

S'more News

exclusively for leaders and volunteers

The GSCV Office & Shop will be closed Thursday, July 4th and Friday, July 5th in observance of Independence Day.
We will reopen Monday, July 8th.



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End of Year Troop Finance and Program Report



Thank you for all you do as Girl Scout volunteers! We know you had an amazing year filled with lasting memories for your troop. Now it is time to share with GSCV all the exciting adventures you experienced. With the information you provide, we will have a better understanding of program events and activities that troops enjoyed throughout the year. This provides valuable feedback for planning purposes and member services support.

There are two parts to the report: Finance Report and a Program Report. Both are due to the GSCV Help Desk (gshelper@comgirlscouts.org) by **June 30th**.

This report is required to be on file each year and is part of the troop leader reappointment process.

[Download the Report Here](#)

Press Play: Grab Your Summer Camp Essentials at the Girl Scout Shop!



Join the Girl Scouts Outdoor Challenge!



Gear up for the ultimate outdoor adventure with the Girl Scouts Love the Outdoors Challenge! From hiking to stargazing, there's something for everyone.

Spending at least 120 minutes a week in nature is associated with improved mood, focus, and confidence—whether you spend that time becoming a rockstar at rock climbing or making a splash in the puddles around your neighborhood.

You don't need access to a national park or the woods to enjoy the outdoors!

Download our free activity sheet with 50+ fun activities to see what's possible right outside your own front door today!

Start planning your Girl Scout's summer and unlock that limited-edition patch.



[Download the Activity Sheet](#)



[Get the Patch Here!](#)

Program Events & Activities

Save the Date for Girl Scout Medical Day!

HCA Healthcare

☐ **Save the Date!** ☐

Calling all Seniors, Ambassadors, and their families!

Girl Scout Medical Day is coming to Chippenham Hospital on **September 21st, 2024, from 9am to 12pm** for our Seniors, Ambassadors, and their families!

Get ready for a morning full of exciting, hands-on medical adventures! Here's a sneak peek of what's in store:

- **Explore the DaVinci Robot:** See cutting-edge medical technology in action!

- **Life Flight Helicopter:** Step inside and learn about emergency air rescue.
- **Service Dogs:** Meet and learn about the important work of service dogs.
- **Suturing Practice:** Try your hand at suturing like a real surgeon.
- **Imaging:** Discover the world of medical imaging and diagnostics.
- **CPR Training:** Learn life-saving skills.
- **PT/OT Activities:** Dive into physical and occupational therapy.
- **Food Services:** Enjoy delicious treats and learn about nutrition.
- **Lab Services:** Explore the fascinating world of medical labs.
- **Galen School of Nursing:** Meet future nurses and see their training in action.
- **Volunteer Services:** Find out how you can get involved and make a difference.
- **Meet the Experts:** Chat with physicians and nurses from various specialties.

This is an incredible opportunity for Girl Scouts to experience the medical field, up close and personal. This is a no-cost event, as the opportunity is funded by HCA Healthcare.

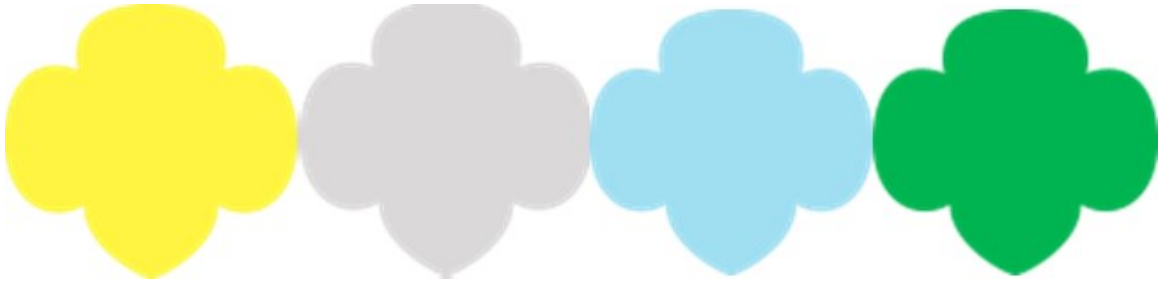
Fill out [this form](#) to stay up to date with all the latest information and updates about this exciting event. Mark your calendars and join us for a day of learning, fun, and inspiration!

Fall Product Program

Planning for the new membership year? Here are the important dates for the upcoming Fall Product Program.

Mark Your Calendar!	
Start date	Sept. 7
Date orders should be in the system for girl delivery by Parent or Guardian	Oct. 1
Date orders should be in the system for girl delivery by Troop Leader	Oct. 3
Fredericksburg Nut and Candy drive thru and delivery	Oct. 18
Richmond and Chesterfield Nut and Candy drive thru delivery	Oct. 19
Rural deliveries	Oct. 21-24
Second chance orders pickup Fredericksburg	Oct. 22
Second chance orders pickup Richmond	Oct. 24
Second chance orders pickup Dunmar	Oct. 24
Last date for magazines and nuts online purchase	Nov. 7
ACH Draft	Nov. 13

Training Opportunities



**Save the Date: Mark your calendars for Fall Training Opportunities.
Registration coming soon!**

**September 27-28, 2024
Pamunkey Ridge**

T.R.E.K. Weekend

**October 12-13, 2024
Camp "Kitty" Kittamaqund**

Intermediate Camping

**October 12-13, 2024
Pamunkey Ridge**

**Paddle Sports training (canoe, kayak,
paddle board)**

**November 2, 2024
Pamunkey Ridge**

Beginning Camping

**Open 24/7
on-demand**

gsLearn 

T.R.E.K. Weekend Registration is NOW OPEN!



Join us for this year's **T.R.E.K** weekend, where **T**roop leaders can **R**elax and **E**njoy while gaining **K**nowledge for themselves and their troop. **Save these dates: September 27 & 28**, and join us for exciting Girl Scout *leader-focused* workshops, networking around the campfire, and a chance to explore Pamunkey Ridge Camp. **A special session includes information on Juliette Gordon Low's birthplace in Savannah, Georgia.** We are celebrating our founder, Juliette, with a Georgia-inspired menu and décor. This adult-only weekend is just for you! Click the link below to register.

[Register Here!](#)

Questions about training? Need assistance registering for a training course?
Contact the GSCV help desk: gshelper@comgirlscouts.org

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Summer office hours: Monday - Thursday | 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday | 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Summer shop hours: Monday - Thursday | 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Friday | 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday | CLOSED

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