



Juliette Jam



Welcome to the spring 2022 edition of the GSMW newsletter specifically for Juliettes. Juliette Jam will come to your inbox 3 times a year – fall (September/October), winter (January/February) and spring (May/June). You will find past editions on the [Juliette page](#) of our website. This does not replace the monthly [e-newsletter](#) that you receive from GSMW, keep reading those! Please reach out to me with any questions you have, I am here to support you. I can be reached by email at bridgetm@gsmw.org or by phone at 406-252-0488 ext 2026.

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Membership Renewal

Continue your Juliette Girl Scout journey and renew your membership before the current membership year ends September 30, 2022. [Juliette Funds](#) can be used for both Juliette and Juliette Mentor and memberships earned through the Cookie Program have already been entered into our system. If your Juliette just graduated from high school, you can use Juliette Funds to give her the gift of a Lifetime Membership.

Summer Outdoor Challenge

School's out and is your Juliette already telling you that she's bored? Have her take the Girl Scouts Love the Outdoors Challenge and receive a free fun patch to add to her collection on the back of her uniform. [Download the Outdoor Challenge](#) and get started today! When your Juliette has completed her challenge, submit the [GSMW Challenges Submission Form](#) by September 9, 2022.

Girl Scout Traditions

Girl Scouts is rich with traditions like S'mores, the Girl Scout handshake and camp. Court of Awards and Bridging ceremonies are also part of Girl Scout traditions and both of these ceremonies are a great way to celebrate your Juliette's accomplishments.

Court of Awards is a ceremony held to recognize accomplishments in the form of badges, awards, pins, and patches and can be held throughout the year, your Juliette has worked hard and will be proud to display her new accomplishments on her uniform. There is no set way to hold a Court of Awards ceremony, let your Juliette be creative in planning her ceremony. She may want to include a candle lighting to reaffirm her Girl Scout Promise and Law, have a theme, hold it at her favorite park; the possibilities are endless!

Bridging celebrates the transition to the next Girl Scout age level and is a time for a Girl Scout to reflect on her accomplishments and get ready for new adventures. Each age level has its own bridging patch and girls can earn their Bridging Award to give them a taste of what is to come. There are 2 steps to earning the bridging award, at any age level. While at first glance these steps seem to be made for girls in a troop, they can easily be done individually. I have also attached a Bridging Guide for you and your Juliette to use if she will be bridging this year.

1. **Pass it on!** Girls get a chance to look back at what they have accomplished and pass on a bit of knowledge to younger Girl Scouts. If your Juliette does not know a younger Girl Scout or have a younger sibling, she could create a poster or write something about what she would like to pass on.
2. **Look Ahead!** Meet with Girl Scouts at the level that they will be bridging to and learn about the exciting adventures that lie ahead. To complete this step, your Juliette could look at the Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting for the next age level and learn about a badge she could earn or write a wish list of things she would like to do at the next Girl Scout age level.

Girl Scout 110th Anniversary Celebrations

Helena, MT July 9-10, 2022 - Festivities begin Friday afternoon with the Highest Awards Ceremony at the State Capital, followed by a tour. Check-in begins for the 110th Celebration Friday evening at 5:00pm (you're welcome to join us Saturday if you prefer) and participants will have dinner, set up their tents for the weekend (plan to bring your own camping equipment!), and enjoy a movie. Saturday morning, participants will have a selection of field trips to choose from including hiking, fishing, canoeing, gold panning, mining for sapphires, and more (*girls will need to have their own adult transportation to attend the field trips*)! The afternoon will include a variety of self-paced stations followed by a carnival and classic Girl Scout Campfire. All registered participants will receive a commemorative 110th anniversary patch! [Registration](#) is now open for this event and you can request to use [Juliette Funds](#) to cover the registration fee.

[Stay tuned](#) for events in Cheyenne, WY August 13-14, 2022 and Jackson, WY September 10-11, 2022.

Juliette Gordon Low Corner

Juliette Gordon Low is the founder of Girl Scouts and the namesake for Daisy Girl Scouts and Juliettes. In every edition I will give you tidbits about her and her life so you and your Juliette can learn more about her.

Girl Scouts was not the first organization that she founded, when Juliette Gordon Low was 16 she started the Helpful Hands club with cousins to sew clothing for an immigrant family. The club disbanded in 1876 with the yellow fever epidemic in Savannah, GA.

Graduating Juliette Girl Scouts

Congratulations to the following Juliettes on their high school graduation and best wishes to them as they embark on their future!

Cheyenne M. – Park City, MT

Emma C. – Billings, MT

Gracen M. – Wheatland, WY

Jonnina E. – Cheyenne, WY

Kendall S. – Billings, MT

Opal B. – Kalispell, MT

Rilee R. – Rock Springs, WY

Savannah W. – Cheyenne, WY

Zoey P. – Casper, WY

2022 Cookie Program Shout Outs

Goal setting is an important part of financial literacy and congratulations to all of you as you Climbed with Courage to meet your goals.

Top Initial Order Sellers - 9 of the 25 were Juliettes!

Allison R. – Laramie, Ava N. – Casper, Cree B. – Casper, Emily G. – Roberts, Hayliee T. – Deer Lodge, Joy C. – Laramie, Kinlee R. – Billings, Lundin C. – Rock Springs, Vyvien A. – Missoula

Top Cookie Entrepreneurs

Top Overall: 2nd Highest Cookie Entrepreneur overall was Juliette Cree B. of Casper, WY

4000 Club (4000+ packages): Cree B. – Casper, WY **3000 Club (3000+ packages):** Vyvien A. – Missoula, MT

Top by Region:

East Central WY – Cree B.

Southwest MT – Vyvien A.

Top by Girl Scout Level:

Top Senior Entrepreneur – Sausha J. of Billings, MT

Top Juliette Entrepreneur – Cree B. of Casper, WY

Juliette Happenings



Congratulations to Kendall S. of Billings, MT on her Girl Scout Gold Award! Kendall addressed the issue of sexual assault by hosting a self-defense workshop for middle and high school girls. During the workshop girls listened to a guest speaker talk about her experience with sexual assault and then they learned some hands on techniques to use if needed. Kendall also created [YouTube](#) (this video addresses a sensitive topic and may be triggering to some) content teaching basic self-defense techniques. Kendall was recently featured on the [Billings Q2 news](#).

Brit L., a Cadette Girl Scout in Sidney, MT earned her LiA (Leadership in Action) with a local troop of younger girls. She worked with the troop leader to plan and execute some badge work with the girls. Way to go Brit!

