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The Monthly Newsletter for GIRLS WHO CODE Club Facilitators

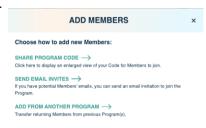


Member registration is better than ever.

Check out the newest way to register members for your Club.

Club members used to have to register for HQ once and then join using a Club Code each year. Now you can register your returning members by importing them to your new Club.

Just visit the Members tab in HQ and locate the add members button.



Now you can choose to share your program code so members can see it large on a screen and join your Club through HQ, email the code to your Club members, or add from another program. You'll be able to specify which Club and which members you're importing.

Check out the EY STEM APP

from our partner, Ernst & Young

Using gamified learning and content from world-renowned providers, the EY STEM App opens up a world of possibilities for girls.

<u>Learn more about how to earn rewards, mentorship, and donate through this exciting opportunity!</u>

Launch Your Club Webinars are Back!

We are back with our 2022-23 Season of Launch Your Club Webinars! Not only will you learn all things Club related during these webinars, you'll also get a chance to ask questions LIVE, meet some Regional Support Specialists, and connect with other Facilitators of Girls Who Code Clubs. Please consider joining us whether this is your first Club or if you're a seasoned pro. Our 3rd-5th Grade Launch Your Club Webinar will be Aug 17, 2022 05:00 PM ET, Register Here. Our 6th-12th Grade Launch Your Club Webinar will be Aug 17, 2022 06:00 PM ET, Register Here.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Join us for our August Launch Your Club Webinar where we introduce you to our 2022-23 Club Curriculum.

3rd-5th Aug 17th 5 PM ET Register Here

6th-12th Aug 17 6 PM ET Register Here

This week we are wrapping up our third round of our Virtual Summer Immersion Program. You can see what our students are creating in our Project Gallery. If you or someone you know is interested in applying for SIP next year, make sure to join our mailing list to be alerted when applications become available again.









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Club Spotlight

CA42956: Ivan Silva/California **Club at Belvedere Tiburon** Library hosted multiple summer sessions taught by high school volunteers.

The Club held six Girls Who Code sessions at the Belvedere Tiburon Library from June 22 to July 8. Two high school volunteers led the sessions and there were four participants at every session. The

library provided a room with laptops and snacks for each session. The volunteers logged on to HQ to access the curriculum, but the library liaison, as the lead Facilitator, created the Club on the platform. While Girls Who Code cannot provide Facilitator access to HQ for volunteers under the age of 18, you are still welcome to work with them in your Club. For questions and ideas on how to make this work for your Club, reach out to your Regional Specialist.



A highlight of the program was watching how much fun girls had when they made games they were able to actually play using Scratch. I think the informal atmosphere with snacks worked well for the program.

Club Facilitator

Upcoming Opportunities for YOU & your Club Members

The following opportunities have been shared with us to share with you. Girls Who Code is not affiliated with any of the following experiences.

SciArt Exchange in collaboration with NASA Earth Applied Sciences is excited to bring to you the free international Science in Action Comic Strip Contest. The contest is live now and the deadline has been extended to August 31st. You can find information including a Kickoff Webinar and a flyer to help promote to your community on their website. This contest is open to high school (14-18 years old) and college-aged students, adults, and professionals (18+) who will create action-packed comics that tell the story of how satellite imagery benefits life on Earth, helping communities protect our oceans, air, and land. Winners will receive visibility for their artwork through NASA and SciArt Exchange networks and events, thus engaging those who see the comics that they create with their amazing stories.

Power On! Facilitator Guide is a free educator resource with discussion questions, handouts, and activities to accompany the Power On! graphic novel (Jean J. Ryoo & Jane Margolis, MIT Press). Developed in partnership with Computer Science Teachers Association (CSTA) Equity Fellows and aligned to CSTA CS Standards, the guide provides practical tools to support CS learning and critical conversations about computing such as algorithmic bias, underrepresentation in CS, and careers with tech. Designed for students both in and out of the classroom as well as for professional development.

Learn more and download the free guide at poweronbook.com/resources.



The NASA TechRise Student Challenge is back for 2022-23! Sign up to participate and you could win \$1500 to build a high-altitude balloon experiment with awesome tech mentors and launch it on a NASAsponsored flight! https://futureengineers.org/nasatechrise