



## Pathfinder Hike Program Council-Wide Patch Competition



**Submissions Due no later than September 17th, 2023**

Attention Scouts! The Golden Gate Area Council is looking for a patch design that will represent the new **Pathfinder Hike Series**. This is the new program that the Council is transitioning to from the previous hike programs (The Highland and Rim Rover Series).

### **Theme:**

Pathfinder Hike Program – Celebrating the diverse hiking opportunities in the Golden Gate Area Council

Elements that must be part of the patch design:

- "Pathfinder Hike Program"
- "Golden Gate Area Council"
- A catchphrase (can be like the language from the legacy patches i.e. "An Ongoing Quest" or "Rim of The Bay Progressive Trek")

### **Design Rules:**

- The design must be for a 6 inch diameter round patch (individual hikes will have specific rockers that can be placed around the main patch)
- The design must promote/represent the theme of "**Hiking**"
- Suggested design elements:
  - Landmarks from within the Council (Mt. Diablo, Golden Gate Bridge, Clear Lake, East Bay Hills, San Francisco Bay, Redwoods, Ships, etc.).
  - Scouts – including diversity elements (male/female/ethnicity/age).
  - Items/symbols synonymous with Pathfinder such as "discovery", "exploration", "navigation".
- The design can include up to 12 colors.

**Email design entries to: [Craig Mizutani](#)  
no later than 11:59pm, Sunday, September 17, 2023**

The winning design will be selected by a team of judges from the Golden Gate Area Council. The winner will be announced in the Council e-News and will be recognized at **LEAD 2024**.

The legacy **Rim Rover** and **Highlander** patch images can be found [HERE](#)