

## SERVICE UNIT (SU) LEVEL AWARDS CHART

Service Unit Award	Who can receive it?	Criteria	Procedure
		All awards may be received only once in a lifetime except the Volunteer of Excellence award which may be received twice (see below).	SU Awards order forms due to GSHNC on/before April 1.
 <b>Green Hornet</b>	Registered First Year: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Leaders</li> <li>Co-Leaders</li> <li>Assistant Leaders</li> </ul>	The Candidate has fulfilled the position with enthusiasm and vigor and has provided a well-rounded program including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A service project</li> <li>Participation in the annual Council cookie program</li> <li>Attendance at 3/4 of their SU Meetings</li> <li>Completion of required new leader training, + 1 extra class/workshop</li> <li>Troop participation in a SU or Council event</li> </ul>	Recipients are determined by the SU Awards Committee who orders awards through the Council office. <p><b>No maximum # per SU</b></p>
 <b>Silver Hornet</b>	Registered Adult Volunteers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must be an active adult member for 5+ years</li> <li>Must have rendered continuous service for betterment of the Girl Scout Program</li> <li>Has met her/his volunteer position description requirements</li> </ul> <p><b>Maximum of 4 pins per Service Unit.</b></p>	Recipients are determined by the SU Awards Committee who orders awards through the Council office.
 <b>Gold Hornet</b>	Registered Adult Volunteers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must be an active adult member for ten or more years</li> <li>Must have rendered continuous service for betterment of the Girl Scout Program</li> <li>Must have served on a SU Team for at least one year or chaired a SU event within the last 5 years</li> </ul> <p><b>Maximum of 4 pins per Service Unit</b></p>	Recipients are determined by the SU Awards Committee who orders awards through the Council office.
 <b>Outstanding Volunteer</b>	Registered Adult Volunteers	The candidate has consistently performed at a level that exceeds expectations for at least 2 years. This award requires a nomination plus one person who supports the nomination.	Recipients are determined by the SU Awards Committee who orders awards through the Council office. <p>Nomination form (or letter with all required info)</p> <p><b>No maximum # per SU</b></p>
 <b>Spirit of Girl Scouting</b>	Registered Adult Volunteers	The candidate must have already received the Appreciation Pin (or a higher GSUSA Board Level Award) and has also continued to provide outstanding service to a SU or program delivery audience in a way that furthers the Council's goals for at least 3 years after receiving the Appreciation Pin or other Board Level Award.	Recipients are determined by the SU Awards Committee who orders awards through the Council office. <p><b>No maximum # per SU</b></p>
 <b>Volunteer of Excellence</b>	Registered Adult Volunteers	<p>An adult can receive this award for working directly with girls and/or for working with adults.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must be an active adult member</li> <li>Must have successfully completed a term of service and all requirements, including appropriate training, for the position</li> </ul> <p>For service to girls:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The volunteer's contribution is beyond the expectations of the position to deliver the Girl Scout Leadership Experience to girls using the National Program Portfolio.</li> </ul> <p>For working with adults:</p> <p>The volunteer's performance has been beyond the expectations of the position and has supported the mission-delivery goals within the SU in one or more of the following areas: Membership Development/Community Cultivation, Volunteer Relations and Support, Program, Leadership and Governance, Fund Development, and Support Service (such as IT).</p>	Recipients are determined by the SU Awards Committee who orders awards through the Council office. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nomination Form</li> <li>Endorsement Form</li> </ul> <p>Submitted to the SU Adult Awards Coordinator.</p> <p><b>This award can only be received twice – once for service to girls and once for service to adults.</b></p> <p><b>No maximum # per SU</b></p>
 <b>Membership Numeral</b>	Registered Adults	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is for <b>Girl and/or Adult</b> years of membership.</li> <li>Available in five year increments.</li> <li>All Membership Numeral Guards, including 25+, are now presented by the SU at the SU Awards Ceremony.</li> </ul>	Members complete the "Membership Numeral Guard/Years of Service Pin" order form and turn in to the SU Adult Awards Coordinator.
 <b>Years of Service Pin</b>	Registered Adults	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is for <b>Adult</b> years of active service as a registered adult member.</li> <li>Available in five year increments.</li> <li>All Years of Service Pins, including 25+, are now presented by the SU at the SU Awards Ceremony.</li> </ul>	Members complete the "Membership Numeral Guard/Years of Service Pin" order form and turn in to the SU Adult Awards Coordinator.

<b>Esprit de Corps</b>	Service Unit Teams	Recognizes a Service Unit Team that works together in an outstanding manner to support volunteers and the goals and mission of Girl Scouting.  <b>Service Units will be recognized at the council level.</b>	SU completes Esprit de Corps form and turns in to GSHNC SU Support Specialist for review/approval by June 30.
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