

Upcoming GSNMT Events and more!



2020 GLOBAL ROUNDTABLE

The Power of All-Girl Spaces

Girl Scouts of New Mexico Trails has been accepted to participate in the 2020 Global Roundtable Hosting Program!

We've been asked to identify 2 girls that will be 14 - 18 in October 2020 to attend G.I.R.L. 2020 to serve as members of the Girl Scouts of New Mexico Trails Hosting Team with Vanessa Wheeler, Senior Program Manager, and Cecilia Chavez, Director of Program.

Girls in this age bracket should have received an email with more details earlier this week. Be sure to check your spam folders! If you did not receive this email and would like more information, please contact Cecilia by clicking below for more information. The deadline to apply is Wednesday, November 13, 2019.

[CONTACT US](#)



Annual Meeting Saturday, November 16, 2019 National Hispanic Cultural Center

During Annual Meeting, the Girl Scouts of New Mexico Trails Delegates will vote on business issues of the council, share their thoughts and suggestions with the council and install our new officers, Board Members and Board Development Committee. We value your input! This is your opportunity to share any ideas and concerns you may have.

[REGISTER TODAY](#)



Membership Announcements

Leader Re-appointment Process

Did you receive your Leader Re-appointment letter and leader position description from your Regional Manager? If a troop leader has re-registered for the 2020 membership year, completed a background check (if required for the new year), and submitted their troop's Year End Activity Report (YEAR) with no audits needed, she/he received an official re-appointment letter extending her/his troop leadership into the new membership year.

Included in the re-appointment letter was a volunteer position description which will require a signature, and then returned to the Regional Manager for the troop file. Connect with your Regional Manager if you haven't received your letter!

Northern NM Volunteer Expo a Success!

A "mini" Volunteer Expo was held in Eagle Nest for Troop Leaders and Volunteers from around Northern New Mexico. 11 volunteers took part in sessions related to How to Organize Your Troop, PB&J (Patches, Badges, and Journeys), Community Service Projects vs. Take Action Projects, and Ceremonies. Be on the lookout for future "mini" Expos in your area in 2020!

Volunteer Essentials training offerings

Volunteer Essentials, a required training as you become or continue as a Troop Leader, is scheduled with training for both new and returning leaders through June 2020. Troop Leaders must take this training every 2 years in order to be up-to-date on council policy, procedures and guidelines as you begin or maintain your troop. Volunteer Essentials will provide you all you need to know through your journey in a classic Troop Pathway. Check out the council's website for a scheduled calendar of training.

CPR/FA and Babysitting Classes

There are still a couple of spaces left for our next CPR/FA class at the Albuquerque Service Center scheduled for Saturday, November 9th, in addition to our babysitting class for girls 12 years old and older later that same day in the afternoon! CPR/FA classes are scheduled 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., while babysitting classes are scheduled from 2 p.m. – 6 p.m. Check out the council website for more details, as well as to download the registration flyer, and sign up today!

A Call for Adult Recognition and Nominations

January is a few months away, but it's not too early to start thinking about who you'd like to honor with a formal recognition from your Troop, Group, or Service Unit! Help us honor our dedicated volunteers and community partners by completing the appropriate nomination forms and letters of endorsement no later than January 30th, 2020. Links to the online nomination/endorsements forms will be available in November!

In addition, the Appreciation Luncheon is scheduled for Saturday, April 18th, 2020, at 12 noon at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center. Mark your calendars today!

SAVE THE DATE!

Save the date to join us as we celebrate our Bronze, Silver & Gold Award Girl Scouts at a special celebration just for them! We will be recognizing our High Awards Girl Scouts on April 4, 2020. Be sure to check [our website](#) for more details in the coming weeks!

Call for Global Action Volunteer Committee Members

The GAV Committee are members of the Global Action Team and are committed to working to create or advance programming in a variety of areas, with the goal of developing an increased awareness of global Girl Scouting and the interconnections of girls and girls' issues throughout the world. As a GAV Committee Member, you will serve as a Global Influencer and help build Global Girl Scouts throughout your region.

Focus areas include:

- Educate Service Units about Global Girl Scouts and share local International activities and Global resources at your region's service unit meetings.
- Be a Global Influencer on your regions' service unit teams trying to mainstream global into programs, events, higher awards projects and encampment.
- Share successes, resources, local events and global stories with council and the Global Action Team.

If you are interested in serving on the Global Action Volunteer Committee, please click below for more information!



La Tienda

Be sure to join us for our next Facebook Live TODAY, Friday, November 1 at 10 am. Have an idea on what you'd like us to talk about or feature? [Contact Us](#) today!

Stop by La Tienda Monday - Thursday 8 am to 5 pm, Friday 8 am to 12 pm or [shop online](#) anytime!

November 2019
Patch of the month: New Mexico True

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3 Daylight Savings Time ends	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 Veteran's Day	12	13	14	15	16 ANNUAL MEETING

17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 Thanksgiving OFFICES CLOSED	29 OFFICES CLOSED	30

Patch of the Month - New Mexico True



New Mexico Clean & Beautiful motivates people to take action everyday to improve their community environment. We ignite in-state pride that inspires New Mexicans to volunteer at local cleanups, attend related events like Earth Day and America Recycles Day, and engages in everyday activities that make their communities clean, green and beautiful places to live, work and play.

[LEARN MORE](#)

Product Program

The MagNut sale is ending on Sunday, November 10th. Don't forget to place your order today to get your favorite snacks and magazines!

The Cookie Sale

We're gearing up for cookies and we're eager to share the new and exciting changes! Training begins on Wednesday, November 20, 2019. Please sign up for the training that best fits your schedule:

Cookie Training Schedule

City	Troop Cookie Training Date
Los Alamos	Tuesday, December 03, 2019 @ 6:30pm
Clovis	Wednesday, December 04, 2019 @ 6pm
Albuquerque	Thursday, December 5, 2019 @ 6:30pm
Moriarty	Friday, December 6, 2019 @ 6pm
Farmington	Monday, December 9, 2019 @ 6pm
Santa Fe	Thursday, December 12, 2019 @ 6pm
Taos	Monday, December 16, 2019 @ 5pm
Albuquerque	Wednesday, December 18, 2019 @ 6:30pm
Milan	Friday, January 3, 2020 @ 6pm
Albuquerque	Tuesday, January 08, 2020 @ 6:30pm
Los Lunas	Thursday, January 9, 2020 @ 6:30pm
Albuquerque	Sunday, January 12, 2020 @ 2pm
Las Vegas	Monday, January 13, 2020 @ 5:30pm
Albuquerque	Tuesday, January 14, 2020 @ 6:30pm



Upcoming Events

New events are always being added. Be sure to check our [Events Calendar](#) for the most recent additions!

- Nov 2 [Program Aide Training](#)
- Nov 8 [Beyond Girl Scouts](#)
[Gritty Girls Interest Meeting](#)
- Nov 9 [Babysitting Training](#)
[First Aid & CPR Training](#)
[Flag Retirement Ceremony](#)
- Nov 12 [Destinations Travel Meeting](#)
[New Leader Volunteer Essentials](#)
- Nov 15 [G.I.R.L. Talks](#)
- Nov 16 [Outdoor Core Training](#)
- Nov 20 [Gold Award Training](#)
[Service Unit Cookie Chair Training](#)
- Nov 21 [New & Returning Volunteers Essentials](#)
- Nov 22 [Gritty Girls Interest Meeting](#)

GSNMT NEWS ROOM

Honoring Our Soldiers

Girl Scouts of New Mexico Trails joined Colt Bolak, Quilts of Valor, Texas Roadhouse, Starbucks, Cabela's, and many other community members in a farewell lunch for troops deploying to Africa. The girls thanked the soldiers, passed out cookies and presented a special soldier with a Quilt of Valor. We challenge the community to reach out and keep our soldiers close with simple acts of kindness and gratitude. The event will air on an upcoming Colt Bolak Show.



2020 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards

The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards honors young people in grades 5-12 for making meaningful contributions to their communities through volunteer service. Applications for 2020 awards are now open through November 5, 2019 at <http://spirit.prudential.com>. Top honorees receive scholarships and all-expenses paid trips to Washington, D.C. for national recognition events.

Celebrating its 25th year, the program, sponsored by Prudential Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP) is the United States' largest youth recognition program based exclusively on volunteer service and has honored more than 130,000 young volunteers on the local, state and national level.



Share your story!

Whether you're taking on awesome change-the-world service projects, going on life-altering trips to incredible places, or having BIG outdoor fun and forging forever friendships, the excitement of learning something new and building a lifetime of memories is remarkable—and the stories of girls, leaders, volunteers, and alumnae are a true testament to the power of the Girl Scout experience.

Submit photos/videos and a description of all the fun and amazing things your Girl Scout, Troop, or Service Unit is doing throughout the year for a chance to see your story featured in various print and online publications, on the GSNMT website, social media, and more.

Why keep all that amazing, inspiring goodness to yourself? Share your powerful stories with the world!

[Share your story today!](#)



Have a question? Don't be shy!
Contact us for more information.

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