

GSOC Year of Service

Monthly Community Service Opportunities and Take Action Inspiration for Girl Scouts



JANUARY: Nurdle Patrol Citizen Science

What is nurdle pollution? Nurdles are small plastic pellet trash that results from manufacturing plastics, and nurdle pollution occurs when millions of nurdles collect in the ocean, damaging the fragile ecosystem. Learn why nurdles need to be removed from the environment, and how Girl Scouts can help!

This is a two-part service event!

Part 1: Friday, January 14, 4pm–5pm; virtual zoom

**Part 2: Saturday, January 15, 9am-12pm; in-person beach clean-up
\$7 each OC Girl Scout*; all ages**



- GSOC Year of Service patch, January tab, **and** *Keep the Sea Plastic Free* patch!
- Informative guest speaker to learn about ocean pollution and citizen science!
- Inspirational Silver Award Girl Scout to take action to Keep the Sea Plastic Free!
- Impactful in-person service at [Bolsa Chica State Beach](#); all supplies included!

Learn more and register at
girlscoutsoc.org/calendar



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* \$12 for Girl Scouts registered in councils outside of Orange County

Event hosted by the GSOC STEM Patrol in partnership with Girl Scouts of Orange County. Thank you!

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Objective: At session one of this two-part program, Girl Scouts will learn about nurdle pollution, how citizens are needed to help scientists track and report ocean plastic pollution. Girls will create an advocacy poster and gather in-person to clean Bolsa Chica State Beach for part two of this very interactive service project!

SUGGESTED SUPPLIES

Printout:

Please print coloring pages, provided with confirmation, one-sided, on white paper, 8 ½ x 11

Art materials:

Any art supplies you have: crayons, markers, pens, colored pencils, glitter, paint pens, bright colors etc.

Beach Clean-up supplies (bags, gloves) and event patches distributed on Saturday Jan. 15



Learn more about the Keep The Sea Plastic Free patch program at:
<https://www.girlscoutshop.com/GSOC-Keep-the-Sea-Plastic-Free-Patch>