

GIRL SCOUTS OF EASTERN MISSOURI Pearl Award

Purpose: To recognize the outstanding service of an individual who is new to Girl Scouts and has made an immediate impact on the organization through service in a specific geographic district and/or neighborhood. This volunteer has hit the ground running.

Criteria:

To be considered for this award, the candidate must meet all of the following criteria:

- o The candidate is an active, registered member of Girl Scouts of the USA.
- The candidate will have served as an adult Girl Scout volunteer for a minimum of 6 months and a maximum of 2 years.
- The service performed benefits the council area and/or service unit in a
 way that is above and beyond the expectations for the position held to an
 extent that warrants area-wide recognition and is in support of the Girl
 Scout Mission through the policies and procedures outlined in <u>GIRL</u>
 SCOUTS OF EASTERN MISSOURI Essentials.
- The candidate has completed appropriate training for the position in which the outstanding performance was rendered to the council.

Note: It is not required that a geographic district or neighborhood give the GIRL SCOUTS OF EASTERN MISSOURI Pearl Award each Girl Scout year.

Examples of Possible Candidates:

Candidates for the GIRL SCOUTS OF EASTERN MISSOURI Pearl Award might include, but are not limited to, the following:

- A volunteer who took on responsibility and helped with a successful areawide event
- A volunteer in the service unit who helped cultivate and implement an innovative idea benefiting the service unit
- A volunteer who took initiative to save a project, revitalizing it to surpass expectations

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