Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle

Women of Distinction Awards Gala

November 9, 2017,
Florida State University Alumni Center

2017 Sponsorship Opportunities
Women of Distinction

Girl Scout Council of the Florida Panhandle Honorees

2010
Susan Story, Diamond Award
Clara Jane Smith, Pearl Award
Althemese Barnes
Sara Comander
Donna Legare
Jessica Lhota
Elizabeth Ricci, Esq.
Gail Stansberry-Ziffer
Dr. Alexis Tibbetts
Victoria Vangalis-Zepp
Barbara Williams, MD

2011
Dr. Judith A. Bense, Diamond Award
Josephine Newton, Pearl Award
Kitty Poulsen, Pearl Award
Sandy Beck
Dorothy Binger
Adrian Fogelin
Paula Fortunas
Robin Heller
Mary Klas
Kelly O’Keefe
Allison Tant Richard
Judge Nina Ashenafi Richardson

2012
Cynthia F. O’Connell, Diamond Award
Gayle Avant, Pearl Award
The Honorable Nancy Daniels
Sue Dick
Kelly Dozier
Rosanne Dunkelberger
Charlotte E. Maguire, M.D.
Melanie Mays
Marjorie Menzel
Patty Mitchell
Debbie Moroney
Lt. Colonel Donna Pilson
Sue Semrau
Karen D. Walker
Robin Will
Dr. Lady Dhyana Ziegler

2013
Sharon Sheffield, Diamond Award
Dot Nelson*, Pearl Award
Nicole Barefield
Jacqueline Crum
Beth Deluzain
Jan Gainer
Valerie Mincey
Debra Peel
Carol Roberts
Elizabeth Walters

2014
Dr. Glenda Walters, Diamond Award
Nan Hillis, Diamond Award
Gretchen Erickson, Pearl Award
Dana “Boots” Bryan, Pearl Award
Dr. Debra Austin
Tonie Bense
Kristin Dozier
Linda Figg
Virginia Glass

2015
Janice Lucas, Diamond Award
Pam Ridley, Diamond Award
Cecile Scoon, Pearl Award
Willie Mae Foothman, Pearl Award
Shirley Aaron
Lori Allen
Pamella Butler
Carolyn Butchikas
Tiffany Castricone
Vickie Gainer
Kristi Kirkland
Holly Melzer
Etic Rollings
Gigi Rollini
Alice Sims
Jennifer Watson

Linda Kleindienst
Gayle Littleton
Charlotte Marshall
Judge Simone Marstiller
Tricia Pearce
Lisa Sheryle Phipps
Audra Pittman
Robert Rideout
Pat Sabiston
Tonica Archie Smith
Michelle Ubben
Mayda Williams
Victoria Williams
Sandra Wilson

*Deceased
BACKGROUND

A program inspired by Girl Scouts nationally, the Women of Distinction awards honor women who truly demonstrate their commitment to the community. Since its inception, more than 143 women throughout the Florida Panhandle have been recognized as Women of Distinction who exemplify the mission of Girl Scouts … building girls of courage, confidence and character, who make the world a better place.

Nominees will be honored during the Women of Distinction Awards Gala on November 9, 2017, 5:30 p.m., at the Florida State University Alumni Center. The event is also a fundraiser for the Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle, Inc., a 501(c)(3) organization, and supports programs and activities for girls in Franklin, Gadsden, Jefferson, Lafayette, Leon, Liberty, Madison, Taylor and Wakulla counties.

2017 EVENT DETAILS:

Date: Thursday, November 9, 2017
Location: Florida State University Alumni Center
1030 West Tennessee Street, Tallahassee, FL
Time: Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; Program begins at 6:30 p.m.
Program: Social Hour, Awards, Dinner, Silent Auction, and Live Auction
Attendees 180 + guests
Attire: Formal
Women of Distinction

Sponsorship Investment: Profile Your Company

Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle’s Women of Distinction Awards Gala is an opportunity for your company to be affiliated with a first-class event that recognizes inspiring women leaders and role models in the Florida Panhandle.

The success of Girl Scouts speaks for itself. Two-thirds of our nation’s most accomplished women in public service, business, science, education, the arts, and community life were Girl Scouts. Virtually every female astronaut who has flown in space got her start here. Mae Jemison, the first African American woman in space, was a Girl Scout. Sandra Day O’Connor, the first woman to sit on the Supreme Court of the United States was also a Girl Scout. Dr. Drew Gilpin Faust, the first female president of Harvard University, and Katie Couric, the first woman to anchor a network evening newscast, both began their careers in Girl Scouts. In Florida, women leaders who were Girl Scouts include former First Lady Adele Graham, and former Florida House of Representatives member Marjorie Turnbull, to name a few. Today there are 59 million Girl Scout alumni.

EXPERIENTIAL BENEFITS

→ Philanthropic contribution to community
→ Intimate contact with a receptive audience at a positively charged evening
→ Opportunity to share the Awards experience with your clients or employees

TANGIBLE BENEFITS

→ Corporate awareness and exposure
→ Branding and marketing
→ Opportunity to engage employees through volunteering

When you invest in Girl Scouts you help 5,019 girls...

→ Discover how they will engineer their own future through STEM, Financial Literacy, Camping and other educational curriculum programs.
→ Connect to life changing experiences that will inspire and motivate them to do something BIG.
→ Take Action where they will feel more capable and competent in their lives, have more supportive social relationships, and feel optimistic about their future to make the world a better place.
Women of Distinction

Presenting Sponsor  $5,000

CORPORATE AWARENESS, PROFILE & BRANDING
→ Recognition by emcee as the Presenting Sponsor
→ Speaking opportunity – 3 minute address by company representative during event.
→ First right of refusal as returning Presenting Sponsor at next year’s event
→ Company article in the Girl Scout of the Florida Panhandle monthly email publication
→ Full page advertisement on inside front of Women of Distinction Awards Gala Program
→ Company name and logo in all advertising leading up to and proceeding event
→ Company name and logo on all promotional material including invitations, posters & tickets applicable based on deadline of printing materials.
→ Company name and logo listed as “Presenting Sponsor” in event program
→ Company name and logo linked/listed when available based on deadline of printing:
  o Event email marketing
  o Facebook, post and Twitter mentions as “Presenting Sponsor”
  o Signage at event
  o Media Press Releases Submitted
  o Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle website www.gscfp.org

COMPANY RECOGNITION
→ One (1) VIP table of 8 (eight) at the front of the Gala.
→ Acknowledgement in Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle Annual Report and website www.gscfp.org

Gold Sponsor  $2,000

CORPORATE AWARENESS, PROFILE & BRANDING
→ Recognition by emcee as a Gold Sponsor
→ Half page advertisement in the Women of Distinction Awards Gala Program
→ Company name and logo in all advertising leading up to and proceeding event
→ Company name and logo on all promotional material including invitations, posters & tickets applicable based on deadline of printing materials.
→ Company name and logo listed as “Gold Sponsor” in event program
→ Company name and logo linked/listed when available based on deadline of printing:
  o Event email marketing
  o Facebook posts as “Gold Sponsor”
  o Signage at event
  o Media Press Releases
  o Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle website www.gscfp.org

COMPANY RECOGNITION
→ One (1) VIP table of 8 (eight) at the front of the Women of Distinction Awards Gala event.
→ Acknowledgement in Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle Annual Report and website www.gscfp.org
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Silver Sponsor $1,000

BRANDING
→ Company name and logo listed as “Silver Sponsor” in event program
→ Quarter page advertisement in the Women of Distinction Awards Gala Program
→ Company name and logo linked/listed on:
  o Signage at event
  o Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle website www.gscfp.org

COMPANY RECOGNITION
→ One (1) table of 8 (eight) at the Women of Distinction Awards Gala event
→ Acknowledgement in Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle Annual Report and website www.gscfp.org

Bronze Sponsor $500

BRANDING
→ Company name and logo listed as “Bronze Sponsor” in event program
→ Company name and logo linked/listed when available based on deadline of printing:
  o Signage at event
  o Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle website www.gscfp.org

COMPANY RECOGNITION
→ Four (4) tickets to Women of Distinction Awards Gala
→ Acknowledgement in Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle Annual Report and website www.gscfp.org

Sponsor Levels
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Contact:______________________________
Address:______________________________
Phone Number:_________________________
Email Address:________________________

Please complete the following information and select your choice of payment. Checks should be payable to: Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle, Inc.

- **Check # ____** Credit Card:  
  - **Visa or MasterCard**
  - Credit Card #: ____________________________ Exp. Date: __________
  - Name on Credit Card: ______________________
  - Billing Address: ___________________________ ZIP: __________
  - Phone Number: _____________________________

**Authorizing Signature:** ____________________________

A copy of the official registration and financial information may be obtained from the Division of Consumer Services by calling 800-435-7352. Registration does not imply endorsement, approval or recommendation by the state. The Girl Scouts of the Florida Panhandle, Inc. accepts cash contributions, securities and gift-in-kind donations (tangible donations that are valued at the wholesale value of the gift, such as gift certificates, airline tickets or frequent flyer miles or other products).

For more information or questions, contact Brenda Gibbs at (850) 386-2131, extension 1307, or toll free at 1-888-271-8778, e-mail: bgibbs@gscfp.org, or visit www.gscfp.org.

Please complete the form and return it to:

Girl Scout Council of the Florida Panhandle, Inc., 250 Pinewood Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32303
Or by fax to 850-386-2093

*Thank you for your investment in building girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.*