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What's New in Volunteer Essentials



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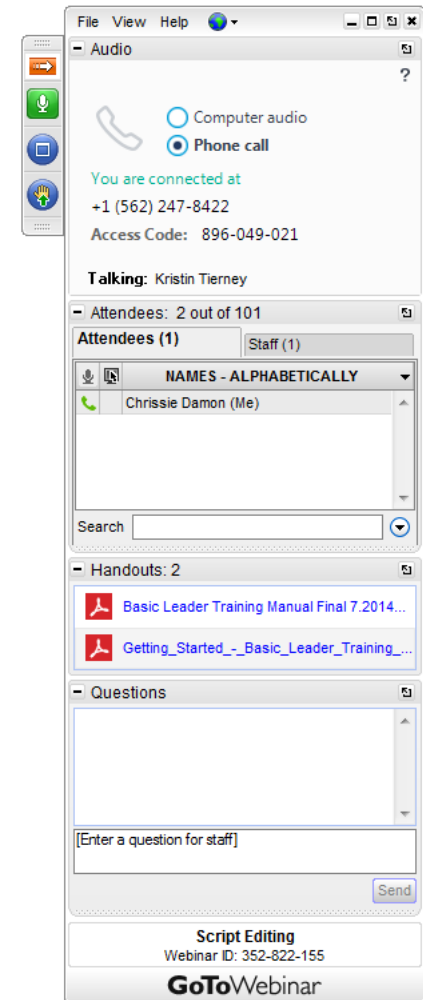
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Welcome!



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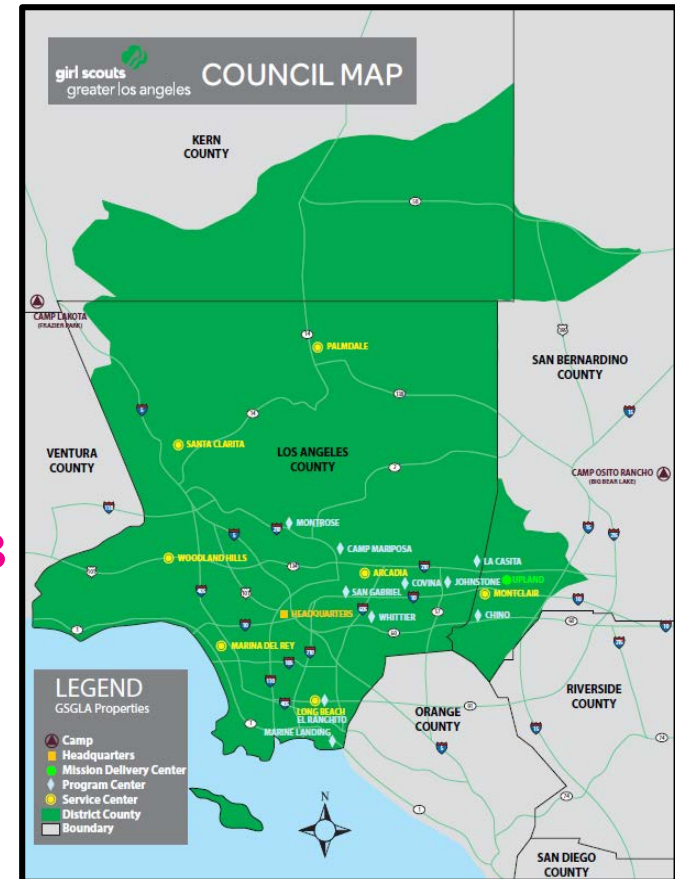
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Chapter 1 – Welcome to Girl Scouts



- **Updated Table of Contents– Page 3**
 - New format
- **About Girl Scouts – Page 6**
 - Updated map with new Upland location
- **GSGLA Store – Page 18**
 - Updated hours
- **Adult Learning Opportunities – Pages 27&28**
 - Refund policies
- **Adult Recognition – Page 28**
 - Submission deadline updates



Chapter 2 – Troop Start Guide



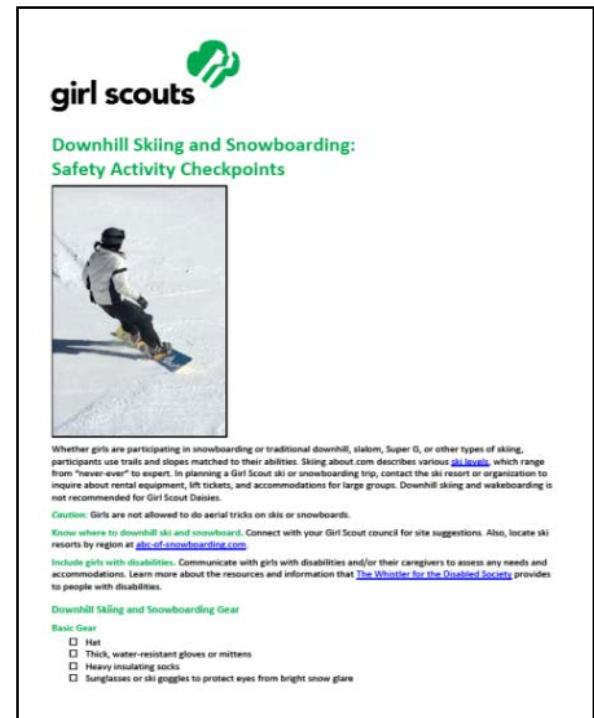
- **Understanding How Many Volunteers you Need – Page 34**
 - Updated male/female ratio policy
- **Record Retention – Page 40**
 - New section

	Group Meetings		Events, Travel, and Camping	
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Girl Scout Daisies (grades K–1)	12	1–6	6	1–4
Girl Scout Brownies (grades 2–3)	20	1–8	12	1–6
Girl Scout Juniors (grades 4–5)	25	1–10	16	1–8
Girl Scout <u>Cadettes</u> (grades 6–8)	25	1–12	20	1–10
Girl Scout Seniors (grades 9–10)	30	1–15	24	1–12
Girl Scout Ambassadors (grades 11–12)	30	1–15	24	1–12

Chapter 4 – Welcome to Girl Scouts



- **Understanding Which Activities Are Not Allowed – Pages 87-89**
 - Updated per GSUSA's update of SAC's
 - Updated High Risk Activity Guidelines
 - Added SAC Special Considerations section
- **Transporting Girls – Pages 90-98**
 - Female/male change in relation to traveling in a group
 - **Private Transportation and Rented Vehicles**
 - Class B license requirement
 - **Health Histories**
 - Updated forms
 - **Girl Scout Additional Activity Insurance**
 - Updated terminology



Chapter 5 – Managing Group Finances



○ **Establishing an Account – Pages 104-106**

- Credit checks when opening accounts

- **PayPal**

- New section

- **Guidelines for Year-End Financials**

- Mid-year no longer required

○ **Money Earning Basics – Page 109**

- **Games of Chance**

- Updated according to GSUSA
2016 and California law



Chapter 5 – Managing Group Finances (Cont'd)



- **Collaborating with Supporters – Page 121**
 - Update to restaurant and third party fundraising procedures
- **Asking for Support, Donation Pass Thru... – Page 123**
 - New section
- **Juliette Support Process – Page 123**
 - Updates to process

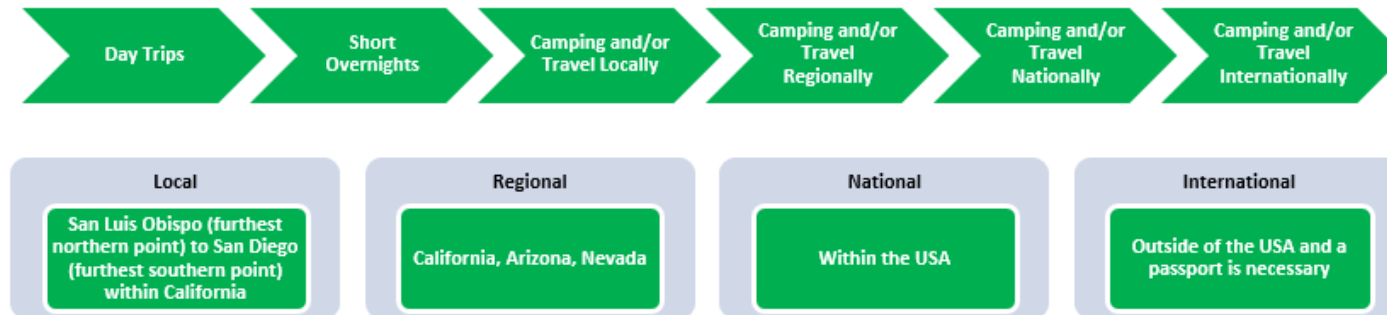
 **THANK YOU**

Chapter 6 – Trips, Camping and Travel



○ Chapter reorganized and updated – Page 126

Progression Steps:



○ Travel guidelines updated – Pages 140-142





SPECIAL THANK YOU!

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