



Kelcie Marquardt

Kelcie Marquardt, Shawnee, Kansas, is a sophomore at Mill Valley High School. She has been a Girl Scout for 10 years and is a member of Troop #3218, Service Unit 671.

Kelcie used her passion for swing dancing to establish MV Jive at Mill Valley High School as her Gold Award project. MV Jive is a swing dance club where students are able to attend a lesson, make social connections with peers, and participate in a physical activity. She is now working with other students to make the program sustainable.

Kelcie utilized organization, communication, and presentation skills to lead the club to complete her Gold Award project.

"I was responsible for advertising, teaching lessons, scheduling meetings and field trips, and communicating with administrators," said Kelcie.

**2009
GOLD
AWARD
RECIPIENT**