

Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois Belonging Team

Welcome!



The goal of our Belonging team is to create an atmosphere of GSNI's Belonging and Inclusivity, share resources with one another and make sure that GSNI is welcoming to any member that would like to join.

LGBTQ+ Task Force



LGBTQ+ Task Force focus:

- Create a welcoming community and safe place for all Girl Scouts where they experience a true sense of belonging
- Provide education, resources, and training for troop volunteers to create an inclusive welcoming environment.
- Represent our Girl Scout members as fierce allies and advocates in our communities
- Make the world a better and safer place by overcoming barriers and becoming leaders in our community and world

The Belonging Team includes sub-groups:

- Exceptional Children Group
- Engaging Black Families Group
- Hispanic Engagement Group
- LGBTQ+ Group
- Native American Group

Please Join Us!

Starting Fall 2025, all Task Forces will begin meeting quarterly as a group to share updates, collaborate, and strengthen our collective efforts to support all Girl Scouts.

We start our meetings with an intro, talk about our agenda, and then break into subgroups to discuss ideas and actions we can take to make GSNI a welcoming environment for all. We welcome youth members to join us in our conversation!

We understand everyone has busy lives, so we don't require attendance at every meeting, so don't feel you have to commit to each session.

Our Next Meeting:

**Tuesday, October 14, 2025
6:30 - 8:00 p.m.**

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