

Program Opportunities

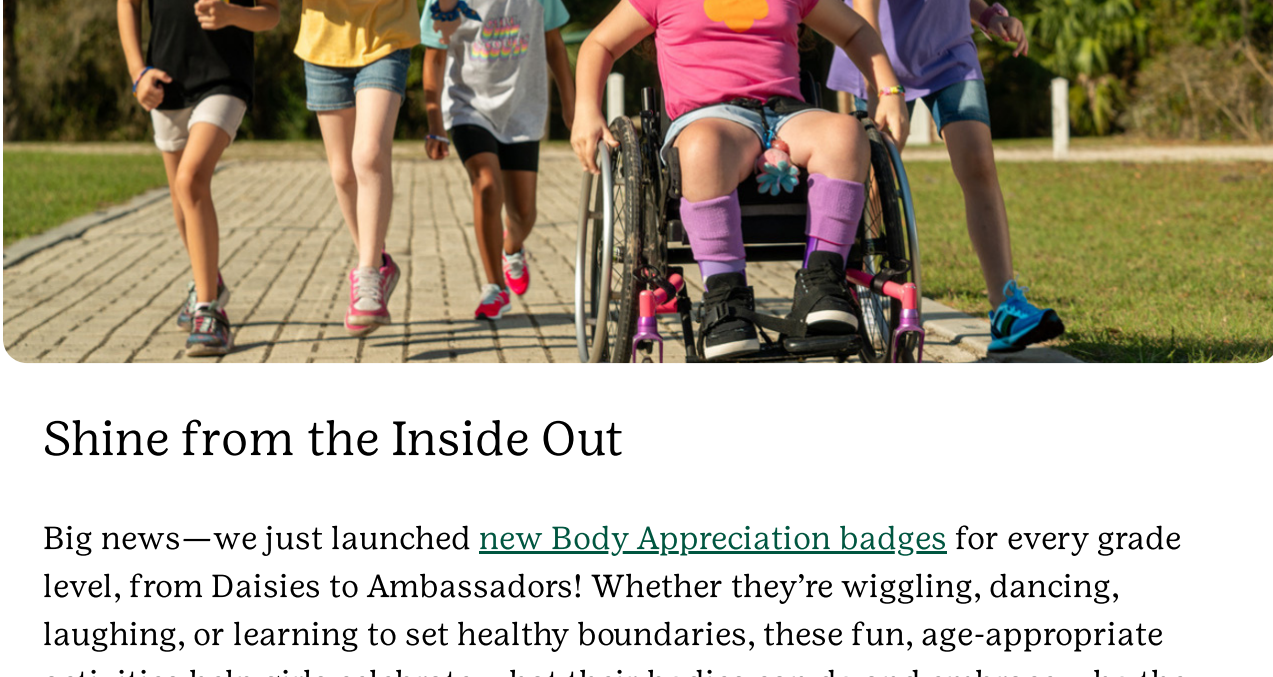
August 2025



Introducing New Leadership Awards

Girl Scouts' [new Leadership Awards](#) celebrate all the ways Girl Scouts lead—yourself, your team, and your community. Whether you're leading a team project, guiding younger kids, speaking up for change, or learning to trust your instincts, these awards recognize and support the many ways leadership shows up. They're flexible, fun, and designed to help Junior through Ambassador Girl Scouts practice leading with confidence and purpose.

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Shine from the Inside Out

Big news—we just launched [new Body Appreciation badges](#) for every grade level, from Daisies to Ambassadors! Whether they're wiggling, dancing, laughing, or learning to set healthy boundaries, these fun, age-appropriate activities help girls celebrate what their bodies can do and embrace who they are—inside and out. Girls will build lifelong habits that support emotional and physical well-being, while developing confidence, self-respect, and a culture of kindness. Made possible by Flamingo.

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Make your voice heard!



Explore cookie program reward options and let us know what you'd like to earn during the 2026 Girl Scout Cookie Program! The survey is open until July 31.

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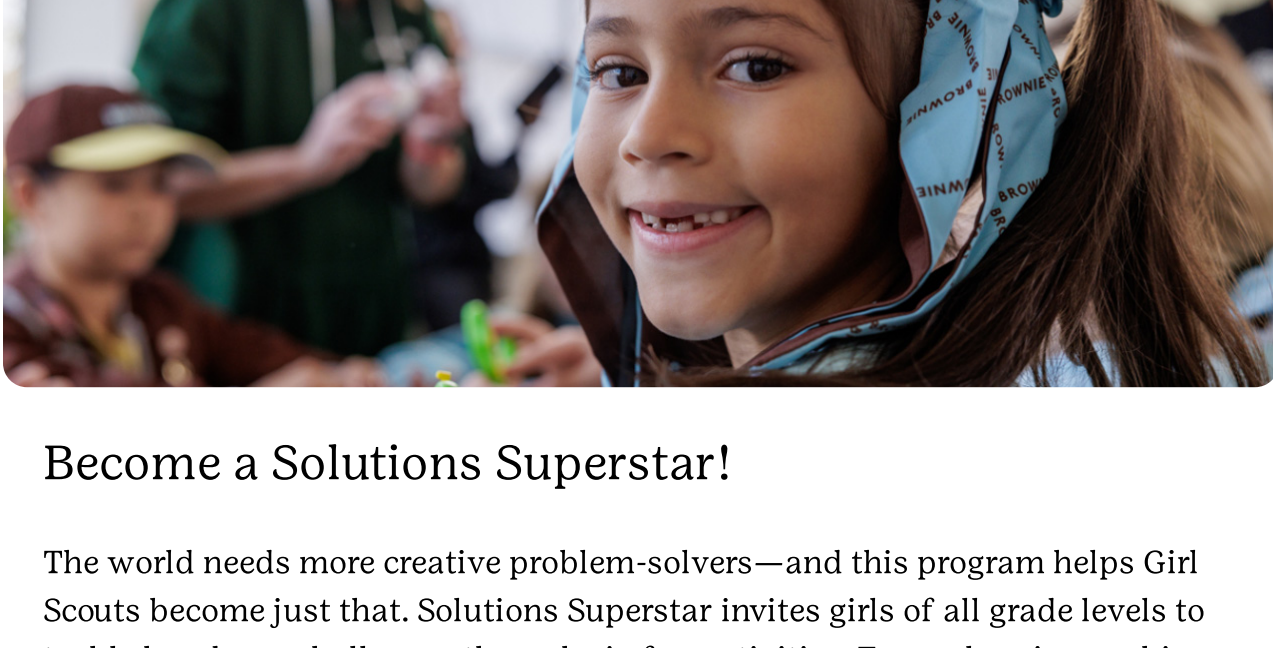


Expanded Ways to Get Started with Highest Awards

It's now easier than ever for Junior through Ambassador Girl Scouts to kick off their Bronze, Silver, or Gold Award. Already earned your Bronze or Silver? Great—each now counts as the prerequisite for the next! You can also complete one of the [new Leadership Awards](#) to build real-world skills and lead in the way that feels right for you. And if you've already started a Journey, keep going—you now only need to complete one (not two for the Gold Award!), and it will still count even after Journeys retire in October 2026.

Do you have questions about Highest Awards? [Join us for a virtual support hour on September 8 or October 21.](#)

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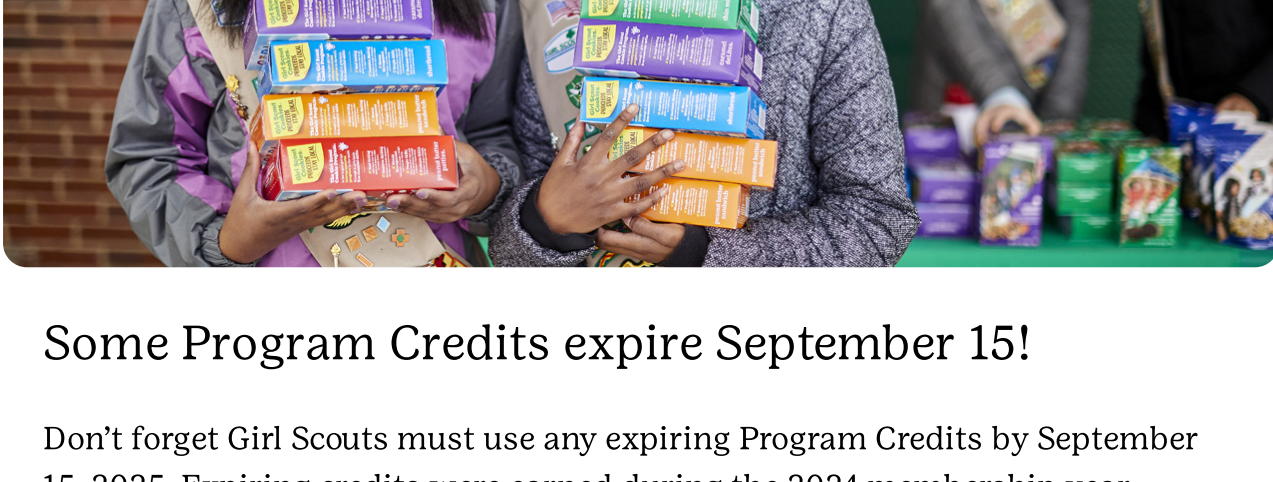
Become a Solutions Superstar!

The world needs more creative problem-solvers—and this program helps Girl Scouts become just that. Solutions Superstar invites girls of all grade levels to tackle hands-on challenges through six fun activities. From planning cookie delivery routes to inventing new gadgets, they'll build key skills like creative thinking, teamwork, and planning ahead.

Girl Scouts will put their curiosity and creativity to work while building practical life skills they can use in school, their communities, and beyond. The *Future Focus* sections will also help girls connect what they're learning to real-world careers in fields like logistics, engineering, and tech.

Access this exciting new patch program to get started today!

[DOWNLOAD NOW](#)



Some Program Credits expire September 15!

Don't forget Girl Scouts must use any expiring Program Credits by September 15, 2025. Expiring credits were earned during the 2024 membership year (October 1, 2023–September 30, 2024). Program Credits can fuel a Girl Scout's journey by contributing towards the cost of membership, council and local service unit events, day and overnight camp, Gold Award project expenses, or all the gear they need and want at the Girl Scout shop. Girl Scouts can also [transfer](#) Program Credits to their troop's bank account to support troop travel. Check out the [Program Credits](#) page for more information about Program Credits and how to use them.

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Registration is open for Teen Retreat!

Join us at [Fall Teen Retreat October 3–5, 2025](#), in Florence, Oregon for a retreat dedicated to Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors! Get ready for a three-day, two-night retreat made just for teens—packed with fun, friends, and the freedom to choose what YOU want to do. From kayaking and archery to art, STEM, and much more, you'll build your own schedule with activities that match your interests or spark something new.

[SIGN UP](#)



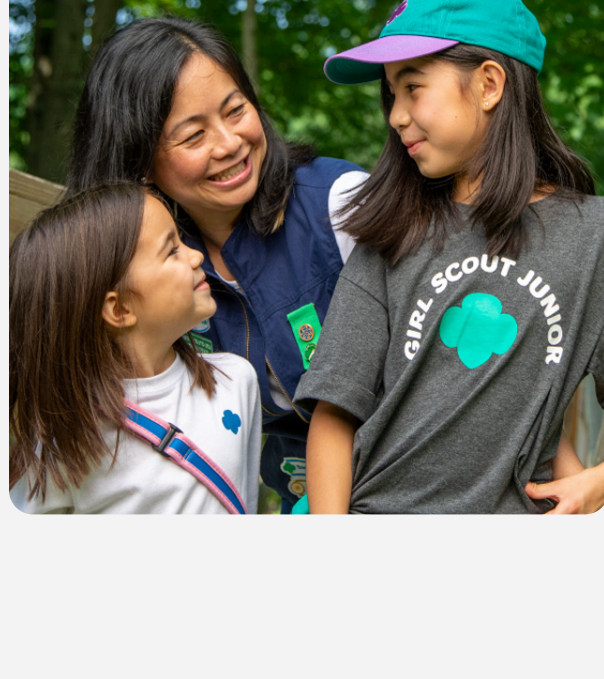
Sign up for STEM Day!

Celebrate Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math at our annual [STEM Day 2025 on Saturday, November 8](#), at the Oregon State Fair and Expo Center in Salem, Oregon! STEM Day is an expo-style event with over 70 booths to discover. Registration is open until November 2.

[SIGN UP](#)

Nominate a Girl Scout Volunteer for a National Award

Nominating a volunteer for a National Award is an amazing way to show your appreciation for all they do! We've created a [Letter of Endorsement Template](#) to simplify the process, as well as a [flowchart](#) to help you decide what award to choose. The deadline for nominations is August 31—[submit yours today!](#)



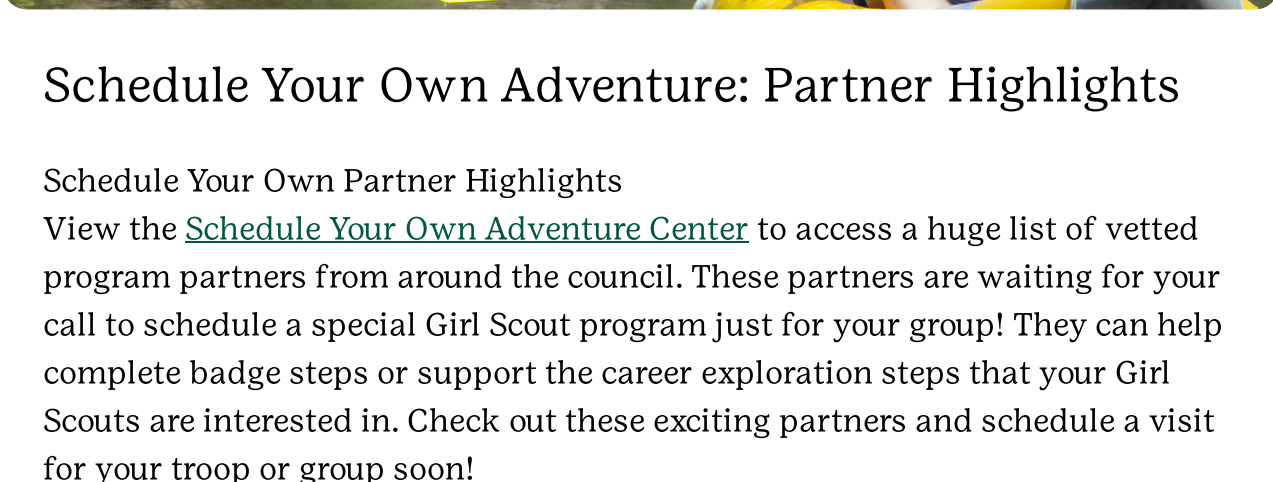
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Golden Trefoil Applications due August 31

Don't forget to complete the Golden Trefoil patch application by August 31 to receive your free patch and rocker! The Golden Trefoil patch program is a celebration of the collective effort of Girl Scouts and adult volunteers to maximize their Girl Scout experience. This patch is open to all program levels from Daisies to Ambassadors. Please note that patches will be mailed in September.

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Schedule Your Own Adventure: Partner Highlights

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View the [Schedule Your Own Adventure Center](#) to access a huge list of vetted program partners from around the council. These partners are waiting for your call to schedule a special Girl Scout program just for your group! They can help complete badge steps or support the career exploration steps that your Girl Scouts are interested in. Check out these exciting partners and schedule a visit for your troop or group soon!

Pumpkin Ridge Zip Tours

Get exploring this summer with ziplines at approved High Adventure Partner [Pumpkin Ridge Zip Tours](#) in North Plains, OR! Discover the forests with a fully guided zipline course high in the trees with seven zip lines and two suspension bridges. Girl Scouts can work toward earning the Brownie Outdoor Adventurer, Cadette Trees Badge, Senior Adventurer, and Ambassador Ultimate Recreation badge.

Noah's River Adventures

Get out on horseback with the approved High Adventure Partner, [Noah's River Adventures](#) in Ashland, OR! Experience the thrill of whitewater rafting with full-day or half-day options on the river. Girl Scouts can work toward earning the Brownie Outdoor Adventurer, Senior Adventurer, Ambassador Ultimate Recreation, Senior Paddling, and Ambassador Water Badges.

[CHECK IT OUT](#)

More Girl Scout Activities

Looking for more? Check out the [Girl Scouts of Oregon and Southwest Washington Events page!](#)

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