



Honor Troop Award 2012 Membership Year

Is your troop truly outstanding? The Honor Troop Award is offered by Girl Scouts of Central Illinois as a way to recognize excellent Girl Scout troops. The award honors dedicated volunteer leadership and active troop participation in council-sponsored activities. The award also recognizes those troops that offer their girls all of the great opportunities available in Girl Scouting with a well-rounded program year that includes participation in product sales activities, activities with other troops, community service projects, field trips, outdoor activities, summer activities, and much more!

The Honor Troop Patch program is a troop effort. The troop should decide together whether or not they would like to pursue this recognition. At least half the troop must participate in an activity for it to count towards this award. Activities must be completed within 12 consecutive months. Once the application has been approved, you will be notified and you may then purchase Honor Troop patches (\$1.00 each) for troop members.

Troops that complete the Honor Troop Patch requirements during the 2012 membership year will be eligible to receive the 100th Anniversary rocker to go around the patch. For each additional year your troop completes the Honor Troop requirements additional year rockers can be purchased. Rockers are .75 each.

YOU KNOW YOUR TROOP IS SUPER! LET EVERYONE ELSE KNOW, TOO!

Apply to receive the Honor Troop Award!

TROOP BASICS: All items must be completed.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Troop must have 2 registered adults and 1 registered committee member, all over the age of 18. | <input type="checkbox"/> A returning troop must be registered on or before September 30. A new troop must be registered within 2 weeks of Jumpstart training. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Troop must have at least one adult that has completed Leadership Essentials and First Aid/CPR Training. | <input type="checkbox"/> Troop participated in the Fall Product Sale Activity (if active at time of sale). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The troop has at least 5 registered girl members. | <input type="checkbox"/> Troop participated in the Girl Scout Cookie Activity. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A troop representative attended a minimum of 2 Service Area meetings. | <input type="checkbox"/> Troop utilized one of the Journey leadership books: <i>It's Your World—Change It!</i> , <i>It's Your Planet—Love It!</i> , or <i>It's Your Story—Tell It!</i> during the year. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Troop Product Sales Organizer attended Fall Product and Cookie Training. | |

SERVICE: All items must be completed.

- Participated in one council-wide community service project (fall or spring).
- Participated in two other community service projects.
- Project: _____ Date: _____
- Project: _____ Date: _____

TROOP ACTIVITIES: The 5 starred items are required.

Troop must complete an additional 6 activities (11 total). Please list activities.

★ Collaborated on an event with another troop

___ Planned and hosted a family activity

★ Planned a field trip

___ Participated in an outdoor activity (camping/hiking)

___ Participated in a community flag ceremony

___ Participated in a community parade

★ Participated in an activity that promotes diversity
(other cultures, getting along with others, individuals
who are differently-abled, etc.)

★ Participated in a summer activity

___ Participated in a health and/or fitness activity

___ Attended Service Area event

___ Participated in a career activity

___ Invited a guest speaker to a troop meeting

★ Invited a non-Girl Scout to attend a troop
meeting _____

___ Wrote a letter to/visited local government official

___ Other (completed bridging, Bronze Award, etc.)

Troop Number _____	Grade Level _____	
Number of girls _____	Number of adults _____	Service Area _____
Troop Leader _____		

Office Use Only	Date Received: _____	Requirements met: Yes	No
Signature _____	# of patches _____		
Additional Comments: _____			