

GSUSA Awards at a Glance

Name of Award	Who to Consider	Endorsement Questionnaires Required	When is the Recognition Presented?	Who approves the nomination?	Who Pays for the Recognition?
Volunteer Excellence	Nominee who completed a term of service and all requirements for the position and performed beyond expectations	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Appreciation Pin	Service performed by the nominee is above and beyond the expectations for the position held, and made an impact on 1 or more areas of service within the council's jurisdiction	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Honor Pin	Service performed by the nominee is above and beyond the expectations for the position held, and made an impact on 2 or more areas of service within the council's jurisdiction	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Thanks Badge	Nominee provided outstanding service that benefits the entire council or movement.	3	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Thanks Badge II	Nominee is Thanks Badge recipient; Outstanding service performance resulting in outcomes that benefitted the entire council or movement.	3	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
President's Award	Service Unit team contributed to meeting 1 or more of the council's goals. The team reflects the diversity of the target audience.	Please refer to nomination form on the Council website	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Girl Scouts - Diamonds Staff	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Juliette Gordon Low World Friendship Medal	Individual and Council criteria on website	Please refer to nomination forms on website		GSUSA National Board of Directors	GSUSA

Girl Scouts - Diamonds Awards at a Glance

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Arkansas Governor's Volunteer Excellence Award	Volunteer serving 500 or more hours to the Girl Scout community	0	Service Unit Event	Council staff - Submissions due February 15	No cost
President's Volunteer Service Award	Volunteer who would like national recognition for volunteer service of 100 or more hours	0	Service Unit Event	Council staff - Submissions due February 15	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Myra Vinson Award	Volunteer who has made an impact beyond the Girl Scout community	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Sally Sharpe Training Award	Experienced or Master Level Volunteer Trainer that demonstrates outstanding facilitating skills	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Diamonds Rookie of the Year	Volunteer who has made a significant impact in his or her first year as a volunteer	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Diamonds Leader of the Year	Leader who has served for at least 5 years who has made substantial impact on the Service Unit or Council	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds
Diamonds Volunteer of the Year	Volunteer for any length of time who has made substantial impact on the Service Unit or Council	2	Annual Meeting & Leadership Conference (July)	Adult Recognition Review Committee	Girl Scouts - Diamonds