pal Program, girls are committing to communicate at least once a month during the calendar year. Parents, please assist your daughters in persevering in this commitment.

Thanks!

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