

Discussion Guide

Episode 7: Change-makers | 10/8/20

Hello girls and troop leaders! Welcome to another edition of G-Team TV! Today's episode is all about the final part of our mission: making the world a better place. You heard from some incredible change-makers in the Girl Scout Movement, including our very own interim CEO, Judith Batty! But the change-makers we focus on at Girl Scouts are the girls. Use the questions below to discuss with your friends how you can change the world for the better.

General Questions

- Who do you think of as a change-maker?
- What does "making the world a better place" mean to you?

Change-maker: Disability Rights Activist Paloma R.

- Paloma identified a gap in Florida's support for children with blindness and advocated her state legislature to address that need. What's a gap you see in your community, and how could your local or state government make a difference if you asked?
- If you were going make a book cover to represent your life, what would you put on it?

Change-maker: GSUSA Interim CEO Judith Batty

- If you could ask Judith anything, what would you want to know? Let us know on Instagram: ogirlscouts. Your question could be chosen for her to answer!
- Judith was a Girl Scout and girl delegate before she became a member of the board and now interim CEO. As you think about your future at Girl Scouts, what more would you like to do with the organization?
- Judith pointed out that although all girls **are** welcome at Girl Scouts, not all girls have **felt** welcome. What can Girl Scouts do at a girl, troop, council, and national level to strengthen an inclusive and welcoming environment?
- What does it mean to you to be part of an international network of Girl Scouts and Girl Guides?

Change-makers: National Council Session Girl Delegates

- Why does having girl delegates voting and contributing to the governance of Girl Scouts?
- Have you met with your council's girl delegates or other leadership? What would you want them or GSUSA to know about your Girl Scout experience?

Take It Further!

- If you want to learn to change the world like Paloma, join us Saturday, October 10, for Girl Scouts Change the World to learn all about how you can make a difference and earn your highest awards. Register today! (And if you missed it, no worries, check out the recording on Girl Scouts at Home.)
- Have thoughts and opinions about G-Team TV? Let us know in our short survey!