



Juliette Connections



Dear fantastic Juliettes and families,
The new year is in full swing at Girl Scouts of Utah! Juliettes spend January busy with the beginning of cookie season--setting up Digital Cookie storefronts and selling to friends and family. We are also gearing up for World Thinking Day events, Girl Scouts Give Back Day, and Girl Scout Week in March. Here are this month's updates.

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World Thinking Day for Juliettes

You might think of World Thinking Day as a world fair where troops highlight different countries' foods, clothing, and traditions. But World Thinking Day is so much more! It is a fantastic opportunity for Juliettes to connect with the greater Girl Scout and Girl Guide community. The World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts provides a curriculum packet to help earn the World Thinking Day patch. Here are some tips for completing the packet as a Juliette:

- Complete a discussion between your Juliette and a trusted adult.
- Play games with siblings or cousins, such as the recycling game in the World Thinking Day packet.
- Invite friends over to learn about what you do as a Juliette and participate in activities from the World Thinking Day packet.

ACTION: Download the [activity packet!](#)

Don't forget, you are invited too! Join a World Thinking Day event hosted by a

local service unit. Look for the one closest to you, you are welcome to attend any of them!

- Crystal View World Thinking Day (Ogden), February 17
- Aspen, Rosecrest, and Sunrise World Thinking Day (Herriman), February 24
- Sunnyside World Thinking Day (Salt Lake), February 26

ACTION: Check the [activity calendar](#) for more information!



Juliette Representative: Volunteer with Juliettes!

Calling Juliette caregivers who want to support the Juliettes in your area! Have you considered volunteering with us as a Regional Juliette Representative? The Regional Juliette Representative is a flexible position where you will coordinate with service unit volunteers to send information on local activities and Girl Scout happenings to Juliettes within the area. We currently need a volunteer for Northern Utah (north of Bountiful) and Southern Utah (south of Sanpete). If this sounds like a position for you, please let Steffi know.

ACTION: Email Steffi at slietzke@gсутah.org for more information.



Juliette Families Corner: National Service Projects for your Family

Discover how you can give back to make your community—and the world—a better place with National Service Projects! Across our country and world, Girl Scouts are leaping to the aid of others by engaging in wonderful acts of service and kindness.

Whether you are writing letters to senior citizens, honoring first responders, taking part in a citizen science project, or promoting voting and democracy, your family can get involved in these unique Girl Scout activities too.

National Service Projects are a fantastic way for Juliette families to get involved in Girl Scouting. Many projects can be done anywhere with supplies you already have! The best part is that your whole family can participate! Siblings, caregivers, family members, and friends can all help your Juliette with a Girl Scout National Service Project.

ACTION: Check out [National Service Projects.](#)



Nature Cat: Get Ready to Get Outdoors

Exciting News for Girl Scouts of Utah! We are thrilled to introduce a brand-new patch program that originated from the collaborative efforts of WTTW in Chicago and the Girl Scouts of Greater Chicago and Northwest Indiana. In a fantastic partnership, the Girl Scouts of Utah have joined forces with PBS's Nature Cat and his friends for this unique patch program, designed to get our Girl Scouts outdoors and engaged in nature-based activities. The activities are thoughtfully categorized by Nature Cat and his friends Daisy, Squeeks, and Hal, ensuring a well-rounded and enjoyable experience.

The best part? The patch is free! To access the patch program guide, complete the form on our website. Earn the patch by completing activity from each character's section (link provided on our website; guide required). After completing the activities, do not forget to fill out a survey to receive a secret code for your well-deserved free patch. Let us embark on this exciting outdoor adventure together!

ACTION: Check out the [patch program!](#)

Enjoy a Jazz Game with your family and Girl Scout friends!

Calling all basketball fans! Join us at the Jazz game on March 15 for a special Girl Scout group night. In addition to discounted tickets, Girl Scouts and their

families will also get VIP early entry with each ticket purchased through this link! Tickets are limited so don't miss out on this opportunity! Ticket purchase includes:

- Discounted Tickets (Discount only available through our link)
- VIP early entry two hours prior to tip off (30 minutes before doors open to general public)
- Watch players warm up from the first few rows of the lower bowl during the early entry window

PURCHASE TICKETS!

Cookie Training: Now Available On-Demand

Are still looking to get started with cookies? Juliettes can join the cookie program in February and March. Your initial orders are due February 4, but you can continue to take orders and fill those cravings by visiting the cookie cupboard near you in March. And your Juliette can continue to sell via Digital Cookie (customers have the choice of getting their cookies delivered by your Juliette or shipped from the cookie company), and do not forget about cookie booths! Girl Scouts earn cool rewards like Activity Credits and a minicamp just for Juliettes too! To get started, just watch the cookie training, and complete the permission form at the end.

ACTION: View the [cookie training](#) and complete the permission form.

Ongoing Information

We have many resources available for Juliette parents and caregivers. Check them out:

- **Volunteer Toolkit**, an online curriculum database where you can find meeting plans for badges and Journeys. Check out the Volunteer Toolkit by logging into MyGS from our website and finding it under My Account. Visit the new [Juliette webpage](#) to download the PDF guide for Juliettes.
- **Juliette Activity Packets** have ongoing sign ups. [Sign up](#) for our next round of packets.

- The **Juliette Handbook** is now available! Visit the new [Juliette webpage](#) to download it.
- Stay **connected** with us! [Girl Scouts of Utah](#) and [Camps](#) Facebook pages and [GSU Juliettes](#). For the safety of our Juliettes, the group is private, and members must be approved. Steffi is in the group as GSU Programs.
- As a reminder, you must **remain subscribed** to the council newsletters to continue receiving this monthly newsletter.

Please let Steffi know if you have any questions about Girl Scouts. Her contact information can be found at the beginning of this email.



Have a question? Don't be shy!
[Contact us](#) for more information.