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Get your photo featured on the new GSU website

Girl Scouts of Utah members have a chance to have their photos featured on our website. We're moving to a new website this year and would like to highlight our local Girl Scouts.

Before you share your photo and optional story, please keep the following items in mind:

- You must have permission from the adults and caregivers of the minors pictured.
- Submission of a photo does not guarantee use on the website.
- If possible, please avoid blurry, low-quality images.

Action needed: Submit your [Girl Scout photos](#) by March 31.

Encourage your Girl Scouts to be Youth Representatives on the GSU Board of Directors

Experience the council's governance processes firsthand. As a Youth Representative, you'll participate in all Board functions as a non-voting member, provide perspective on various issues presented by the Board, and present on different Girl Scouting topics and how each impacts you as a Girl Scout. Review the [position description](#).

Girl Scouts ages 16 and older are eligible to apply. Youth Representatives serve a one-year term beginning on April 29, 2023.

Action needed: Have your Girl Scouts [apply to be a Youth Representative](#) by March 17.

Quick links

- Volunteer training 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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Service Unit Information

A reminder to service unit teams regarding day camp deadlines

If your Service Unit team is planning to run a day camp this summer, please take note of the following deadlines and information on day camps.

- All day camps need to be Council Sponsored, and to qualify as a day camp, it needs to be 12 hours of programming over three days.
- If you're considering running a day camp this summer, please turn in your [intent to run form](#) by March 15. (Note that this is not the actual application.)
- Thank you to Uintah Basin, Mt Olympus, Frontier, Suncrest, Sunrise, and Nebo Shadows for already turning in your intent to run form.
- The [Council Sponsored Event Application](#) is due by April 15. With Camporee happening this year, we need to have all applications turned in on time so that we have enough time to process everything on our end and coordinate all registrations and advertising.

Action needed: If you have not already turned in an [intent to run form](#), please do so by March 15.

Council Sponsored events training virtual follow-up

If you are a Service Unit Event Representative, Day Camp Director, or you're involved in running events for the Service Unit, please remember to sign up for the upcoming Council Sponsored Events Training Virtual Follow-up on March 14. This virtual follow-up session replaces the previous second half of our events training for those who have either recently done the training or renewing their training. This session will also include updates to our Council Sponsored Events process, and it's highly recommended even if you don't need to renew. We have been working to make the paperwork process less confusing, and we are excited to share these updates with you. Also hopefully, this will make your responsibilities at least a little easier.

Action needed: [Sign up for the virtual follow-up session](#) by March 13. If you need to take the first part of the training, you'll find it on gsLearn.

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- Salt Lake City and American Fork shop info - [Retail](#)
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