

Standabout and Cookie Booth Safety

Girls and adults may host a standabout or participate at a cookie booth if they are comfortable doing so and do not have symptoms of illness or recent exposure to the virus.

Guidelines for promoting safe distancing and healthy practices at all standabouts and booths:

- Ensure that all attendees wear masks that securely cover the nose and mouth at all times. Have hand sanitizer accessible to girls and customers at the table.
- Instruct girls to use sanitizer after assisting each customer.
- Have sanitization supplies available and use them in between customers to wipe down the table and other touchpoints.
- Use a menu board in lieu of a cookie display so that customers do not touch packages. If a menu board is not available, display just one package of each cookie variety to minimize touchpoints. Consider using empty packages or place packages in sealable bag.
- Provide a sign that reminds customers about social distancing and mask requirements (example).
- Provide a sign with a QR code that links to nutritional information.
- Instruct girls to remain behind the table to ensure social distancing.
- Encourage contactless payment by using the Digital Cookie mobile app for credit card processing.
- Have girls use a bin or basket to transfer cookies and/or monies due to customers. Or, instruct girls to place cookie orders on the table and to step back to allow customers retrieve their order.
- Optional: Assist girls in building or buying a plastic barrier or sneeze guard to use at their standabouts or booth. Find instructions and templates on our website.

Standabouts--follow these additional points:

Girls may host a standabout on their private property. Follow these standabout guidelines:

- Standabouts are a girl/family activity and should not include girls from multiple households.
- Use masking tape or sidewalk chalk to indicate where customers should stand to place orders (example).

Booth participants--follow these additional points:

When participating at cookie booths, only locations approved by Girl Scouts San Diego and listed in eBudde™ are allowed. Follow these booth requirements:

- Ensure that a COVID-19 Participation Waiver and the Girl Health History and Annual Permission Form has been completed for each person attending the booth.
- Ensure that no more than two girls and two adults are stationed at a booth.
- Ensure that all girls and adults participating at the booth belong to the same Girl Scout troop cohort or family household.
- Ensure that two adults are present at the booth at all times. One adult per booth is acceptable at locations where there are booths stationed at multiple doors as long as all doors have an adult present. A single adult is also acceptable at booths hosted by an individual Cadette, Senior, or Ambassador.
- Ensure that store entryways, pathways, or displays are not blocked by ground markers used to indicate where customers should stand. Edges of the ground marker must be safely secured by painter's or masking tape.