Spirit Award Overview

The Spirit Award recognizes non-member individuals, groups/organizations or businesses who offer service or non-monetary support that is deserving of service-unit level recognition.

**Candidate criteria:**

- Individuals, groups, organizations or businesses who are non-members of Girl Scouts
- Candidate’s service or support benefits one or more areas within ONE service unit
- The candidate consistently gives priority service to Girl Scouting whether through providing role models, meeting space, event venues, programs, opportunities, etc.

**Nomination process:**

- Fill out the nomination form included.
- Submit the Spirit Award nomination to your Service Unit team for approval.
- If approved, the SU Recognitions Chair will contact council 2 weeks prior to presenting the award for a Spirit Award certificate

**Approval:**

Your service unit team reviews the nomination form and approves or denies the award. The service unit team notifies the nominators of acceptance or denial, and notifies candidates of acceptance.

**Form of recognition:** Personalized certificate created by council

**Award presentation:** End of year service unit recognition event hosted by SU recognitions chair or other SU team volunteers

**Further information:** Contact Mallarie Wiese at (619) 610-0695 or recognition@sdgirlscouts.org
Spirit Award Nomination

Candidate Information:

Name ___________________________________________ Date _________________

Address __________________________________________ City State Zip

Phone (_____) __________________________ Email _______________________

Service Unit ____________________________ Position _______________________

Nominator Information:

Name ___________________________________________ Date _________________

Address __________________________________________ City State Zip

Phone (_____) __________________________ Email _______________________

Service Unit ____________________________ Position _______________________

Please describe why the nominee is deserving of this recognition. Outline the service or non-monetary support that has been provided by the nominee and describe how it benefited Girl Scouts. Give specific examples of how the nominee has made a difference in Girl scouting.

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Application Deadline: Forms must be received by your recognitions chair or service unit manager at least four weeks prior to your scheduled end of year service unit recognition event.

Approved by:

Service Unit team: Endorses Nomination ____ Does Not Endorse Nomination ____

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Signature of Service Unit Recognitions Chair or SU Manager Date