

Handy Dandy Guide to TREATS & READS

November 10th– December 15th

Goal Getter Orders – Whether your Girl Scouts are just getting started selling or have additional orders, they can take orders for nuts and candies using the colorful in person order taking form. Troops earn 16% of all orders. Best of all, troops keep their proceeds right away. Troop leaders/product managers should contact the cupboard with your order at least 1 week prior to ensure product availability. The deadline is 11:59pm on Sunday for pick up on Friday. See cupboard information (on reverse) for contact details.

Nut Huts– Similar to a cookie booth, girls gain confidence and apply the Five Skills when having a Nut Hut. Troops can check out products for Nut Huts beginning November 10th. Troops are issued a standard quantity based on the length of their sale. Any unsold product can be returned. Nut Huts are a fantastic way to get immediate proceeds for the troop. Troops earn 16% of the total sales.

Steps to participate:

- a) Locate a place for your Nut Hut. Be inventive, but do not contact businesses listed below. * Try convenience stores, your favorite coffee shop or restaurant, school events, independent grocery stores, your church. Share your troop organized booth location with us at [Nut Hut Locations 2024](#)
- b) Fill out the [Nut Hut & Goal Getter Check Out 2024](#) by Sunday 11:59pm to reserve your nuts & chocolates for your Nut Hut the following week.
- c) Connect with your local product cupboard, let them know about your order by 11:59pm the Sunday before and arrange a pickup time if there are no set hours.
- d) Return any unsold product the following Monday. Any items that have been stickered, written on or damaged while in your possession are not returnable. Please contact the cupboard to set a drop-off time if there are no set hours.
- e) Deposit all money in the troop bank account. Your troop will earn 16% in proceeds. The remaining will be pulled by ACH withdrawal on the 15th of the month.

What if I have a Goal Getter to place?

Fill out the [Nut Hut & Goal Getter Check Out 2024](#) by Sunday 11:59pm the week before you wish to pick up your Goal Getter. Connect with your local product cupboard to arrange a pickup time.

What to have at a Nut Hut:

- Two girl Scouts (registered)
- Two unrelated Adults (registered)
- Cash box with a variety of small bills (no need for coins)
- Stripe for cashless payment option (available through Rallyhood). Using Stripe, the troop will avoid receiving a 1099 form. Other cashless payment options are Cash app and Venmo are options for taking credit cards; troops using these options are subject to a 1099 form.
- 3-6 pieces of each item for a 2-4-hour Nut Hut
- Tablecloth (optional)
- Signs (optional)
- Nut Hut kit** (optional rental, see below)
- Enthusiasm, coffee may be required

****Nut Hut kits** are available at all regional offices for check out. For a \$10 rental fee you will receive the following items and will be returned the following Monday. Please reserve the kit at the time you place your order.

- Squirrel costume
- Tablecloth
- Laminated sign
- Fruit slices for customer samples (tip: cut them up to provide more samples)

***Council-Sponsored location/Do Not Contact List:** Beverly Raes, Blain's, Briarwood Mall, Brighton Market, Buddy's Pizza, Busch's, Cabela's, Campus Corner, Douglas J, Dunkin' Donuts, Eastern Michigan University, Espresso Royale, Franks Great Outdoors, GNC, H&R Block, Jackson Crossing Mall, JoAnn Fabrics, Kroger, Lansing Mall, Leo's Coney Island, Lowe's, Office Max, Pinconning Cheese House, Polly's Country Market, Pruess Pets, Sam's Club, Schuler Books, Spartan-Nash Stores, Tom's Food Center, Tractor Supply, University of Michigan, Washtenaw Community College, Walmart, Kalamazoo Women's Expo.