



# Girl Scout Day at the Capitol Banner Contest

## Create a banner with your troop for Girl Scout Day at the Capitol!

The troop that creates the winning entry will proudly carry their banner and kick off the march in Springfield on Friday, May 1, 2026.



### Contest Guidelines:

1. You must be a currently registered Girl Scout troop and registered for the event.
2. Your banner should be created using the 2026 theme: 250 Years of Independence!
3. A picture of the completed banner must be emailed by **April 19, 2026** to Sara Tate at [state@girlscouts-gsci.org](mailto:state@girlscouts-gsci.org). Please include troop number and the troop leader's name and phone number.
4. Physical banner must be brought by the troop on the event day!



*Collect ideas, get creative, and make sure you are registered for Day at the Capitol 2026!*

**May 1, 2026 | 9am-4:30pm | Springfield, IL**