



# President's Volunteer Service Award

This opportunity is open to all GSGST Girl Scouts



Presidential recognition sets you apart from your peers. It is a tremendous honor. Even though you may not seek recognition, your example can deliver a powerful message that encourages others to take action. The President's Volunteer Service Award (PVSA) is issued by the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation on behalf of the President of the United States.

It is given to recognize and to encourage all Americans to improve their communities through volunteer service and participation. The award is given to individuals that have demonstrated outstanding volunteer service and civic participation over the course of a 12 month period.

The Girl Scouts of Greater South Texas period will run from Oct 1st thru Sept 30th. The awards are offered in multiple levels and are designed to recognize each milestone of your service achievement. Levels include bronze, silver, gold and the highest honor, the President's Lifetime Achievement Award for those who contribute more than 4,000 hours of service in their lifetime.

**ANNUAL DEADLINE: October 1st.**

Note: The cost of the pins will be the responsibility of the troop and not GSGST.

Hours by Award	Bronze	Silver	Gold
Kids ( 5 -10)	26 - 49	50 - 74	75 +
Teens ( 11- 15)	50 - 74	75 - 99	100 +
Young Adults ( 16- 25)	100 - 174	175 - 249	250 +
Adults ( 26 and older)	100 - 249	250 - 499	500 +
Families and Groups*	200 - 499	500 - 999	1,000 +

**President's Lifetime Achievement Award: Individuals who have completed 4,000 or more hours in their lifetime.**

*\*Two or more people, with each member contributing at least 25 hours toward the total.*

Along with the ultimate honor of presidential recognition, recipients will receive a personalized certificate, an official pin and a congratulatory letter from the President of the United States. Please note that we will accept submission of any hours completed for a Girl Scout higher award project (Girl Scout Bronze, Silver, and Gold Award), and those project hours may be included on the Presidential Volunteer Service Award Hour Log.

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