



Juliette Jam



Welcome to the 2023 spring edition of Juliette Jam, a newsletter specific to Juliettes. Juliette Jam will come to your inbox 3 times a year – fall (September/October), winter (January/February) and spring (May/June). 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 Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 3:00 pm.

If you haven't already, join the [GSMW Juliettes](#) Facebook page, the [Girl Scouts of Montana and Wyoming](#) main Facebook page and your regional Facebook page (links in attached PDF). Our website www.gsmw.org has lots of information, check it out often.

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Cookie Program

That's a wrap! The 2023 Cookie Program was a great success and the proceeds have been added to your Juliette Fund account. Juliettes went Bright Ahead by setting and achieving their goals. These Juliettes met or exceeded their goal set in Smart Cookies.

Alexandria M.	Emmalyn M.	Kendyll W.	Olivia G.	Rowyn A.	Siera J.
Alyssa M.	Freyja W.	Kimberly E.	Quincey S.	Sadie B.	Sophia C.
Avandria L.	Haile T.	Kira M.	Rachel N.	Sadie G.	Sophia B.
Chasity W.	Hayliee T.	Lila Ann P.	Rachel T.	Samantha B.	Stephanie C.
Elizabeth B.	Imre B.	Lillian O.	Rachel W.	Savannah C.	Victoria M.
Elizabeth G.	Issabella D.	Lundin C.	Rayona R.	Shannon M.	Vyvien A.
Ellie B.	Jasmine W.	Morgan H.	Reata L.	Shelby E.	
Emily G.	Kalli B.	Nicole T.	Remington T.	Shyla S.	

Membership Renewal

Soar into '24 by renewing your membership! Juliette Funds can be used for Juliette and Juliette Mentor memberships by submitting the Juliette Fund Request form. If your Juliette earned a 2024 membership from the Cookie Program, her membership has been entered into the system.

Juliette Funds

Juliette Funds can be used for more than memberships. We encourage you to [request Juliette Funds](#) instead of paying out of pocket and then ask to be reimbursed.

Complete the form to:

- get registered for a GSMW event or a Badge in the Box series
- purchase uniform pieces, insignia, badges, awards, pins and program materials from the GSMW shop
- if you see merchandise on the [GSUSA online shop](#), submit the form to let us know what you want and we will order it for you using your Juliette Funds
- after you have registered for summer camp, submit the form to pay for all or a portion of the balance
- cover a fee for a Service Unit event/day camp
- Girl Scout Destinations registration fees (please visit our [website](#) for more information about Destinations)

Complete the form to be reimbursed for:

- save your receipts for purchases for community service or Highest Awards projects
- travel costs or other expenses related to a Destinations or Girl Scout hosted travel

Mobile STEM Learning Center

The Mobile STEM Learning Center (aka the STEM Van) is on the road and providing girl-led and girl-focused immersive program for girls in their communities. The van is equipped with 3D printing, drones, robotics, virtual reality, coding, microbiology, space science and more. Check out the [tour schedule](#) and join Jess, our STEM Program Specialist, for hands-on STEM learning opportunities.



Graduating Juliette Girl Scouts

Congratulations to the Juliette graduating seniors, we wish you the best as you move onto the next step of your journey!

Amanda M. – Conrad, MT

Paige W. – Miles City, MT

Shyla S.– Arlee, MT

Marly G. – Sheridan, WY

Ruby F. – Billings, MT

Summer Outdoor Challenge

It's not too late to get started on the 2023 GSMW Summer Outdoor Challenge. This challenge is full of summer activities for your Juliette and if she reaches 100 points, [download and then submit](#) her check off sheet by August 31st for a free fun patch. GSMW also has a Winter Outdoor Challenge and a Girl Scout Week Challenge, check our [Activities](#) throughout the year for these and other great programs.

Juliette Gordon Low Corner

Juliette Gordon Low was the founder of the Girl Scout Movement 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 suffered from hearing loss in both ears. She struggled with ear infections as a child that resulted in hearing loss in one ear and then a grain of rice thrown like confetti at her wedding lodged in her other ear, causing hearing damage. Did you know that GSMW has a council own patch, American Sign Language, that you can earn. Check out how to earn this and other [GSMW Council Own Patches!](#)

Girl Scout Traditions

Girl Scouts have sold cookies since 1917, starting as home baked cookies sold as a service project in a high school cafeteria by the Mistletoe Troop in Muskogee, OK. During World War II, rationing of products like sugar, Girl Scouts pivoted and starting selling calendars in 1944 and they were sold into the 1990's. Over the years, some things have changed but the life skills learned through the program haven't.

Juliette Happenings

Girl Scouts are always prepared, the following story demonstrates just that and permission to share this incident has been granted by Kaylianna and Felicity's caregiver. While delivering cookies this spring, Kaylianna and Felicity, along with their family, handled themselves exceptionally well during an active shooter emergency. They, along with other patrons of a restaurant hid in a bathroom and were then later led to safety by first responders. The Juliettes not only remained calm themselves but calmed other upset children and adults. When they were being led to a safe location, the girls grabbed a younger child's hand to help everyone stay together. Way to go Juliettes on showing courage in an adverse situation and while helping others, your bravery hasn't gone unnoticed!