

## The Ministry Values of AHG

The following values, in addition to those values included in the American Heritage Girls' Oath and Creed, should be reflected in all AHG activities.

- Each person is a child of God and made in His image. Each person is to be treated respectfully and fairly whether they are a Christian or not. The dignity of each girl and Volunteer must be maintained despite her/his background, past experiences or socioeconomic group.
- AHG is designed to protect the innocence of children. Media of all types must be chosen with purity, age appropriateness, and God's glorification in mind.
- AHG's Program is developmentally appropriate and does not intend to "hurry" a child in mastery but encourage enjoyment of the process and learning along the way. The program is progressive in nature, encouraging each girl to become competent in a manner which encourages development, but not rushing it.
- AHG believes that one can only lead others to a stronger relationship with Christ if the leader is also maturing in relationship with Christ, as evidenced by godly attitudes, behaviors and personal spiritual growth.
- AHG believes that one's service to the AHG Ministry should be of excellence and that befitting of our Lord.



- AHG believes that financial stewardship and organizational integrity is of utmost concern and a direct reflection of Christ through His ministry. AHG believes in the importance of godly governance and encourages transparency with the work of its directors.
- AHG believes that strategic alliances are important and vital to the success of the AHG Ministry. With this in mind, alliances must be carefully chosen and reflective of the Mission, Statement of Faith and values found in the AHG Creed.
- AHG believes that through a longevity of experience, consistency in messaging, and a modeling of Christ's love through the AHG program, that the culture can be countered, raising up godly women leaders for the coming generations.
- AHG believes that each person is created in His image and desires to commune with and seek God's will for their life. The vocation that God has revealed to each one is of great merit, despite societal messaging, for we are not of this world but in this world.