



Juliette Jam



Welcome to the second 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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Cookie Program

The Cookie Program begins Friday February 4th and packets have been mailed to you. All of the Cookie Program resources can be found at www.gsmw.org/juliettescookies and be on the lookout for email reminders throughout the Cookie Program.

If your Juliette plans on participating in the Cookie Program please complete the [Juliette Product Program Permission Form](#). This form not only gives Juliette Caregivers their permission for their Juliette to participate but also lets GSMW know that you are participating prior to the initial order submission so I can anticipate receiving your order. Please complete by February 4th.

If your Juliette is in 6th – 12th grade and would like to opt out of receiving the rewards and earn additional proceeds, please email customercare@gsmw.org no later than February 4th.

GSMW recommends that customers pay for their order upon delivery not upfront. We however understand that doesn't always happen. If your customer requests to pay at the time of ordering and would like to pay by check please have the customer make out the check to GSMW. Please note that GSMW does not accept checks for greater than \$200 and we do not cover NSF fees for checks deposited 30 + days from the check date. To avoid running into an issue, you can submit collected cookie money as frequently as you like. Please refer to the 2022 Juliette Cookie FAQs on ways to submit your money.



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GSMW Winter Outdoor Challenge

Looking for fun ways to get engage your Juliette this winter, then the GSMW Winter Outdoor Challenge may just be the thing. [Download](#) the check off sheet to keep track of your activities and let us know when your Juliette has reached 100 points so she can get her free patch! [Complete](#) by March 31, 2022.

Girl Scout Traditions

Dreaming about summer already? Summer Camp is a Girl Scout tradition tightly woven into our DNA. GSMW has some amazing, fun filled camps planned for this summer. We have resident camps in 3 locations throughout our council – Timbercrest in Red Lodge, MT, Camp Castle Rock in Butte, MT and Camp Sacajawea in Casper, WY. Our camp brochure will be coming out soon so your Juliette can start dreaming of her summer fun. Don't forget that you can use Juliette Funds to pay for Summer Camp!



If your Juliette goes to camp this summer, another Girl Scout tradition is to share SWAPS. What are SWAPS? It stands for "Special Whatchamacallits Affectionately Pinned Somewhere" and they are small tokens of friendship that Girl Scouts exchange with one another. SWAPS often reflect the uniqueness of your Girl Scout or where she is from and are a great way for your Juliette to make new friends at camp!

SWAPS are usually homemade and small and girls will attach a piece of paper or cardstock with their name and town they are from. There are many ideas for SWAPS on Pinterest and even Juliette Gordon Low SWAPS!



World Thinking Day

World Thinking Day is celebrated by Girl Scouts and Girl Guides around the world on February 22nd. We have celebrated it since 1926 and is a day for all Girl Scouts and Girl Guides to think of each other and celebrate their sisters around the world. There are many ways to celebrate this special day with your Juliette. You can have your Juliette earn the [World Thinking Day patch](#) or attend your local Service Unit celebration (email bridgetm@gsmw.org to get connected with your local Service Unit) or your Juliette could celebrate with her family by learning about a country with you, maybe she could prepare a food to serve from that country.



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Girl Scout Birthday

Girl Scouts will be 110 years old! Juliette Gordon Low held the first Girl Scout meeting in Savannah, GA on March 12, 1912 and every year we celebrate our birthday. GSMW will be hosting events throughout MT and WY to recognize our milestone birthday, be on the lookout on our [website](#) for more information on how you can celebrate with us!

Highest Awards

Every Girl Scout goes above and beyond to make a difference in her community and the greater world. These three awards give girls the chance to do big things, and your Juliette can make an impact on her community and beyond by earning a Highest Award.

Junior Girl Scouts can earn their [Girl Scout Bronze Award](#) by completing a prerequisite Journey and then planning and executing a 20 hour Take Action project.

Cadette Girl Scouts can earn their [Girl Scout Silver Award](#) by completing a prerequisite Journey and then planning and executing a 50 hour Take Action project.

Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts can earn their [Girl Scout Gold Award](#) by completing either 2 prerequisite Journeys or if they have earned their Girl Scout Silver Award, they only need complete 1 Journey and then plan and execute an 80 hour Take Action project. Girls wanting to earn their Gold Award must also complete the required GSMW training. GSMW also recognizes one Silver Award project with the [GSMW Silver Award of the Year](#) if certain criteria are met to be considered.

GSMW has training videos as well as additional resources and the required paperwork for each of the Highest Awards on the [website](#). You can also email customer care@gsmw.org for more information.

Council Own Patches

The Girl Scouts of Montana and Wyoming has a number of patches that are specific to Girl Scouts of Montana and Wyoming. Girls may complete requirements to earn these recognitions throughout the year and they are not just for girls in a troop, there are several, such as the American Sign Language patch that can be earned by Juliettes. Check out the GSMW [Council Own patches](#) and use your [Juliette Funds](#) to purchase them once completed. After your Juliette has earned them, these patches go on the back of the uniform as the front is reserved for GSUSA earned badges and awards.



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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.

Juliette loved the arts, animals and nature but she was also very athletic, she would stand on her head and do a cartwheel to show that she could still keep up with the Girl Scouts! How many of you can do a cartwheel?

Juliette Happenings

I would like to share what other Juliettes are doing from earning badges, attending programs to community service. Please share your pictures and stories by emailing bridgetm@gsmw.org.



Victoria of Rexford, MT used some of her Juliette Funds to purchase items to donate her local animal shelter for a community service project. Thank you Victoria for thinking about this important need in your community!