

GSUSA Honor Pin



Deadline: Submit to Council Recognition Review Committee no later than February 15th at 5:00pm

The Honor Pin recognizes an adult volunteer who has delivered outstanding service to two or more Service Units or to a Region.

Criteria for Selection

1. The candidate is a registered Girl Scout volunteer who has significantly contributed to meeting one or more Council goals in membership growth and retention, fund development, or increased community visibility in a Region or two or more service units.
2. The candidate actively recognizes, understands, and practices the values of inclusive behavior.

Nomination and Approval Procedures

1. An individual or group familiar with the service performed **submits the nomination form** to document the service and its scope and impact in relation to the award criteria.
2. **Submit three (3) endorsement letters** from individuals familiar with the service performed by the nominee. The letters should be sufficiently detailed to support the award criteria.
3. The Council Recognition Review Committee reviews the nomination form & three letters for approval.

Example of Possible Candidates

- GS adult volunteer who directs a successful day camp open to girls beyond the service unit.
- An adult volunteer who manages consistently successful program Ceremonies for a region
- A GS adult volunteer who manages excellent training and enrichment Ceremonies for a region as demonstrated by Ceremony evaluation results
- A volunteer who introduces Girl Scouting to the wider community through significant community actions
- An Adult Learning Facilitator who consistently provides outstanding enrichment and leadership development sessions to volunteers working directly with girls in two or more pathways.

Form of Recognition

The GSUSA Honor Pin is a green enamel pin with the Girl Scout trefoil surrounded by laurel wreath, purchased by the Council, and presented at the Council Recognition Ceremony.

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Email: training@girlscoutsdiamonds.org

(Submit all required information/letters with nomination form)

Date:

NOMINEE (Please print)

Name: Present Girl Scout Position:

Mailing Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

Service Unit:

PERSON SUBMITTING NOMINATION FORM (Please print)

Name: Present Girl Scout Position:

Mailing Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

Service Unit:

Nomination should remain a secret from the nominee in case the nomination is not approved.

Should this award be approved, the award will be presented at the Council Recognition ceremony. The recipient will receive an invitation to attend the ceremony. You will be notified of the committee's decision.

Nomination Process

- Read **the award** profile, fill out **nomination form** and submit with at least **(3) three endorsement letters** detailing the information required.
- Make **a copy** of nomination form and supporting information to keep
- Submit **by deadline date**
- List of nominee's previous awards may be supplied by staff if needed

FOR USE BY COUNCIL RECOGNITION REVIEW COMMITTEE ONLY

Endorsed by Committee

Person nominating advised

Nominee Invited

NOMINATION OF BY
(Nominee's Name) (Nominator's Name)

Please state how this person has accomplished the criteria needed for the Honor Pin. Be as detailed and specific as possible listing qualifications and particular instances. Please be sure your answers support the service needed to qualify for this award. Attach three letters from three additional people supporting this person's nomination.

1. Describe the service rendered and who benefited – at least two or more Service Units or a Program Delivery region. Include how the candidate actively recognizes, understands, and practices the values of inclusive behavior.

2. Indicate how service significantly contributed to meeting one or more Council goals in membership growth and retention, fund development, or increased community visibility.

3. Give reasons this service was beyond expectations of position held (outstanding service).