



Gift of Caring Opportunity

As a way to encourage more troops and Girl Scouts to be involved in the distribution of donated cookies, GSNI is encouraging troops to deliver Gift of Caring (GOC) cookies. All girls in the troop who sold donation cookies and/or participated in the delivery date will receive the Shoe charm!



**Entries due by
Monday, April 24,
2023**

Gift of Caring Opportunity Guidelines

Follow these steps to enter the drawing.

- Contact one or more local first responder organizations (fire department, police department, etc.), military organization (VFW, American Legion, etc.), service organizations (Lion's Club, Kiwanis Club, Rotary Club, etc.), food pantry, essential businesses (teacher appreciation week, hospitals, doctor offices, post offices, bus drivers, etc.) or another local organization to donate cookies.
 - GSNI recommends donating 1-2 cases (12-24 cookie packages) to an organization depending on the size or number of employees at an essential business. If the organization will be distributing cookies beyond their organization, such as sending military care packages, ask how many packages of cookies they would like to receive.
- At the end of the Cookie Program, arrange a date for Girl Scouts in the troop to deliver donated cookie packages.
- Donate cookie packages set aside by the troop during booth sales or pick up cookie packages from council to donate.
 - If picking up cookies from GSNI, contact a Product Program Manager for an appointment at your preferred cupboard. Cookies must be picked up weekdays, during Resource Center hours Wednesday, March 29-Tuesday, April 4.
- Take photos of Girl Scouts delivering cookies.
- Complete/submit the GOC Delivery form available at www.girlscoutsni.org/cookieactivities and follow the instructions to submit a photo (if available) with the form. All entry forms must be submitted by Monday, April 24, for girls to receive charms.
 - If a troop delivers GOC cookies to multiple organizations, an entry form may be submitted per organization. However, each girl will only receive one charm.
- Charms will be mailed to the troop contact person entered on the form in June.

Questions? Contact the Product Program Team at cookies4you@girlscoutsni.org.