How You Can Support Our Troop

Many volunteer skills, interests and abilities are needed for a troop to be successful. Use this worksheet at a meeting with families in your Girl Scout troop to identify where personal interests align with the troop’s needs. As a reminder, all volunteers must become registered members of Girl Scouts and complete the criminal background check.

Troop Leadership Team

Are you excited to work directly with girls in the troop? Troop leadership volunteers take an online council training series, set up the troop’s schedule, plan & facilitate regular troop meetings.

Additional Volunteer Roles

**Troop Cookie Coordinator** and/or **Fall Product Program Coordinator**: Are you organized and love snacks? Cookie and Fall Product Program Troop Coordinators are responsible for managing troop cookie and fall product inventory, including pick-up at council offices and distribution to families, as well as payment collection. These volunteers are provided with annual training on resources and processes, and is a seasonal role (September-October and December-March).

**Troop Treasurer**: Are you detail oriented? Act as co-signer on the troop’s bank account, reconcile monthly bank statements, keep receipts for troop purchases, and submit a year-end financial report to council.

**Friends & Family**: There are lots of additional way to support your troop!

- **Meeting Assistant(s) or Guest Speaker**: Do you have a special skill? Interesting hobby? Want to help ensure the troop is meeting Girl Scout volunteer-to-girl safety ratios? You can assist with meeting activities or share your unique talents as a guest speaker.
- **Field Trip Coordinator**: Love planning adventures? Assist the troop leadership team with planning field trips and organizing carpooling or public transportation.
- **Troop First Aider**: Are you a doctor, nurse, or simply not squeamish when it comes to boo-boos? Become your troop’s first aid by getting first aid/CPR certified through Girl Scouts or an equivalent course.
- **Service Unit Liaison**: Love being in the know? Attend local Girl Scout community meetings to get updates about town-wide activities and share with your troop leadership team.