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## [Volunteer Support](#)

### **Leadership Development Pin Recipients**

Congratulations to these volunteers who have completed five or more trainings

this year and have earned the Leadership Development Pin.

<b>Alene Miller</b>	<b>Connie Skliar</b>	<b>Jamie Weimer</b>	<b>Judy Swift</b>
<b>Rebecca Phalen</b>	<b>Stacy Banks</b>	<b>Wendy Langeberg</b>	

It's not too late to earn your Leadership Development pin this year! Check out your gsLearn account for more trainings available to you, and complete those trainings by September 30. You may earn the Leadership Development Pin each year and wear the multiple pins on your uniform or with other Girl Scout pins when attending Girl Scout functions.

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## **On-Time Renewal is Underway**

It's time to renew your troops for another year of Girl Scout adventure!

Girls who [renew their membership](#) between August 1 - September 30 will be entered into a weekly drawing for a \$50 Program Activity Certificate. Drawing winners will be announced weekly on the GSU Program Support Facebook group and in the GSU newsletters.

Troops that renew 100% by September 30 will be entered into a drawing for one of eight Camporee\* Fast Passes. That drawing will be held on October 3, and winners will be announced in the October 6 volunteer newsletter and through email.

GSU On-Time Renewal campaign runs August 1 – September 30, 2022

\*Camporee will be held June 2023, with specific dates to be announced.

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## **Training Opportunities for Troop Leaders**


- CPR/First Aid/AED (in-person) - American Fork – Saturday, August 6, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
- Coming in September:
  - Multi-Level Troop Success
  - Journeys
  - Council Sponsored Events

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## Mentorship Opportunity for Older Girls and Young Alum

Girl Scouts of Utah's signature luncheon celebration is back for 2022! Utah Day of the Girl is scheduled for Friday, October 7, 2022, from 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. at the Salt Lake City Marriott. Seniors, Ambassadors, and young alums are invited to join us for this opportunity to meet and network with business leaders in a professional lunch setting. Thanks to generous donors, girls attend for free!

During the luncheon, we will highlight the impact of Girl Scouts and honor our 2022 Girl Champions, leaders in each of our four pillars – Dr. Tami Goetz (STEM), Lavanya Mahate (Entrepreneurship), and Dr. Tiana Rogers for (Life Skills), and Wendy Fisher for (Outdoors). Learn more about the [2022 Girl Champions](#).

 **Action needed:** Girl Scout Seniors and Ambassadors (grades 9-12) and young alums (ages 18-24) are invited to apply. Encourage your Girl Scouts to [apply to be a part of Utah Day of the Girl](#) and submit name, age, contact information, and areas of interest by September 1.


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## STEM 101 – Hands-on training

Are you considering adding more STEM to your troop's Girl Scout experience?

Join us for STEM 101! Open to grades 6-12 and adults, this training is full of hands-on learning. After learning more about women in STEM and how Girl Scouts is addressing the gender gap in STEM, experience STEM for yourself through activities from badges and Journeys.

You'll not only complete STEM activities, but you'll also learn valuable facilitation tips. This training is being offered in Salt Lake City on September 29 and will be offered next year by request.

 **Action needed:** Register for [STEM 101](#) by September 25.

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**Girl Empowered registration is now open!**

At Girl Empowered, girls can explore their passions and learn from local women about their journey to empowerment. After hearing the stories of how these women were able to discover their sources of empowerment, participate in two hands-on, interactive workshops to help you find your inner power. Will you embrace your creative side, harness your inner strength as an athlete, engage your mind with science, or discover a new love that you've never had the chance to explore?

**Action needed:** Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors can register now for Girl Empowered at a special early bird price of only \$5! Registration is open for members and non-members, so bring a friend! To register and learn more about our speakers and workshops, [visit our website](#).



## Registration is Now Open for the 2023 Girl Scout Convention at Disney World!

It's our time to shine! Join us in July 2023 at *Walt Disney World*® Resort for the world's biggest gathering of Girl Scouts. Our national convention only happens every three years, so you don't want to miss it.

Register for Phenom by Girl Scouts today and save with early bird pricing. Girls can also earn their way to Phenom with all expenses paid by selling 5,500 packages of cookies during the 2023 cookie sale.

Connect with Girl Scouts from across the country to experience amazing activities

and demos in the Expo Hall, meet special guests, attend the National Bridging ceremony and Gold Award celebration, and much more.

 **Action needed:** Register for [Phenom by Girl Scouts](#) today and save \$50 or more per person with early bird pricing.

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## Quick Links

- Volunteer trainings and girl programs - [GSU Event Calendar](#)
- Reserve meeting rooms at the NUSC, CRC, and CUSC - [Meetings on Council Premises](#)
- Customizable flyers for troops, social media toolkit for volunteers, VTK, and troop leader blueprint - [Online Support for Volunteers](#)
- Guidelines for in-person activities and troop meeting space at council service centers - [GSU's COVID-19 guidelines](#)
- Schedule programming for your troop with local organizations – [Program Partners](#)

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## Outdoor Programs

### Minicamp Programs – Registration Open through 2023

Girl Scouts of Utah provides camp programs all year – not just during the summer! Girl Scouts can go on paddle boarding adventures in Moab, celebrate the winter holidays, snowshoe the camp properties, and experience all their favorite program areas. Minicamps are a great chance for families to experience camp for a few hours to a few nights before a longer summer adventure. Registration is now open for all programs through September 2023.

 Action needed: [Review all upcoming minicamps and register](#) for you next adventure!

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## Girl Scouts Love State Parks

Girl Scouts Love State Parks is happening the weekend of September 10 – have you made plans to celebrate yet? If you want to sign up for one of our three partner activities, there is still time!

The Utah Field House of Natural History State Park Museum, Dead Horse Point, and Wasatch Mountain State Parks are all offering unique experiences for troops, families, and girl/adult pairs. Or you can choose to do a create-your-own-adventure style to a state park!

Pick which park you want to visit – it may be something brand new or an old favorite. While you're there, work on the Outdoor Journey or some of our Outdoor badges, or you can earn another patch like the new [Girl Scout Climate Challenge](#) or finish off the requirements for the [Girl Scouts Love the Outdoor Challenge](#)!

Or maybe you just want to enjoy the state park and help show your love for the land by picking up some micro trash while you hike. If you do, make sure to log it on the [Pick Up America](#) website so we can see the difference all the Girl Scouts across the United States can make in one weekend.

 **Action needed:** Make your own plans to enjoy a state park the weekend of September 10, or [sign up](#) for one of the programs being offered in partnership with the state parks!

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## Service Unit Updates

### Important Reminders

- Service Unit Fall Product Program Training now available on gsLearn
- Service Unit Communications Rep Training now available on gsLearn
- Service Unit Finance Rep Training now available on gsLearn

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## Leadership Summit 2022 – Ready. Set. Rally!

Is your team ready for a new year of girl scouts? Are they set with knowledge to help them lead the way? Let's rally together at Leadership Summit!! This year your team can participate in a variety of workshops that will revitalize your passion for the mission and Movement. You can also schedule time with your team to begin planning your year, connect with council staff, and much more!

Join us for Leadership Summit 2022 - August 26 & 27 at Trefoil Ranch in beautiful Provo Canyon.

● **Action needed:** [Register for Leadership Summit](#) ; registration closes Sunday, August 15. Friday night is optional. To register your entire team, contact Customer Care at [info@gsutah.org](mailto:info@gsutah.org) or 801-265-8472 with the list of people you would like to register.

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## Quick Links

- Council-Provided Resources - [Online Support for Volunteers webpage](#)
- Council Connect recordings, PPTs, and registrations - [Service Unit Team Resources webpage](#)

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## Council News & Updates

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- Join the GSU team - [View job openings and apply](#)
- Support GSU Camps - [Amazon Wish Lists](#)
- Salt Lake City and American Fork shop info - [Retail](#)
- Receive ongoing communications from GSU - [COVID-19 Updates](#) & [GSU's Facebook page](#)
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