CONGRATULATIONS!

You have earned your SMORE Patch!



Now that you've completed all three steps you can bring this signed booklet to the Girl Scout Shop and purchase the GSOC SMORE (Sharing Moments of Recognition Everyday) fun patch.

Go to www.girlscoutsoc.org/shop for locations and curent shop hours.







SMORE

Volunteer Appreciation Patch Program





Earn this fun patch as you discover, connect, and take action to show your Volunteers how much you apreciate all they do!



Discover what volunteer appreciation means and how volunteers are important to Girl Scouts. Complete the activity in the first column below followed by the activity of your choice from the second column:

☐ What volunteer appreciation means

On a separate sheet of paper, show what appreciation means to you by drawing, writing, or using pictures.

Make it personal and from the heart. Don't forget to give it to a volunteer!

□ Super Leader

Have a chat with your leaders about their favorite parts of being a Girl Scout leader and create a comic strip about their experience.

☐ Shout out

Tell Girl Scouts of Orange County about your awesome volunteers (email recognition@girlscoutsoc.org with a picture and three sentences why your leader is awesome).

Connect



Connect with volunteers in your troop and observe all of the amazing qualities that make them great at what they do then complete two of the activities below:

- Create a troop pledge and teach it to your troop. Don't forget to include parts about being helpful, respectful, and appreciative to all your troop volunteers.
- ☐ With your Girl Scout friends, create a banner or poster that describes how much you appreciate your troop volunteers and post it where you have your troop meetings.
- Along with your Girl Scout friends, create a troop memories scrapbook and present it to your leader and share it at your next troop meeting.



Take Action

Now that you have had a chance to DISCOVER what volunteer appreciation means and CONNECT with your volunteers, it's time to TAKE ACTION and say thank you by completing one of the activities below:

- ☐ Host an appreciation event for volunteers who have helped your troop.
- Plan and create a special slide show of everyone's favorite troop moments and show it at the next troop special occasion.
- ☐ Plan a service project in your troop leader's honor. Do they like flowers? Plant a community garden. Is your leader an animal lover? Volunteer at your local animal shelter.