CHANGING THE WORLD BY THE NUMBERS

14,488 GIRLS GRADES K-12 PARTICIPATED IN THE GIRL SCOUT LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

1,635 LIFETIME MEMBERS

4 SERVICE CENTERS

89 FULL AND PART TIME STAFF

40 SERVICE UNITS WITH DEDICATED VOLUNTEER TEAMS

8,125 ADULT MEMBERS

1,188 TROOPS

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1,420 GIRLS AND ADULTS ATTENDED OVERNIGHT CAMP

2,900 GIRLS PARTICIPATED IN VOLUNTEER-RUN DAY CAMPS

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9 PROGRAM CENTERS AND CAMPS

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A GRAND TOTAL OF $23,000 WAS AWARDED IN SCHOLARSHIPS TO 2018 GOLD AWARD GIRL SCOUTS

25 GOLD AWARD GIRL SCOUTS

356 BRONZE AWARD AND 175 SILVER AWARD PINS PURCHASED IN CELEBRATION OF COMPLETED PROJECTS

2,134,224 BOXES OF GIRL SCOUT COOKIES SOLD

8,388 GIRLS PARTICIPATED IN THE GIRL SCOUT COOKIE PROGRAM

4,530 VOLUNTEER TRAININGS COMPLETED IN-PERSON AND ONLINE

2,294 IN-PERSON TRAININGS WERE COMPLETED

52 GIRLS AND ADULTS PARTICIPATED IN THE GIRL SCOUTS BEYOND BARS PROGRAM

944 GIRLS PARTICIPATED IN PUENTES PROGRAMS AT 20 SITES AND 308 GIRLS PARTICIPATED IN COMMUNITY TROOPS

230 GSOSW SPONSORED PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

9 GIRLS FROM GSOSW ATTENDED GSUSA-SPONSORED DESTINATIONS TRAVEL EXPERIENCES

2,900 GIRLS AND ADULTS ATTENDED GIRLIFEST AND ENJOYED 70 HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES

RECIPIENTS WERE GRANTED A TOTAL OF $118,159 IN FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR CAMP

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STATEMENT OF **REVENUE AND EXPENSE**

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR WHICH ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

**REVENUE**

A: Community support or donations.......................... $828,229
B: Product sales (net)............................................ 6,667,820
C: Program fees.................................................. 768,033
D: Investment income/endowments/other............... 252,862

Total public support and revenue $8,516,944

**EXPENSES**

A: Program services........................................... $7,076,653
B: Management and general................................ 842,980
C: Fundraising.................................................. 544,718

Total operating expenses $8,464,351

Net operating income $52,593

Net non-operating activities $149,494

Change in net assets $202,087

Find a detailed statement of financial position online at girlscoutssow.org/financials.
BRONZE AWARD SPOTLIGHT

The Girl Scout Bronze Award is the highest honor a Girl Scout Junior (grades 4-5) can achieve. To earn the award, girls work together as a team to identify and respond to a community need, completing a minimum of 20 hours of leadership. In 2018, approximately 356 Girl Scouts earned the Bronze Award in our council. Among them were Troop 40129 of Camas, Washington, who partnered with a local animal shelter to brighten the days of pets waiting to be adopted. The girls visited the shelter to read to cats and dogs, providing much needed socialization that increases the pets’ chance of adoption. Plus, the girls sharpened their reading skills along the way! Troop 30021 of Phoenix, Oregon created a video based on their learning during the Amuse Journey to educate their peers at local elementary schools on stereotyping. And Troop 41702 of Forest Grove, Oregon built bat houses and displayed them at local Farmer’s Markets to promote bat conservation. One of the bat houses was even installed and dedicated at Mountaindale Outdoor Program Center! Learn about these projects and more at girlscoutsosw.org/bronze.

SILVER AWARD SPOTLIGHT

The Girl Scout Silver Award is the highest honor a Girl Scout Cadette (grades 6-8) can achieve. To earn the award, girls may work as an individual or in small groups to identify and respond to a community need. Projects require a minimum of 50 hours of leadership, and must have lasting community impact. In 2018, approximately 175 Girl Scouts earned the Silver Award in our council. One such Girl Scout was Ember Holman of Springfield, Oregon, who helped a local pre-school develop a community garden! Over six months, Ember worked closely with staff at the pre-school to plan and develop the garden, culminating in a Planting Day in August. Ember chose this project because she enjoys small children and wanted to help them learn about gardening and where their food comes from. Along the way, she learned more about gardening, as well as herself! She discovered that she’s good at asking for support, and that communication can be challenging. Her advice for other Girl Scouts seeking their Silver Award? Be persistent! Learn more about this and other Silver Award projects at girlscoutsosw.org/silver.
Congratulations to the 25 young women who earned the Girl Scout Gold Award in 2018! Discover their incredible projects at girlscoutsosw.org/gogold.

The Girl Scout Gold Award is the highest honor a Girl Scout can achieve and recognizes extraordinary leadership.
A YEAR OF CELEBRATION

2018 was a milestone year for GSOSW! In June, we celebrated 70 Years of Camp Arrowhead with a friends and family gathering at camp. Participants enjoyed canoeing, hiking, rock climbing and archery, and sang happy birthday to this beloved camp! In October, more than 400 Girl Scouts celebrated 10 years of Girl Scouts OSW at anniversary events in Bend, Eugene, Medford and Portland. And in November, Cambia Health Solutions hosted a celebration of 20 years of the Girl Scouts Beyond Bars program in Oregon! Alums, staff and supporters came together to reflect on the program’s two decades of success and hear from GSBB Advisory Board members Oregon Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum (local program founder) and Crystal Mourlas-Jaun. Learn more about GSOSW outdoor programs at girlscoutsosw.org/outdoor and about the Girl Scouts Beyond Bars program at girlscoutsosw.org/GSBB.

GIRL SCOUT STEM PROGRAMS TAKE GIRLS TO NEW HEIGHTS

In July, GSOSW hosted a GSUSA Destinations program—Astronomy Adventure—in partnership with the Pine Mountain Observatory, the University of Oregon and the SETI Institute*. Through this program, 10 Girl Scouts from throughout the U.S. (including Oregon!) learned to operate telescopes, engaged in solar and dark sky observations, collected and analyzed data, and flexed their leadership muscles. They developed outdoor skills as they camped under the stars in the Deschutes National Forest.

This fall, Girl Scouts throughout our council celebrated the launch of 30 new STEM-related badges and two new Journeys at Space Science and Cybersecurity badge release parties in Eugene, Medford and Portland! To learn more about GSOSW STEM programs, visit girlscoutsosw.org/STEM.

OUR COMMITMENT TO EQUITY

Equity, diversity and inclusion are core values of Girl Scouts of Oregon and Southwest Washington, and we recognize that a commitment to these values is a living commitment that requires attention, reflection and continual action. Learn more about our commitment by reading our Equity Statement at girlscoutsosw.org/equity.
THE G.I.R.L. AGENDA IN ACTION

The G.I.R.L. Agenda—a nonpartisan initiative to inspire, prepare and mobilize girls to lead positive change through civic action—came to life for local girls this year. On March 12, 2018, more than 100 Girl Scouts gathered at the Oregon State Capitol as Governor Kate Brown proclaimed the first official Girl Scout Leadership Day in Oregon. On this special day—Girl Scouts’ 106th birthday—girls toured the Oregon State Capitol, met and mingled with legislators, and welcomed Governor Kate Brown as a lifetime member of Girl Scouts!

In addition to the first Girl Scout Leadership Day, 220 Girl Scouts participated in tours of county elections offices to follow the path of the ballot. These behind the scenes tours in counties all throughout our council took place on election nights and gave girls an up-close look at how ballots are processed. Girls saw each step of the process, had an opportunity to ask questions, and learned that every vote counts!

LATINA ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM GROWS IN 2018

GSOSW’s Latina Engagement Program works to expand the opportunity for girls from diverse backgrounds to participate in the powerful Girl Scout leadership model, through staff-led troops in after school programs and community based organizations. In 2018, the Latina Engagement Program—through its Community Troops and Puentes Summer Program—served approximately 300 more girls at 7 more sites than in 2017. Learn more about these impactful programs at girlscoutosw.org/latinaengagment.

Visit girlscoutosw.org to see more details of the 2018 membership year, including property improvements and a detailed statement of financial position. Also available online is a complete list of our valued donors and corporate sponsors as well as a listing of GSOSW’s board of directors.
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Save the date to celebrate female leadership and support the next generation of female leaders!

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2019 & MONDAY, MAY 20, 2020

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