



GIRL SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES

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TO : DIVISION GS COORDINATORS
DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS
INSTITUTIONAL COMMISSIONERS
FIELD ADVISERS (ELEMENTARY & HIGH SCHOOL)

FROM : COUNCIL PRESIDENT

RE : GIRL SCOUT WEEK CELEBRATION 2026

DATE : September 14, 2026

In line with the annual observance of **Girl Scout Week**, the **Girl Scouts of the Philippines Ilocos Sur Council** enjoins all Girl Scouts, Troop Leaders, schools, and communities to actively participate in the **Girl Scout Week Celebration 2026** from **September 20–26, 2026**.

This year's celebration provides an opportunity for Girl Scouts to strengthen the spirit of **friendship, service, leadership, appreciation, partnership, family, environmental responsibility, and gratitude**, while promoting the values and ideals of Girl Scouting among girls and the wider community.

All Girl Scouts and Troop Leaders are encouraged to participate in the celebration and conduct the activities. Attached are the suggested activities and the Report form to be submitted thru this link: <https://tinyurl.com/GSPWeekReports>

In this connection, we respectfully request that the attendance of the troop leaders and field advisers be considered as official time and that the corresponding service credits be granted, subject to DepEd guidelines on the granting of service credits.


EVA MARIE S. MEDINA
Council President

Approved:


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Schools Division Superintendent
& GS Commissioner on Administration





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National Headquarters
Manila

GS WEEK 2026

Attachment A

GIRL SCOUT WEEK CELEBRATION

September 20-26, 2026

Day 1 (Sunday)	September 20 – ESCODA DAY
	<i>Puso sa Paglilingkod: The Life and Legacy of Josefa Llanes Escoda</i>
	- Hold Escoda Ceremony and contribute to the JLE Memento Fund.
	- Quiz show about the life of Josefa Llanes Escoda and GSP historical milestones
	- Make pubmats and campaign in social media about Josefa Llanes Escoda. Think of other creative ways to re-introduce Josefa Llanes Escoda to the younger generation of Girl Scouts and non-Girl Scouts alike.
	- Testimonies from Escoda Fund Beneficiaries/former active Girl Scouts in the community on how Girl Scouting has influenced their lives
Day 2 (Monday)	- Learn about the life of JLE and GSP historical milestones.
	September 21 – GIRLS' DAY
	<i>Girl Scout Matters: Be Heard, Be Seen, Be Counted</i>
	- Campaign for Girl Scout Membership. Make the public aware of how GSP helps and develops girls to their fullest potential.
	- Hold activities that will develop girl's self-esteem, body confidence, and nutrition. You may refer to Free Being Me/Action on Body Confidence Activity Packs.
	- Conduct a seminar/workshop on gender equality and women empowerment, GPN and other WAGGGS Special Programs.
Day 3 (Tuesday)	- Document exciting Girl Scout journey of former Girl Scouts (Mothers, Guardians, Teachers, Community Women, etc.) and create a short video of their most memorable Girl Scouting experiences
	September 22 – TROOP LEADERS' DAY (TEACHERS' DAY)
	<i>The "Titas" of GSP</i>
	- Hold a recognition ceremony for active Troop Leaders.
	- Create handmade cards made by the troops for their Troop Leaders
	- Send an appreciation direct message to your Troop Leader or make an appreciation social media post about their impact to your life.

Day 4 (Wednesday)	September 23 – ENVIRONMENT DAY
	<i>Our World, Our Responsibility</i>
	- Initiate or join a community activity like coastal clean-up, tree planting, beautification of an area, vegetable gardening, etc.
	- Lessen your carbon footprint. Be sure to exercise sustainable practice.
	- Do badgework Activities under the Challenge of the Environment
Day 5 (Thursday)	- Learn about SDG 13, 14 and 15. Use the GSP Booklet SDG and Me: A Better World for Tomorrow.
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	September 24 – PARTNERSHIP DAY
	<i>Girl Scouts Collab</i>
	- Collaborate with different organizations, agencies and sectors to organize a multi-sectoral festival with booth display per agency/sector to highlight the advocacies, initiatives and services.
Day 6 (Friday)	- Have a storytelling session with daycare students or zumba dance class for mothers/senior citizens in your barangay.
	- Work together with GSP Saver Team and Local DRRMC to conduct first aid, emergency response and radio communication.
	- Facilitate a dialogue between stakeholders to talk about concerns and issues of the community and how they can work together for a certain cause.
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	September 25 – FAMILY DAY
Day 7 (Saturday)	<i>GSP One Family</i>
	- Spend quality time with your family by playing board games, making crafts, preparing snacks, cooking, gardening, or doing any other fun activities to foster good family relations.
	- Draw your family tree together and share stories about each of the family member.
	- Hold a Family Day Trip or a Family Camp.
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	September 26 – THANKSGIVING DAY
	<i>A Girl Scout Heart is Full of Gratitude</i>
	- Honor and thank everyone who supported your Girl Scout Troop in completion of your Girl Scout Activities, Programs and Projects.
	- Organize a "Pasasalamat" event feast. Ask your family, friends, troop and community, to do potlocks and share a meal.
	- Make a Gratitude List of God's Blessings in your life. List down as many as you can, no matter how big or small the blessing is, and take time to thank God for His Divine providence. You may share your list with your family, friends, or on social media as well.
	- Participate in a Eucharistic Celebration and Religions Service and Offer Thanksgiving Prayers for all the blessings received.



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Council: _____

REPORT FORM

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN	TROOP NO.	AGE LEVEL	NO. OF GIRLS
DAY 1: September 20 – ESCODA DAY			
Activities:			
DAY 2: September 21 – GIRLS' DAY			
Activities:			
DAY 3: September 22 –TROOP LEADERS' DAY / TEACHERS' DAY			
Activities:			
DAY 4: September 23 - ENVIRONMENT DAY			
Activities:			
DAY 5: September 24 – PARTNERSHIP DAY			
Activities:			
DAY 6: September 25 – FAMILY DAY			
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