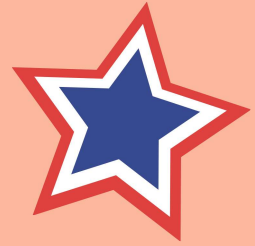




America 250 Patch Program



**250 years ago, on July 4, 1776, the
“Declaration of Independence” was signed.**

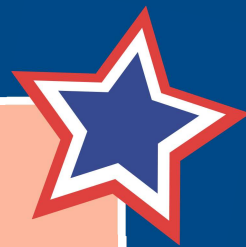
Happy Birthday, America!

**Let’s celebrate this special occasion by
showing devotion and support for our
country!**



**Celebrate 250 Years of American
History with a Special Patch
Program!**

**In cooperation with the Pierre de Mandeville Chapter
of the National Society of the Daughters of the
American Revolution.**



Patriotism

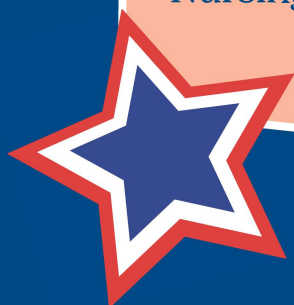
- Learn patriotic songs (to sing and/or sign using ASL).
- Make red, white, & blue friendship bracelets (beads or woven).
- Learn about the American flag from 1776 & today.
- Make an “America 250!” photo booth & share pictures.
- Plant red, white, & blue flowers seeds (corn flower/bachelor button).
- Tie dye shirts (red, white, & blue) for 4th of July celebration.
- Learn to fold the American flag in the proper way.

Historical Preservation

- Create a paper doll or corn husk doll craft. Find ideas on the web.
- Record, combine, & share bicentennial memories from family members & friends.
- Collect old family recipes, combine, & share with your troop.
- Create a family tree.
- Visit a historical landmark in your area (<https://www.htmb.org>).
- Make a knotted bandana quilt (with red, white, & blue bandanas).

Service

- Collect non-perishable food items & toiletries for troops overseas or a local food bank. Example
(<https://www.operationwecare.com/index.php>)
- Make cards or write letters of gratitude to active-duty military, veterans, and/or first responders.
- Hold an indoor parade with floats made from boxes decorated red, white, & blue.
- Hold a mini concert or sing-along singing patriotic songs at a local Nursing Home or Assisted Living Center or Veterans’ Homes in your community.



How Did You Celebrate the Red White and Blue?



How old were you?



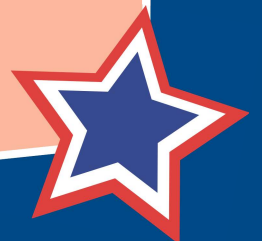
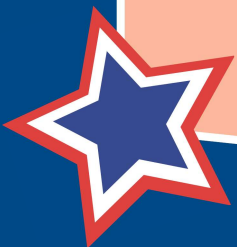
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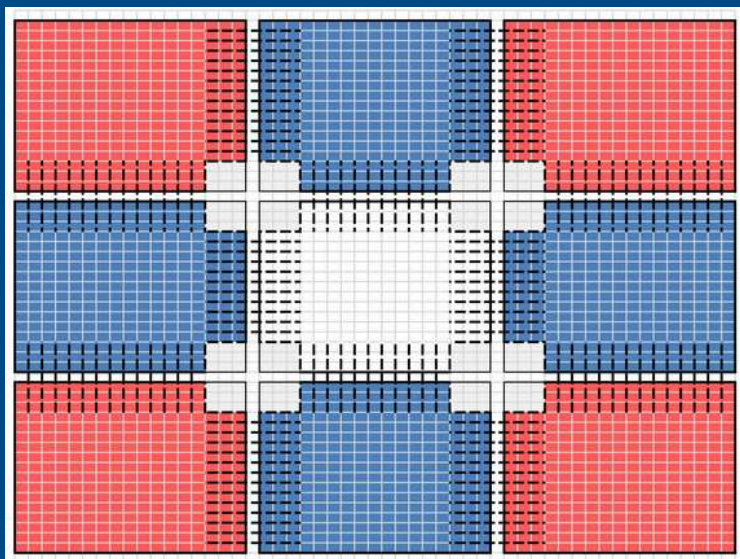


Special Events?



Special Projects?





**Enjoy a
Bandana
Quilt Activity
to Celebrate!**

The following need to be completed in order to earn the
badge:

Daisies - 3 items (1 per category)

Brownies - 6 items (minimum 1 per category)

Juniors and above - 9 items (minimum 1 per category)

250 Patch Order Form

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____

Troop # _____

Age Group _____