

girl scouts
of california's
central coast

Mental Health Matters!



Children's Health and Wellness Expo 2023



Food, Wine & Beer Festival 2023



Brownilympics 2023



Gold Award Girl Scout Presentation

Save *the* Date:

**Inspiring Women
Luncheon**

Sunday, September 17, 2023
Ventura, CA

**Tent or Treat
Ventura**

Saturday, October 28, 2023
Camp Arnaz

**Winter
Wonderland**

Weekend Evenings in December 2023
Camp Arnaz

Highlighting our Gold Award Girl Scouts



We proudly honor the outstanding girls who have completed the challenging Gold Award from October 1, 2022, to May 31, 2023.

These inspiring young women have showcased their leadership and commitment to community impact. We are thrilled to feature their photos in this newsletter, highlighting their incredible achievements. From environmental conservation to mental health advocacy, their Gold Award projects have left a lasting legacy. Congratulations to these remarkable Girl Scouts on their extraordinary accomplishments!

Brooke

Troop #60816



FLAME

(Financial Literacy and Money Education)

Brooke's project assisted young students who lack exposure to fundamental financial principles and money management. Recognizing the prevailing gap in education and awareness surrounding responsible money usage and credit management, she dedicated her project to address this issue and equip students with essential financial skills.

Lola

Troop #60821



Small Words, Big Impact!

Lola's project had a twofold objective: to foster understanding and inclusivity by educating her peers and community members about inclusive vocabulary, while simultaneously raising awareness and disseminating fundamental information about the LGBTQ+ community.

Morgan

Troop #15502

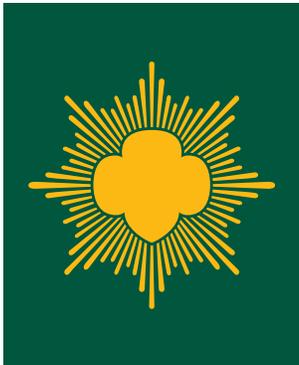


Addressing Kids & Food Insecurity

Morgan's project aimed to enlighten children about the pressing issue of food insecurity. To tackle this significant concern, she meticulously crafted an educational presentation, which she delivered in person and made accessible through a dedicated website and the popular video sharing platform, YouTube. With the intention of raising awareness and inspiring children to make a difference, Morgan's project strives to ignite a compassionate drive in young minds.

Grace

Troop #40306



Mandarin Duck Habitat Improvement

Grace undertook the responsibility to ensure optimal well-being of four Mandarin Ducks. She constructed nesting boxes to provide suitable nesting environments and carefully devised a nourishing diet plan, prioritizing their nutritional needs. Grace's dedicated efforts contributed to the overall welfare and thriving of the mandarin ducks under her care.

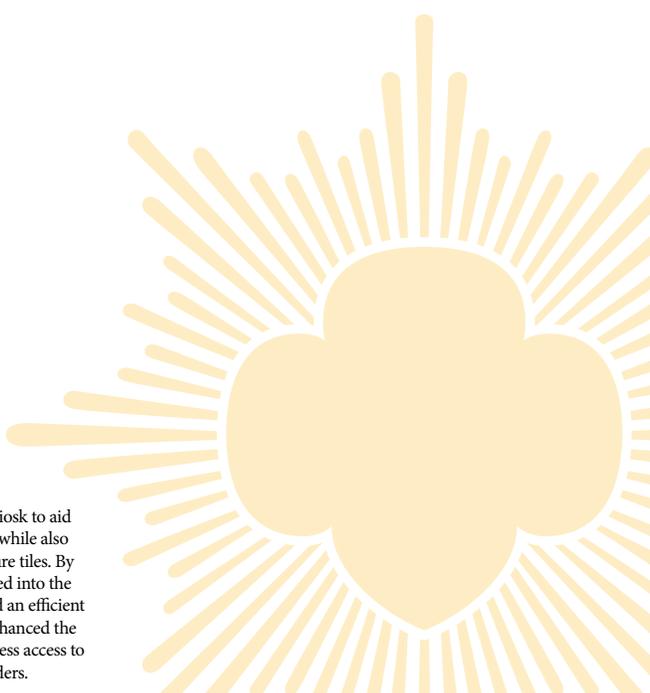
Autumn

Troop #23403



Graphing and Mapping the Veterans Memorial Tiles

Autumn created a sophisticated mapping system and kiosk to aid individuals in locating their loved one's memorial tile, while also streamlining the selection and ordering process for future tiles. By developing a grid-like map that was physically integrated into the tiles, and implementing a digital kiosk, Autumn provided an efficient and user-friendly solution. This innovative approach enhanced the overall experience for family and friends, ensuring seamless access to the memorial tiles and management of future orders.



Help Girls Go for the Gold

We are seeking adult volunteers who can mentor our girls as they seek to GO FOR THE GOLD. Gold Award Mentors positively influence and provide direction for the young women as they tackle issues within their community and strive to improve the lives of others. A Mentor is... • A positive role model • Good listener • Caring person • Good communicator • Patient • Attentive • Committed • YOU!

For more information email Erin Mayo, Gold Award Committee Staff Liason emayo@girlscoutscoc.org.



Children's Health & Wellness Expo

We are incredibly grateful for your support in making the Children's Health & Wellness Expo at Camp Arnaz a tremendous success. Thanks to generous donors like you, we were able to bring together exceptional

vendors, including VC Sheriff, Search and Rescue, VC Firefighters, and a captivating K-9 & martial arts demonstration. Our Girl Scouts, of all ages, enjoyed engaging with these activities and visiting

with the baby toads on the property. Your commitment to empowering young girls and prioritizing their mental health is truly inspiring. Thank you for being an invaluable part of our mission.



Food, Wine & Beer Festival

We are thrilled to share the incredible success of the Food, Wine & Beer event held at Camp Arnaz on June 10th, in collaboration with the Rotary Club of Ventura-East. With over 300 attendees, this event celebrated local culinary delights,

delectable wines, and exceptional beers—all supporting the Girl Scouts of California's Central Coast programs spanning six counties. The second annual event raised funds to benefit over 5,600 Girl Scouts, enabling them to engage in enriching activities and

experiences that foster their growth and empowerment. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all who attended, including the sponsors and the Rotary Club of Ventura-East, for their unwavering support.

Donor Highlights



Dear **Amgen**,

Thank you for your support of the Girl Scout Leadership Experience, focusing on Mental Health in Ventura County. Your dedication to our well-being is truly appreciated. You're making a positive impact!

Gratefully, **Ventura County Girl Scouts**

Dear **Community Foundation of San Benito County**,

Thank you for supporting Girl Scout Entrepreneurship! Your help means a lot to us as we learn to be creative, confident, and business-savvy. We appreciate you!

With gratitude, **San Benito County Girl Scouts**



Dear **Conrad Hilton Foundation**,

Thank you for your generous donation! We're so excited to use it for the Girl Scout Leadership Experience in Ventura County. You're amazing!

Sincerely, **Ventura County Girl Scouts**



Girl Scouts Four Program Pillars:

STEM, Life Skills, Outdoors, and Entrepreneurship form the foundation of the Girl Scout program and work together to build girls' curiosity, kindness, and can-do spirit. To learn more about the Four Pillars and how GSCCC is championing them in our communities, scan the QR code or visit www.girlscoutsccc.org



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Help Us Empower More Girls.



We implore you today with a heartfelt request for support

that can truly transform girls across six counties in California. At Girl Scouts of California's Central Coast, we are dedicated to empowering girls to become girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. But we cannot achieve this vision without your help.

Your contribution, no matter the size, will make a tremendous impact. From a donation of \$25 to cover a year of membership dues to

becoming one of our 100 Women Who Care with a \$1,000 donation in a single year, every dollar counts. With your support, we can provide these young girls with the resources, memberships, and program opportunities they need to grow and thrive.

By investing in the Girl Scouts, you are investing in the future of our communities. Your generosity will enable us to continue offering transformative experiences, educational resources, and a nurturing environment where girls can develop into strong, compassionate leaders.

Please consider joining us in this important mission. Together, we can empower these girls to reach their full potential and make a lasting impact in their communities and beyond. Visit girlscoutscoc.org to make a donation or learn more about how you can get involved. Thank you for your consideration and for being a champion to our Girl Scouts.



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EMPOWERING GIRLS TOGETHER!

Corporate Partner Pathways

We are thrilled to announce the launch of our Girl Scouts Corporate Partner Pathways! These pathways offer incredible opportunities for businesses to join forces with us in empowering young girls and shaping the future. **By becoming a corporate partner, you can engage in various impactful ways:**

1. Troop Leadership:

Start a troop and facilitate removing girls off the waitlist. Follow a troop year plan to enjoy activities that help girls be empowered through the Girl Scout leadership experience.

2. Highest Awards:

Recognize, advise, and celebrate exceptional leadership by supporting our Highest Awards program, which honors girls making a lasting impact in their communities.

3. Special Event Support:

Sponsoring or volunteering at our events, you can play a vital role facilitating activities. Roles include booth management, volunteers at events, sponsor giveaways, or event collaboration.

4. Programs at our Centers:

Enhance our Girl Scout Centers' programs by offering workshops, mentoring opportunities, and extracurricular activities that inspire girls to explore their interests.

5. Programs off-site:

Help us reach underserved communities by supporting Girl Scout-based initiatives and mobile units, bringing the Girl Scout experience to every girl.

6. Programs at Camp Arnaz:

Volunteer or sponsor programs at Camp Arnaz providing transformative outdoor adventures that foster resilience, teamwork, and self-discovery.

We invite you to join us in making a lasting impact on the lives of girls everywhere. Together, we can shape the leaders of tomorrow. **For more information on our Girl Scouts Corporate Partner Pathways, contact Eva Barati at ebarati@girlscoutscoc.org**

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confidence and character who make
the world a better place.**



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