A warm hello to our Girl Scouts, families, volunteers and supporters,

First and foremost, we hope you are staying safe and healthy! We know the past few weeks have been challenging and we want you to know Girl Scouts is here for you! That's why we are committed to updating you regularly. Below are the latest Council developments and Girl Scout shout-outs:

- The world needs more Girl Scouts! Our girls are getting creative with their community service efforts. Please let us know what your Girl Scout or Girl Scout Troop is up to—we would welcome the opportunity to share their accomplishments.
- Virtual Girl Scouting activities just keep coming!
- We have extended early re-registration until May 31 and are excited to introduce some awesome incentives including a limited edition patch, a shop discount and the chance to attend our big family event at the Saint Louis Aquarium on July 29 and 30!
- Registration for first tier pricing for Troop Round Up has been extended to May 31. Sign up early!
- We are so excited to announce that Zoom will soon be available to you for hosting virtual troop meetings! We will provide details soon!
Earning badges and having fun doing Girl Scouting activities are still possible! **We’re here for you and your girl as you navigate through social distancing and have created exciting, virtual activities to follow along with at home through Girl Scouting from Home!** We recommend checking out these activities for all ages and following our [Facebook Page](#) for new content weekly:

- **G.I.R.L. Gratitude**- Learn what appreciation is, what helpers do, and how to show gratitude in large and small ways.
- **Mindfulness Techniques**- Learn some breathing exercises and how to practice gratitude for a better day!
- **Reduce, Reuse, Recycle**- Learn how reducing, reusing and recycling can help them, their community, and the environment.
- **Tie-Dye Fun**- Learn how to fold and rubber band your shirt to get different designs.

- **The deadline to submit troop year-end reports will be extended** with a new timeline to be announced soon. [For more information, please visit our website](#).

A very special message to our amazing volunteers: We've said it once, and we'll say it a thousand times more...we wouldn't be anywhere without our passionate, caring volunteers!!! When you take the lead as a volunteer, girls learn to take the lead and change the world.

We appreciate all of our supporters, fans and friends who make Girl Scouting possible. From the bottom of our hearts, thank you for everything!