

GSNI Cookie Chat for Volunteers—3/11/2026

GSNI Product Program Team will be sending weekly Cookie Chats with reminders, tips, and resources to assist volunteers with their journey through the 2026 Cookie Program. The Cookie Chats will also be posted on our website and Rallyhood. Hola! Para obtener más información o asistencia en Español envíe un correo electrónico a customercare@girlscoutsni.org. ¡Gracias!

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Howdy, cookie entrepreneurs! Our **Bling Your Booth Theme of the Week for March 13–19 is... YeeHaw for Cookies!** Saddle up and get ready for a rootin'-tootin' good time at your cookie booths. This week is all about bringing the fun with a western flair while celebrating the leadership, confidence, and entrepreneurial spirit Girl Scouts show every time they sell cookies. Throw on your cowboy hats, bandanas, and boots, and decorate your booth with all the wild west vibes. Whether you are wrangling customers, rounding up cookie fans, or sharing your favorite flavors, this is your chance to make your booth stand out and have a blast doing it. Decorate your booth to match the **YeeHaw for Cookies** theme, snap a photo, and submit it for a chance to win a Cookie Booth Fun Bundle. We cannot wait to see all the creative western-style booths out there. Let's ride into another fantastic week of Girl Scout Cookie fun!

There are still many **council booth** spots open, so keep pushing and don't give up now! One of our favorite parts of the cookie season is getting out on the weekends to visit booths and see Girl Scouts shining in their cookie businesses. Help us fill those spots so we have booths to visit. Let's finish this season strong!

Tuesday, March 17, is the last day for customers to place Digital Cookie girl delivery orders. Digital Cookie shipped orders and using the Mobile App for in-hand orders will continue to be available through March 22.

Golden Ticket Alert! The Golden Ticket excitement continues for the next TWO WEEKS! Each week, ONE Golden Ticket will be hidden at **EACH GSNI Council Cupboard** inside a case of cookies. That means multiple chances to win every single week! When your troop places a cupboard order at a Council Cupboard, open those cases with extra excitement. The Golden Ticket could be hiding inside YOUR order. If you discover the Golden Ticket, email cookies4you@girlscoutsni.org right away. Your troop will win a pizza party to celebrate your sweet success! So check those cases carefully, cross your fingers, and let the Golden Ticket Hunt continue!

Thank You for an Incredible Climb. Explore. Give. Event! Thank you to everyone who joined us for the **Climb. Explore. Give. Gift of Caring event** on March 7 in South Elgin. It was a wonderful afternoon filled with exploration, community spirit, and Girl Scout excitement. Families had the chance to climb aboard amazing vehicles, meet local heroes, and learn more about how Girl Scouts make a difference in our communities. We are incredibly grateful to everyone who attended and supported the event by donating **Girl Scout Cookie packages through the Gift of Caring program**. Because of your generosity, cookies will be delivered to military service members locally and around the world, as well as to first responders, healthcare workers, teachers, essential workers, and local

food banks. A special thank you to the community partners who brought vehicles and helped make this event so memorable for the children and families who attended. Your support helped create a fun, hands-on experience while also giving Girl Scouts the opportunity to spread kindness and gratitude. It truly was a fantastic event, and we appreciate everyone who helped make it such a success.

Girl Scouts have some exciting rewards waiting for them as they continue working toward their cookie goals. Girl Scouts who reach **1500–1999 packages** can choose between a **Safari Lake Geneva Adventure with Pizza Night** or **Beats Studio 3 headphones**. At **2000–3499 packages**, girls can choose between a **Camping Gear Kit** or a **Six Flags Great America Gold Season Pass**. Girl Scouts who reach **3500+ packages** unlock the ultimate reward and can **choose from a Louisville Zoo experience or a Great Wolf Lodge getaway, plus Classic Clog Crocs and a Stanley tumbler**. Keep going, stay motivated, and remember every package gets you closer to an unforgettable experience!

GSNI has many resources available to assist parents and volunteers through the Cookie Program. Please go to www.girlscoutsni.org/cookieresources or [Rallyhood!](#) Volunteers can find answers to many questions in the [Troop Cookie Manual](#) and [eBudde Troop Manual](#). Both volunteers and parents can review the [Digital Cookie Manual](#) for assistance navigating this system.

For assistance throughout the Girl Scout Cookie Program, reach out to your Troop Cookie Chair, Service Unit Cookie Coordinator or GSNI's Product Program Team at cookies4you@girlscoutsni.org.

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