

2025 Girl Scouts of the USA Adult Recognition Barbara Reif Award Nomination Guidelines

Description

The Barbara Reif Award recognizes those volunteers who have contributed outstanding service to a series program sponsored by Girl Scouts of Central Illinois. Through this volunteer work this volunteer has contributed outstanding service in support of the council's mission delivery to girl members.

Criteria

The nominee is an active, registered adult Girl Scout, in good standing. The service performed by the nominee is above and beyond the expectations in the position. The service has made a positive impact on the girls or volunteers in support of sharing the Girl Scout Leadership Experience (GSLE) throughout the council thus affecting all areas (service unit). This might be done through volunteering, trainings, outreach programming, representation of council at GSUSA events or other methods. The service has been done during the time frame of: October 1st, 2024 – September 30th, 2025 There are no Endorsement Letters required in accompaniment for this nomination.

Nomination

A nomination form is completed online by February 6th, 2026. Forms should detail measurable, supporting documentation indicating how the nominee meets criteria. Nomination should give specific details of how volunteer makes an impact, giving relevant examples as well as data that shows how girls and volunteers benefited. Recipients will receive the award at the GSCI spring Award Celebration.

Questions? Contact Patti Patty-G'Sell at ppattygsell@girlscouts-gsci.org or 888-623-1105.

Nominations are due February 6th, 2026.