

PRESIDENT'S AWARD WORKSHEET

The President's Award recognizes the efforts demonstrated by a service unit whose exemplary service in support of delivering the Girl Scout Leadership Experience surpassed team goals and resulted in significant, measurable impact toward reaching the council's overall goals. This achievement requires teamwork, dedication, and focus from every member of the service unit team as well as the support of troop leaders.

The President's Award recognizes the culmination of efforts of the previous membership year. Consult with your Membership Specialist to find the information needed to complete this worksheet.

Information collected on this form is to reflect the membership year that runs from October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025. The President's Award will be awarded at our Annual Meeting & Volunteer Recognition Ceremony in 2026.

Deadline for submission is Friday, December 5, 2025.

NEW: These criteria will also be used for the upcoming year, October 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026. Keep this worksheet to help you plan for the upcoming membership year.

There are **149** total possible points available in this worksheet, not including bonuses. The President's Award requires a minimum of **119** points to earn the award.

If you need to save your information and return at a later time to complete the form, please click "save and continue" at the bottom and you will be emailed a link to return when you are ready to resume your submittal. Please note the form expires after 30 days and a new worksheet will have to be submitted.

SUBMITTER'S INFORMATION

First		Last	
Email:			
Confirm Email:			
Service Unit			

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CRITERION 1: SERVICE UNIT LEVEL 1 TEAM

1 POINT PER FILLED POSITION – UP TO 7 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Service Unit team members to be listed below with their respective role identified in MyGS.

Which level 1 team members will you be listing? (select all that apply)

- SUM/CO-SUM
- Membership Coordinator
- Treasurer
- Fall Product Program Chair
- Troop Consultant (any level)
- Cookie Program Chair
- School Organizer/Representative/Recruiter
- Not Applicable

Enter point total for Criterion 1 section:

BONUS 1: SERVICE UNIT LEVEL 2 TEAM

1 POINT PER FILLED POSITION – UP TO 10 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Service unit team members to be listed below must be identified as a “Committee Member” in MyGS and must not have been listed in the section above.

Which level 2 team members will you be listing? (select all that apply)

- Additional Troop Consultant
- Adult Recognitions Chair
- Communications & Social Media Chair
- Event Coord. / Community Service Coord.
- Higher Awards Mentor
- Placement Coordinator
- SEME Approver (not SUM)
- Travel Form Approver (not SUM)
- Other
- Other
- Not Applicable

Enter point total for Bonus 1 section:

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CRITERION 2: TOTAL MEMBERSHIP GROWTH

UP TO 10 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Overall membership has reached the goal provided to the service unit and membership specialist.

1 Point : 89-91% of Goal
2 Points: 92-94% of Goal
4 Points: 95-97% of Goal
6 Points: 98-100% of Goal
8 Points: 101-105% of Goal
10 Points: 106% +

Enter point total for Criterion 2 section:

CRITERION 3: ADULT RETENTION

UP TO 10 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Members of the service unit team have delivered Girl Scout program information effectively, resulting in the retention of adults.

3 Points : 68-71%
5 Points: 72-75%
8 Points: 76-79%
10 Points: 80% +

Enter point total for Criterion 3 section:

CRITERION 4: GIRL RETENTION

UP TO 10 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Members of the service unit team have delivered Girl Scout program effectively, resulting in the retention of girls.

3 Points : 68-71%
5 Points: 72-75%
8 Points: 76-79%
10 Points: 80% +

Enter point total for Criterion 4 section:

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CRITERION 5: TROOP LEVEL GROWTH – NEW TROOPS

2 POINTS FOR EACH NEW TROOP – UP TO 16 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: List the troop numbers for troops added during the 24/25 membership year. This information can be provided by the service unit recruiters or community engagement specialist.

1.		5.	
2.		6.	
3.		7.	
4.		8.	

Enter point total for Criterion 5 section:

BONUS 2: TROOP LEADER SUPPORT

UP TO 12 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Based on the Troop Year-End Report Survey, Troop Leaders agree and strongly agree that Girl Scouts provided them with the support and guidance they needed to be successful.

- 2 Points: 65-72% of leaders reported agree and strongly agree.
- 5 Points: 73-80% of leaders reported agree and strongly agree.
- 8 Points: 81-90% of leaders reported agree and strongly agree.
- 12 Points 91-100% of leaders reported agree and strongly agree.

Enter point total for Bonus 3 section:

CRITERION 6: PRODUCT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION

UP TO 14 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Overall participation in the fall product program and per girl average in the cookie program. This information is provided by the SUM or Service Unit Product Program Chair.

2024 Fall Product Program

Did your service unit have an increase in Fall Product sales from the 2023 Fall Program to the 2024 Fall Program?

- Magazines and other products. (2 points)
- Nuts only (2 points)
- Both magazines/products and nuts (4 points)
- Neither (0 points)

2025 Cookie Program

- PGA (boxes per girl average)
4 Points : 175 – 200
6 Points: 201 – 225
8 Points: 226 – 250
10 Points: 251 and above

2025 PGA Number:

Enter point total for Criterion 6 section:

CRITERION 7: FINANCIAL COMPLIANCE

UP TO 10 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Service unit troops that have submitted year-end financials by the due date of June 30th. This information should be available from your service unit treasurer.

- 3 Points: 66-74%
- 4 Points: 75-79%
- 5 Points: 80-84%
- 6 Points: 85-88%
- 8 Points: 89-92%
- 9 Points: 93-96%
- 10 Points: 97-100%

Percentage of Reports Submitted

Enter point total for Criterion 7 section:

CRITERION 8: COMMUNITY VISIBILITY

2 POINTS PER ITEM – UP TO 10 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Service unit community visibility organized by volunteers, not GSGLA staff, events include community parades, flag ceremonies, open house, community engagement, recruitment booths, etc.

List up to five items here (example: ABC Christmas parade):

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

Enter point total for Criterion 8 section:

BONUS 3: COMMUNITY SERVICE

5 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: Describe how the Service Unit helped inspire ways for troops to support Girl Scouts' passion and desire to make a difference within the community through community service and/or Take Action Projects.

Enter point total for Bonus 4 section:

CRITERION 9: SERVICE UNIT CONNECTIONS

UP TO 20 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: The Service Unit team has strengthened the service unit through communications, leader meetings, and inclusive events for troops and families.

Select all that apply to the service unit:

- Sent monthly emails to troops. (1 Point)
- Hosted a service unit website. (2 Points)
- Hosted a service unit Facebook/social media. (2 Points)
- Published 1-3 media articles. (2 Points)
- Service Unit held a rededication ceremony. (3 Points)
- Service Unit held a bridging ceremony. (3 Points)
- Service Unit held a family engagement event (e.g. Cookie rally, Camporee, Caregiver/Girl Scout Event, Highest Awards Ceremony) (3 Points)
- Juliettes/Individually Registered Girls were supported and invited to service unit events (2 Points)
- Held monthly service unit team meetings. (1 Point)
- Held monthly service unit leader meetings. (1 Point)

Enter point total for Criterion 9 section:

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CRITERION 10: LEADER DEVELOPMENT & ENGAGEMENT

UP TO 15 POINTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS SECTION.

Section Description: The service unit team has supported and encouraged the troop leaders to develop their skills and provide program activities for their troop(s) and/or the service unit.

Select all forms of leader development that apply to the service unit:

- Provided 1-2 trainings not including product program training. (e.g. Short & Snappy trainings) (1 Point)
- Provided 4+ trainings. (e.g. First-Aid, Knots, Songs, Games, Short & Snappy) (1 Additional Point)
- Troop Consultants facilitated supplemental grade-level GSLE support for troops. (2 Points)
- 1-3 volunteers were recognized at AMVR (1 Point)
- 4+ volunteers were recognized at AMVR (2 Additional Points)
- Service Unit earned the President's Award last year. (2 Points)
- A new leader welcome procedure is in place. (3 Points)
- A service unit recognition ceremony was held (3 Points)

Enter point total for Criterion 10 section:

Point total for award worksheet:

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