

A year in review of our community impact October 2022—September 2023

# A Message from the Girl Scouts Lakes & Pines Board Chair and CEO

Dear Friends,

Over the past year, local Girl Scout troops in our region achieved incredible success by earning over \$1.1 million in proceeds through participating in the Fall Product Program and the Girl Scout Cookie Program. This outstanding accomplishment allowed local Girl Scouts to embark on unforgettable trips, engage in meaningful activities, and contribute to various community service projects. Their dedication and impact are evident in the many higher awards earned in 2023, including two Gold Awards, 30 Silver Awards, and 38 Bronze Awards.

At the national level, delegates from Girl Scouts Lakes and Pines participated in the democratic process at the 56th National Council session. One of the most important changes included the important decision to add the words "anti-racism" into the Gilr Scout Constitution. As Girl Scouts, we are embarking on a collective journey to create a stronger and more inclusive community where every Girl Scout feels a sense of belonging.

As we move forward into our Girl Scout year, our mission remains steadfast: to build Girl Scouts of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. We will continue to focus on creating more opportunities to engage and support our Girl Scout community. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our exceptional volunteers, Girl Scout families, supporters, donors, and staff. It is because of your unwavering dedication and support that our Girl Scouts continue to thrive and empower themselves.

Yours in Girl Scouting



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Leigh Ann Davis CEO

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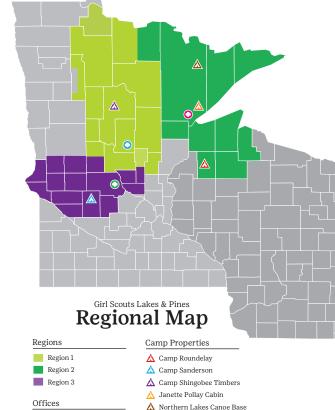
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Girl Scouts Lakes and Pines is governed by a volunteer board of directors who guide strategic planning and manage council policy. Board members represent the geographic areas of the council and are elected by delegates at the Annual Meeting.





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Girl Scouts bring their dreams to life and work together to build a better world. Through programs from coast to coast, Girl Scouts of all backgrounds and abilities can be unapologetically themselves as they discover their strengths and rise to meet new challenges—whether they want to climb to the top of a tree or the top of their class, lace up their boots for a hike or advocate for climate justice, or make their first best friends. Backed by trusted adult volunteers, mentors, and millions of alums, Girl Scouts lead the way as they find their voices and make changes that affect the issues most important to them. To join us, volunteer, reconnect, or donate, visit <a href="www.GirlScoutsLP.org">www.GirlScoutsLP.org</a>

#### **Council Programs & Events**

At Girl Scouts Lakes & Pines, we provide programming that immerses our participants in outdoors skills, STEM, leadership development, and entrepreneurship that help Girl Scouts grow their courage, confidence and character.

This year our programs included our signature events: Kaleidoscope and Our World, Our Family, along with events including Journey weekends, Tap to Table, overnights at aquariums, sailing on Lake Superior, and so much more. This past summer, we traveled to Savannah, South Africa, St. Louis, and Orlando for the Girl Scouts National Convention.

1,856

Youth members participated in **Council Events & Programs** 

**528** 

Members participated in Our World, Our Family

106

Members participated in **Kaleidoscope** 

80

Members participated in **Trips and Travel** 

414

Members participated in Girl Scouts In Action (GSIA)



# Journey's and Badges

The newest class of badges that launched in 2023 take on even more topics that Girl Scouts and their families care about such as the Life Skills, Maker Series and STEM Animal Badge updates along with Mental Wellness Patches for 4-12th grade. The Mental Wellness patches aim to provide activities around Mental wellness, behavioral issues and healthy habits. They progress as participants grow to teach them age appropriate, positive approaches to self-care.



## **Outdoor Experiences & Summer Camp**

Outdoor experiences are an integral part of the Girl Scout Leadership Experience for Girl Scout Youth of all ages.

Outdoor activities are woven into the core leadership development program in such a way that youth feel comfortable trying new things and testing their limits, gain confidence and acquire new skills in a safe and supportive Girl Scout environment. From swimming and horseback riding to canoeing adventures in the Boundary Waters and scaling the High Challenge Course and zipline, Girl Scout camps are able to offer a variety of options for all Girl Scout levels.

Each summer Girl Scouts, Lakes & Pines hosts day camp, overnight camp, troop camp and wilderness canoe trips at council properties. In addition, Girl Scouts participate in volunteer facilitated outdoor experiences throughout the year at council properties and Service Unit Day Camp.

The Program Team partnered with 7 Service Units (SU 1, SU 9, SU 15, SU 19, SU 22, SU 23 and SU 28) who facilitated Day Camps in their communities serving an additional 244 Girl Scout Youth!



**753**Participants attended Camp Roundelay



203
Participants attended
Camp Sanderson



349
Participants attended
Camp Shingobee
Timbers



Participants attended the Northern Lakes

Canoe Base

Thanks to generous donations we were able to award **107 Camp Scholarships** in Summer 2023 totaling **\$27,010!** 

# Membership Year 2022-2023

As a membership organization, Girl Scouts Lakes & Pines is focused on reaching all school-aged girls throughout the regions we serve and ensuring an enduring future for an inclusive, welcoming experience.

Although we have not fully recovered to pre-pandemic levels, we are managing and rebuilding the declines we experienced in recent membership years. In 2023, we continued to grow in new girl recruitment and experienced significant growth in retention with historically high retention rates of 71.0% for girls and 78.5% for adults. Girl Scouts Lakes and Pines staff provided 179 new troop leaders with training, meeting resources, and a network of support to help them be confident and successful leaders! With our commitment to providing ongoing volunteer support we served 90 volunteers through in-person events and retreats, we had 335 volunteers attend virtual training sessions, and 2,288 Course Completions were recorded in the gsLearn training platform!

2023 Membership at-a-glance.

4,429

(12.2% Increase)

Adult Mer

2,609

376

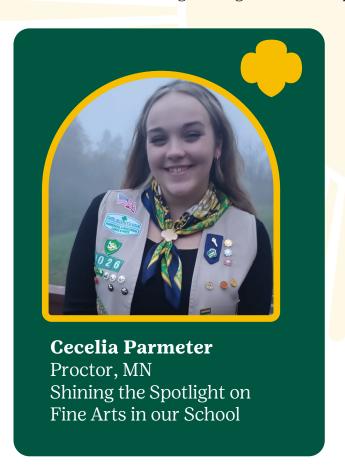


# **Highest Awards in Girl Scouting**

Gold Award Girl Scouts are the dreamers and the doers who take "make the world a better place" to the next level.



Girl Scouts Lakes and Pines recognizes two Girl Scouts who became members of the 2023 Girl Scout Gold Award class by earning the highest award in Girl Scouts: the Gold Award. Gold Award Girl Scouts become innovative problem-solvers, empathetic leaders, confident public speakers, and focused project managers. They learn resourcefulness, tenacity, and decision-making skills, giving them an edge personally and professionally. As they take action to transform their communities, Gold Award Girl Scouts gain tangible skills and prove they're the leaders our world needs.





#### **Highest Awards in Girl Scouting**

#### girl scouts silver award

Troop 352 (Park Rapids)

Operation Help the Neighborhood Anika Kietzman Alessia Harmon

Troop 4253 (Two Harbors)

New High School Hand-Dryer & Sink
Cazzandra Kessler

Gretta Ojard
Caroline Selvog
Ash Hein

Amelia Saamanen

Troop 4355 (Hermantown)

*"the cArt"*Nora Wourms

Troop 156 (Becker)

Student Safety Molly Hoefs Rozene Blad Abigail Katka

Troop 245 (St. Cloud)

Snazzy Snack with Troop 245
Karina Travis
Nina Strack
Hailey Hurdt
Lily Lutterman
Zoey Spiczka
Jasmine Manea
Melody Skurdahl

30 Girl Scouts earned Silver Awards (9 troops)

Troop 4202 (Duluth)

Wild Woods Storage Solution Lyla Ronkainen Piper Hamilton Clara Vavra Leo Linval

Troop 130 (Cold Spring)

Feed the Hungry
Myah Nelson
Hailey Holthaus
Maia Taft
Ashley Klaphake
Dylan Iken

Troop 493 (Foley) Sensory Blankets

Angel Goble Abigail Van Nevel

Troop 361 (Bemidji)

Pollinator Garden Kristen Sandmeyer







Troop 388 (Kimball)

Buddy Bench for Reading Destiny Lofgren Carmen Nystrom Sophia Voigt

Troop 176 (St. Cloud)

The Buddy Bench at SFX Mackenzie Bengtson

Troop 3263 (Beardsley)

Pad Pack Leah Homan Brooklyn Mahoney

Troop 4162 (Hermantown)

Bird Flower Garden at Hawk Ridge Bridget Braaten

Mari Wentzel Mylee Helgeson Sofia McCaffery Nora Jackson Sabrina Gonzalez Lydia Nicolai

Troop 274 (Sauk Centre)

Food Drive for Melrose Food Shelf
Monroe Anderson

Leylah Worms Claire Long Willow Tschida Nevaeh Butkowski

Troop 3528 (Benson)

Bags for Foster Care
Mya Ollendick
Averi Michaelson
Pieper Gades
Krystal Station

#### 38 Girl Scouts earned Bronze Awards (10 troops)

Troop 474 (Morris)

Pollinator Habitat Anja Nordquist Andulynn Eckel

Troop 4461 (Superior)

Sweets for Socks Stella Tenerelli

Troop 3040 (Litchfield)

Install Crosswalk
Piper McCormick
Tattrie Ficker
Jayden Silbernagel

Troop 171 (Sauk Centre)

Sauk Centre Dog Park Improvement Project Adelane Wilber Kylee Bjostad Aubree Dirkes Emma Macey Natalie Marthaler

Kaylee Messer Natalya Strassburg Sophia Twedt

Addison Gast Hadley Wheeler





Troop 171 - Sauk Centre Dog Park Improvement Project



## **2022 Fall Product Program**

The Fall Product Program is a council-sponsored program that combines educational activities with money earning opportunities for troops. The Fall Product Program is directed toward family and friends—those closest to Girl Scouting—and enables troops to earn start up money by selling magazine subscriptions as well as nuts and candy. The program is conducted both face-to-face and via the Internet using a secure online program.

1,270 girls participated

50,075 chocolates/nuts sold

381 girls earned a personalized patch

1,931 magazines sold

318
girls earned the Crossover patch, completing goals in both fall product and the cookie program.

\$107,090 total troop proceeds & girl awards



Thank you for your support of the troops and the council by purchasing or participating in the Fall Product Program!



Local troops earned

\$1,111,984

by participating in both of the product programs!



# 2023 Girl Scout Cookie Program

Throughout the 2022-2023 cookie season, Girl Scouts took on the roles of young entrepreneurs, learning valuable life skills that will serve them well into the future. From setting ambitious goals to practicing their sales pitches, Girl Scouts honed their communication and financial literacy skills. They discovered the importance of teamwork, built confidence, and created lasting memories.

#### Entrepreneurship & Financial Literacy

2,747 girls participated

308 average # of packages per girl \$317,497 in rewards, incentives & cookie dough

\$639,397 in proceeds and troop bonus

846,500
Total packages of
Girl Scout Cookies
sold in 2023

# Congratulations 2023 Top Cookie Sellers!

Zoie Gross Daisy

2,034

Karlee Olsen Brownie

2,557

Rosalie Flom Junior

2,054

Kristen Sandmeyer Cadette

3,037

Breanna Pastore Senior

1,026

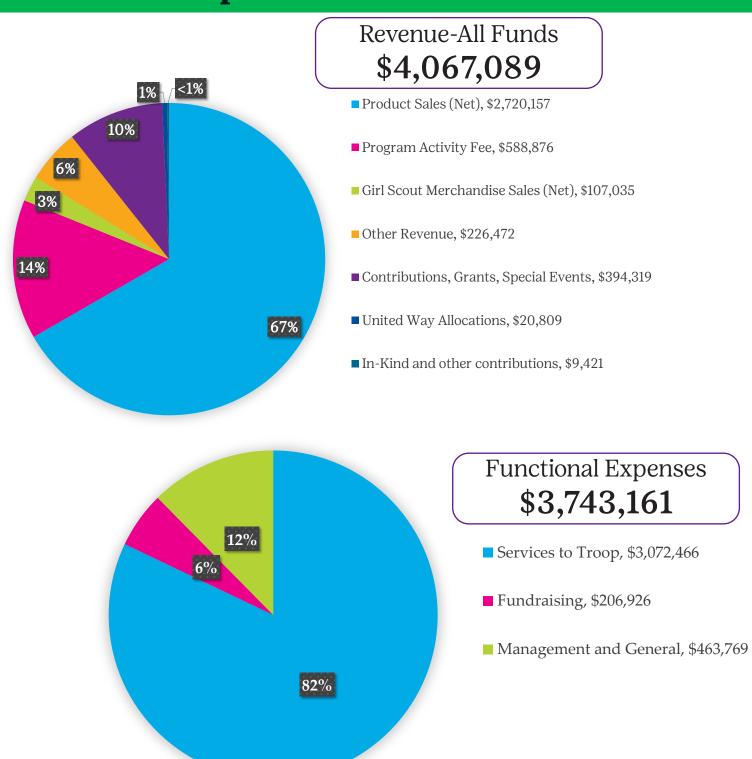
Haven Fahey Ambassador

874

#### **Statement of Activities**

Revenue:	2023	2022
Public Support		
Contributions - Individuals	161 970	06.700
	161,278	86,783
Contributions - Corporate/Civic Gifts	18,396	14,256
Grants and Foundations	180,981	102,069
Jnited Way Allocations	20,809	25,432
Special Events	33,664	17,201
n-Kinds & Other Contributions	9,421	6,334
TOTAL PUBLIC SUPPORT	424,549	252,075
Program Related		
Product Sales	2,720,157	2,698,363
Program Activity Fees	588,876	543,179
Net Council Shop Sales	107,035	132,057
Total Program Related Revenue	3,416,068	3,373,599
Other Revenue		
Employe Retention Credit	_	334,468
nvestment Income	146,916	(109,896)
Rental Income	10,215	10,600
Timber Sales	49,924	101,962
Miscellaneous Income	19,417	40,887
TOTAL OTHER REVENUE	226,472	378,021
TOTAL REVENUE	3,642,540	3,751,620
Total Public Support and Revenue	4,067,089	4,003,695
Expenses:		
Program Services		
Service to Troops	3,072,466	3,002,302
Support Services		
Management & General	463,769	470,674
rundraising	206,926	176,795
TOTAL EXPENSES	3,743,161	3,649,771
Change in Net Assets	323,928	353,924
Net Assets Beginning of Year	6,571,614	6,217,690
Prior Period Adjustment	0,071,011	3,217,070

# Revenue & Expense Breakdown



# **2023 Girl Scouts Community Support**

Thanks to donors like you, girls have been encouraged to do anything they set their sights on for the past 110 years. Through your generous contributions, our girls have had the chance to experience Girl Scouting regardless of their ability to pay. Can you imagine what an entire generation of girls could do if you continued to equip them with the knowledge they need to succeed?

\$10,000 +

Paynesville, MN

Leo & Luella Louis

Superior, WI

Larry & Donna Pulkrabek Foundation

**\$5.000 - \$9.999** 

Bayport, MN

Hugh J. Andersen Foundation

Duluth, MN

Dick Andree

Richmond, MN

Fred & Cathy Town

Saint Cloud, MN

Optimist Club - St. Cloud Morning Club

Tofte, MN

Ellen Andersen

\$2,500 - \$4,999

Hibbing, MN

Arsher Rhude Charitable Trust

\$1.000 - \$2.499

Bagley, MN

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Baxter, MN

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Cold Spring, MN

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The Juliette Gordon Low Society recognizes those who include Girl Scouts as part of their legacy by making a planned gift to Girl Scouts Lakes and Pines. We extend a special "thank you" to Juliette Gordon Society members. They have committed a donation of \$1,000 or more to the council's endowed Promise Fund, designated the Council as an insurance policy beneficiary, a charitable remainder trust, or a will bequest.



\*Denotes Members who have Passed.

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Bent Paddle Brewery
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Blacklist Brewing
Company
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Club
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Minnesota Twins

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Olive Garden

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#### **Girl Scout Friendship Circle:**

#### A little every month goes a long way to support the girls we serve!

Friendship Circle members are individuals who commit to making a gift each month to support Girl Scout programming. Their monthly donations help provide a sustainable Girl Scouts Leadership Experience for all girls in our organization.

Northern Lakes Canoe Base Alumni Association Melissa Anderson Stacy Barrett Micaela Bethke Kaylyn Borucki Linda Bruner Jeanine Brand Amy Cerny Korbyn Danielson
Leigh Ann & Gregg Davis
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United Way of Carlton County

United Way of Douglas & Pope Counties

United Way of Northeastern Minnesota

United Way of Otter Tail and Wadena Counties

United Way of West Central Minnesota



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Girl Scouts of Minnesota and Wisconsin Lakes and Pines is committed to providing an inclusive environment which welcomes all girls, celebrates diversity, and ensures equity for all. All programs and events must foster a sense of belonging while providing a safe space for everyone to champion girl ambition.