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What We Do

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Join/Volunteer Today

Girl Scouting is open to all girls ages 5 – 17 who accept the Girl Scout Promise and Law; and adults over the age of 18 who accept the organization's principles and beliefs as stated in the Preamble of the Constitution of Girl Scouts of the USA. Annual membership dues are \$10 for girls and adult members, and a wide variety of short-term and long-term volunteer positions are available.

Reconnect/Donate/How to Help

Did you know that more than 53% of all women business owners are Girl Scout alumnae?

Every \$250 of operating income means one more girl will benefit from Girl Scouting. All gifts, large or small, help ensure girls in West Central Florida are nurtured, empowered and guided through the programs of Girl Scouting.

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