



Leon Valley City Council Meeting

Girl Scout Troop 834
December 3, 2024



Agenda

1. Girl Scout Troop 834
2. Girl Scouts by the Numbers
3. The Benefits of Girl Scouts
4. Girl Scouts in STEM



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46 Girl Scouts, Kindergarten- 10th Grade



Girl Scout Alums at a Glance

- More than one in three women in the United States were Girl Scouts at some point in their lives.
- There are currently more than 50 million Girl Scout alums.



Girl Scouts Alums Lead

- Fifty-six percent (56%) of women in the 117th Congress are Girl Scout alums.
- Seventy-one percent (71%) of current female senators are Girl Scout alums.
- Fifty-three percent (53%) of current female delegates and representatives in the House of Representatives are Girl Scout alums. Five of the nine current female governors are Girl Scout alums.
- Every female secretary of state in U.S. history is a Girl Scout or Girl Guide alum: Madeleine Albright, Condoleezza Rice, and Hillary Clinton.

Girl Scout alums say they have Girl Scouting to thank for many of their life achievements. Girl Scouts:

- Set them on a path for achievement and success
- Connected them to a network of girls and women around the world
- Developed their passions and interests in the outdoors; business; and science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM).

Compared to other women, Girl Scout alums embody higher levels of:

- **Courage**—they show resilience when learning from failure and setbacks, take on challenges, are ambitious, and aren't afraid to take risks.
- **Confidence**—they accomplish what they set out to do and are assured in their abilities.
- **Character**—they lead purposeful and meaningful lives, are honest and trustworthy, stand up for their beliefs and values, and actively contribute to others' well-being.



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For over 100 years, Girl Scouts has taken the lead in providing opportunities to girls to discover, connect, and take action through STEM.

Girl Scouts is connecting girls to a variety of STEM experiences.

Doing just one Girl Scout STEM activity makes a difference. Findings show that for Girl Scouts of all ages, doing at least one Girl Scout STEM activity during the troop year increased STEM interest and confidence at the end of the year.



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Thank You!