



**Goodwill of the Southern Alleghenies &
Girl Scouts of Western Pennsylvania**
Team-up for the
“Give A Little Love” Clothing Drive & Community Service Project
February 1 – February 28, 2017

Do your family members and neighbors have items collecting dust that might make someone happy to use in their own home? With the Goodwill “Give A Little Love” Clothing Drive and Community Service Project, Girl Scouts are encouraged to collect gently used items for donation to Goodwill of the Southern Alleghenies. Collected goods will be sold to benefit Goodwill’s more than 39 programs and services.

Each participating Girl Scout will have the opportunity to earn a patch recognizing her commitment to her community.

The top three Girl Scouts who collect the most donations will win a paid trip to camp, courtesy of Goodwill of the Southern Alleghenies.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

Step 1 SIGN UP!

Registration begins January 22, 2017. Submit your Registration Form (on the following page) one of the following ways:

E-mail: crusnak@gogoodwill.org

Fax: 814-467-3522

Step 2 COLLECT donations and **DELIVER** them to your local Goodwill Retail Store/Donation Center operated by Goodwill of the Southern Alleghenies (see locations on last page) **by February 28, 2017.** *Don’t forget to get your “Give A Little Love” card stamped by the Goodwill donation attendant.*

Step 3 ORDER PATCHES! Submit Patch Order Form **by March 10, 2017** via e-mail or fax, indicating how many Girl Scouts participated. Also, submit the stamp cards for all participating girls.

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“SHARE THE LOVE” REGISTRATION BEGINS JANUARY 22, 2017

(Runs February 1–February 28, 2017)

Please submit this Registration Form via fax (814-467-3522) or e-mail (crusnak@gogoodwill.org) to confirm your participation

Once your Registration Form is received, you will receive a confirmation e-mail. If you do not receive an e-mail confirmation within two business days, please contact Chuck Rusnak at 814-410-9270.

“GIVE A LITTLE LOVE” REGISTRATION FORM

Troop Name & Number: _____

Troop Leader: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Number of Girl Scouts participating: _____

You will receive a “Give A Little Love” donation drive toolkit containing donation stamp cards and donation drive flyers.



HOW PATCHES ARE EARNED:

- **Individual:** Donate 5 or more filled bags and receive a patch
- **Troop:** Donate 3 bags for every Girl Scout

Please refer to the Bag-Equivalent Chart below for clarification

- The top 3 Girl Scouts who collect the most donations will receive a paid trip to camp!

Bag-Equivalent Chart

Bag Type	Size (approx.)	Equivalent or Count
Plastic Grocery Bag	7" x 16"	2 grocery bags = 1 bag
Goodwill Bag	24" x 33"	1 bag
Tall Kitchen Bag	24" x 27" – 13 gal.	1 bag
Bankers Box	10" x 12" x 15"	1 bag
Large Yard/Lawn & Leaf	33" x 41" – 39 gal.	2 bags (half-filled counts as 1 bag)

PATCH ORDER FORM DUE BY MARCH 10, 2017

“GIVE A LITTLE LOVE” PATCH ORDER FORM

Troop Name & Number: _____

Troop Leader: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Number of Patches Earned: _____

Each Girl Scout must return 3 or more filled bags to receive a badge



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Do we have to drop off our donations all at once as a troop or can we make several trips?

Because we've provided you with the donation stamp card, you can drop off donations more than once. Please be sure to let the Goodwill donation attendant know that you are a Girl Scout participant, and be sure to get your card stamped at the time of the donation. The stamp card MUST include the troop number and Girl Scout name before submitting.

Can I participate as an individual?

Yes! Any Scout can participate with or without a troop. Simply, complete the Registration Form as an individual and list your name and address.

Can my Girl Scouts drop off donations at different Goodwill locations?

Yes. All 10 of our Goodwill Retail Stores/Donation Centers locations operated by Goodwill of the Southern Alleghenies will be participating. Please be sure to get your card stamped by the Goodwill donation attendant at the time of donation.

Are the donations tax deductible?

Yes! Receipts are available at all of our locations. Or download a Donation Receipt at www/gogoodwill.org/Values.



**GOODWILL RETAIL STORES/DONATION CENTERS OPERATED BY
GOODWILL OF THE SOUTHERN ALLEGHENIES LOCATIONS:**

Store Name:	Address:
Altoona	207 Park Hills Plaza, Altoona, PA 16602
Bedford	9481 Lincoln Highway, Bedford, PA 15522
Blairsville	211 Resort Plaza Drive, Blairsville, PA 15717
Ebensburg	300 Jamesway Road, Ebensburg, PA 15931
Huntingdon	6725 Towne Center Boulevard, Smithfield Towne Center, Huntingdon, PA 16652
Indiana	1470 Oakland Avenue, Indiana, PA 15701
Latrobe	1025 Latrobe 30 Plaza, Suite 119, Latrobe, PA 15650
Richland	1326 Eisenhower Boulevard, Johnstown, PA 15904
Somerset	1606 N. Center Avenue, Somerset, PA 15501
Westwood	1715 Lyter Drive, Johnstown, PA 15905

**For hours and phone numbers, visit:
www.GoGoodwill.org/Locations**

Donation Guidelines

“Give A Little Love” Donation Drive donated items must be in good, clean, saleable condition. We do not repair, refinish or reupholster. Goodwill has developed the following guidelines to help increase the amount of “saleable” donations received.

What we gladly accept:

Books
Sports equipment
Tools
Toys
Shoes
Pictures
Musical instruments
Linens
Cooking accessories
Electronics
Glass & housewares
Handbags
Jewelry
Clothing

Unfortunately, there are some things that we cannot accept. These include:

Baby cribs
Automobile/truck parts of any kind
Car seats for infants/children
Playpens
Building materials
Baby walkers
Accordion style baby gates
Storm windows and storm doors
Bunk beds
Outdoor swing sets
Bean bag chairs
All major appliances
Television sets
Hospital beds
Hot water heaters
Beauty shop equipment
Propane heaters
Chemicals of any kind (engine oil)
Gas appliance of any kind
Household trash or raw sewage
Firearms & ammunition
Lamps without a polarized plug
Safety helmets (used)
Furniture