

Girl Scouts. Courageous. Resilient. Strong.

2020 Annual Report

Courageous. Resilient. Strong. By the numbers.

girls grades K-12 participated in the Girl Scout Leadership Experience

lifetime members

1.831

adult members

Girl Scout troops

service units with dedicated volunteer teams

2,222,564

boxes of Girl Scout Cookies sold

service centers

girls participated in the Girl Scout Cookie Program

full and part time staff

program centers and camps

25,87

boxes of Girl Scout Cookies donated to Meals on Wheels People

Camp On! Experience Kits were mailed to girls during summer 2020, with Art in the Outdoors, Wizards in the Outdoors and STEM in the Outdoors themes

Approximately

4.000

girls participated in virtual Camp In Campout events

Girl Scouts throughout our council earned a total of

badges, including:

STEM Badges

Outdoor Adventure Badges &

GSOSW-sponsored in-person program activities (through March 2020)

GSOSW-sponsored virtual program activities

girls and adults participated in the Girl Scouts Beyond Bars program (15 troop leaders, 21 girls)

A total of **S27. 000**

was awarded in scholarships to Gold Award Girl Scouts

Silver Award Girl Scouts

Bronze Award Girl Scouts

girls participated in Puentes virtual and at-home programs &

girls participated in community troop programming

required volunteer trainings were completed online &

volunteer trainings were completed in person (including live, virtual)

Girl Scouts



Issues of the World, Meet Your Match.



GSOSW's 2020 Gold Award Girl Scouts

Gold Award Girl Scouts don't just change the world for the better, they change it for good. The Gold Award is earned by girls in grades 9–12 who demonstrate extraordinary leadership in developing sustainable solutions to community problems. Learn more at <u>girlscoutsosw.org/gogold</u>.

Cameron Aalto Portland, Oregon

Caitlin Anderson Beaverton, Oregon

Jocelyn Bauck Portland, Oregon

Charlotte Bauer Beaverton, Oregon

Jamie Bazen Medford, Oregon

Bryanna Berlin Lincoln City, Oregon

Teresina Divergilio Lake Oswego, Oregon **Paige Hayward** Portland, Oregon

Ryanne Hill Medford, Oregon

Sophie Holden Colton, Oregon

Grace Hunter Portland, Oregon

Alissa Jurich Hillsboro, Oregon

Gabrielle Karber Vancouver, Washington

Nicole Kistner Albany, Oregon **Courtney Kostka** Bend, Oregon

Emma Legault Portland, Oregon

Rachel Loberger Hillsboro, Oregon

Arielle McMahan Eagle Point, Oregon

Anna Milmore Troutdale, Oregon

Madison Montgomery Jefferson, Oregon

Devan Nasby North Bend, Oregon



Former GSUSA CEO Sylvia Acevedo delivered the keynote address at GSOSW's first-ever virtual Gold Award Recognition Ceremony.

Mia Sedory Portland, Oregon

Christa Warren Oregon City, Oregon

Emma Wipper Portland, Oregon





Silver Award Girl Scouts

Silver Award Girl Scouts and sisters Sophia and Olivia Thornburg wanted to increase access to books and bring their community together safely, so they built a Little Free Library book-sharing box in their hometown of La Grande, Oregon. They collected books to stock the library, and practiced project management and construction skills through the building process. In 2020, 39 girls earned the Girl Scout Silver Award—the highest award for girls grades 6-8. Learn more at <u>girlscoutsosw.org/silver</u>!

Bronze Award Girl Scouts

Bronze Award Girl Scouts Ava and Keira of Troop 12811 are passionate about dogs, and wanted to inform their community about how to keep them safe. The girls created an educational flier teaching dog owners about poisonous flowers commonly planted in Portland, as well as how quickly temperatures inside a car can get hot or cold. The flier was distributed at pet stores, veterinary offices, and pet rescue/adoption agencies. In 2020, 148 girls earned the Girl Scout Bronze Award—the highest award for girls grades 4-5. Learn more at <u>girlscoutsosw.org/bronze</u>!

Building Skills, Becoming Leaders.

The Girl Scout Leadership Experience prepares girls for a lifetime of leadership, success, and adventure through engaging, hands-on programming in the areas of STEM, the outdoors, life skills and entrepreneurship.



Girl Scouts are Civically Engaged

In November 2019, Girl Scouts met with U.S. Congressman Earl Blumenauer to learn how they can be civically engaged and make the world a better place. And as part of GSOSW's commitment to a just and equitable world, GSOSW Girl Scouts were able to <u>earn their Citizen and</u> Democracy badges for free in 2020.



Girl Scouts are Entrepeneurs

During the 2020 Girl Scout Cookie Program, GSOSW debuted Lemon-Ups® Girl Scout Cookies with the help of Mother's Bistro & Bar Owner and Executive Chef, Lisa Schroeder. Chef Lisa shared her business experience—and <u>a delectible</u> <u>cheesecake recipe</u>—with Girl Scouts throughout our council.



Girl Scouts Get Outdoors

GSOSW capped off the membership year with the very first <u>Girls in the</u> <u>Woods Week</u>, a virtual alternative to a beloved summer program for Girl Scouts in grades 6-12. The week also saw the launch of <u>GSOSW's Outdoor</u> <u>Career Exploration patch program</u>, inspiring girls to explore careers in the outdoor industry.

To Help People at All Times.

In challenging times, Girl Scouts naturally wonder what they can do to help. And then they take action—with thoughtful, impactful solutions that make the world a better place.



National Service Projects

Throughout the COVID-19 crisis, Girl Scouts in Oregon and Southwest Washington leapt to the aid of others by engaging in acts of service and kindness—including letter-writing to seniors in assisted living facilities, maskmaking for frontline workers, COVID-safe community food drives and more. Learn more about the projects girls in our council and around the nation participated in this past year at <u>girlscouts.org/nationalserviceprojects</u>.



Wildfire Relief

As wildfires devastated communities across Oregon and Washington, Girl Scouts stepped up to help. Girls donated Girl Scout Cookies to shelters, made encouraging signs for first responders, and <u>donated</u> <u>Program Credits to relief efforts</u>. GSOSW opened its doors to Girl Scout families in need of shelter, and offered assistance to Girl Scouts whose uniforms or books were damaged or lost in the fires.

Virtually Unstoppable.

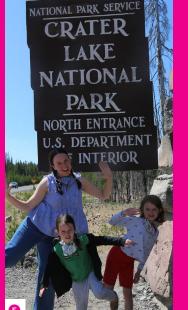
From virtual troop meetings and <u>at-home activities</u>, to socially distanced outdoor adventures and take action projects with family—nothing can stop these go-getting Girl Scouts! To the dedicated volunteers and families who made these adventures possible with creativity and resilience: **THANK YOU**!





















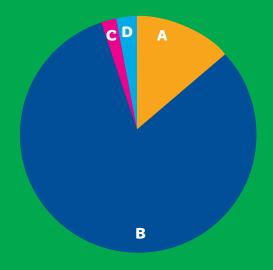


1 GSOSW Troop 12316 met virtually over Zoom with pen pals and Girl Scout sisters from Japan Hyogo Troop 27. **2** Girl Scout Senior Deja F. makes homemade masks for first responders. **3** Girl Scout Brownie Troop 10851 grew crystals overnight as they worked together virtually on their <u>Home Scientist badge</u>. **4** Girl Scout Junior Azielia J. went fishing with family to complete her <u>Great Outdoors Challenge</u>. **5** Girl Scout sisters Penny and Lulu visited Crater Lake National Park with their family to earn the <u>Girl Scout Ranger 19th Amendment patches</u>. **6** Girl Scout Brownie Troop 11487 created a <u>socially-distanced letterbox activity</u> for families in a local park. **7** Girl Scout Jasmine W. <u>taught girls how to make an upcycled dog toy</u> as part of <u>six weeks of athome programming</u> produced by GSOSW girls and staff. **8** Girl Scout Troop 10770 continued to meet virtually, earning badges and having fun with activities like this virtual painting party! **10** Girl Scout Daisy Ruby brought the Daisy Flower Garden to life for the Portland Rose Festival's 2020 Porch Parade. **11** Multi-level Troop 42040 set up a balloon wall for a socially-distanced bridging activity, one family at a time. **12-14** GSOSW Girl Scouts made blanket forts, oven s'mores and outdoor art projects at one of three virtual Camp In Campout events throughout the summer.

Statement of Revenue and Expense

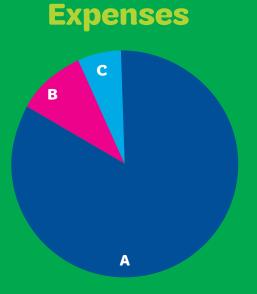
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Revenue



Revenue

A: Community support or donations	\$1,035,944
B: Product sales (net)	6,809,376
C: Program fees	
D: Investment income/endowments/other	
Total public support and revenue	\$8,206,361



Expenses

A: Program services B: Management and general C: Fundraising	
Total operating expenses	\$7,723,559
Net operating income Net non-operating activities	\$482,802 \$346,063
Change in net assets	\$828,865

Find a detailed statement of financial position online at girlscoutsosw.org/financials.