

Together *We Soar*

girl scouts 
of northern indiana-
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2022 Annual Report



Girl Scouts is proven to help girls thrive in *five key ways* as they:



Develop a strong sense of self.



Display positive values.



Seek challenges and learn from setbacks.



Identify and solve problems in the community.



Form and maintain healthy relationships.



Outdoors



STEM



Life skills



Entrepreneurship

Message from our CEO and Board Chair



Lisa Cashel
Board Chair



Sharon Pohly
CEO

We are pleased to report that FY 2022 was a year of regrowth and renewal for Girl Scouts of Northern Indiana-Michiana. We saw membership grow, added key staff positions, and formed new program and funding partnerships.

The annual Cookie Program started the year on a sweet note, as the new “Adventureful” variety became an instant hit!

In the summer we held Donor Appreciation Days at Camp McMillen, Camp Logan and Camp Soni Springs. Attendees took a golf cart tour, admired improvements, and a few even tried archery and the low ropes course! It was a wonderful chance to observe girls challenging themselves in outdoor activities, including riding the new trail bikes at Camp Logan.

Eight girls earned the Girl Scout Gold Award and were recognized at a special ceremony in June at Goshen College. One went on to receive the national Gold Award Scholarship.

Our annual STEM Expo in October at Purdue Fort Wayne attracted 100 girls who enjoyed fun, educational projects and learned about future careers in science, technology, engineering and math.

Finally, a highlight of 2022 was a \$15 million grant to Girl Scouts of the USA from the Lilly Endowment for the benefit of Indiana girls. The grant will be used to create a Hoosier Girl Coalition, with the goal of reaching more girls in underserved communities. We are committed to making the most of this incredible three-year opportunity.

Thank you for playing a part in our successes and joining with us to create the next generation of female leaders!

Lisa Cashel, Board Chair

Sharon Pohly, CEO

2021-22 Board of Directors

Officers

Lisa Cashel, Convoy, OH - Board Chair
5/2020-5/2023

Julie Spears, Elkhart, IN - First Vice-Chair
5/2020-5/2023

Amy Roush, South Bend, IN - Second Vice-Chair
5/2020-5/2023

Tom Edington, Syracuse, IN - Treasurer
5/2017-5/2022 and Director-At-Large
05/2022-05/2024

Robin Tribbett, Fort Wayne, IN - Secretary
5/2017-5/2023

Ann White, Fort Wayne, IN - 5/2017-2022;
Treasurer 5/2022-5/2023

Directors-At-Large

Allen Coultas-Miggins, Fort Wayne, IN - 5/2022-05/2023

Heather Herron, Fort Wayne, IN -
5/2019-5/2022 and 5/2022-5/2025

Jana Grothaus, Fort Wayne, IN -
5/2019-5/2022 and 5/2022-5/2025

Jean Fahy, Fort Wayne, IN - 05/2021-05/2023

Jennifer Molinda, Warsaw, IN - 05/2022-05/2024

Jon-Myckle Price, Logansport, IN - 5/2020-5/2023

Kelsey Rowe, Auburn, IN - 05/2021-05/2024

Patrick Scherrer, Fort Wayne, IN - 03/2022-05/2025

Ron Voglewede, Benton Harbor, MI - 5/2017-5/2023

Stephanie Van Dellen, Fort Wayne, IN - 05/2022-05/2023

Sherri Johnson, Warsaw, IN - 5/2020-12/2021

Susana Worth, Decatur, IN - 11/2019-5/2025

William (Bill) Schmuhl, South Bend, IN - 03/2022-5/2024

Reach More Girls

SERVED



SUPPORTED BY



Leveraging Assets

54
GIRLS

Attended Day Camps

124
GIRLS

Attended Weeklong Camps

363
GIRLS

Attended Volunteer Camps

289
GROUPS

Rented Camps

Why I support Girl Scouts— Pam Garrison

Girl Scout alum Pam Garrison, of Fort Wayne, cherishes her Camp Logan memories – enjoying nature and wildlife; honoring Girl Scout traditions like s’mores, songs and sit-upons; and bonding with her Girl Scout sisters around the campfire and under the stars. Now a Lifetime Member, Pam wanted to help enrich the camp experience for a new generation of girls. She made a generous gift that funded improvement to the low-ropes course at Camp Logan, as well as TREK bikes for a new trail bike program.

“Girl Scouts is the one organization that I have been involved with for over 65 years,” says Pam. “I would not trade these experiences I’ve had: Brownie, Intermediate, Senior, 1966 International Roundup, leader, trainer, Service Unit registrar, day camp unit leader, Gold Award Committee, Building Committee, Neighborhood Cookie Cupboard Manager and Juliette Gordon Low Society member. I am so glad that both my daughters stayed in through Senior Scouts. Girl Scouts filled very different needs for each of them.”

Thank you, Pam, for your longtime gifts of time, talent and treasure in support of the Girl Scout mission!



Increased Investments

FOUNDATION GIVING

\$285,565

INDIVIDUAL GIVING

\$69,008

CORPORATE GIVING

\$54,073



Higher Impact

We wish to thank the foundations, United Ways and businesses that partnered with us this year. (We apologize for any inadvertent omissions from this list.)

Foundation partners

- American Association of University Women (AAUW)
- Adams County Community Foundation
- John W. Anderson Foundation
- Berrien Community Foundation
- Bowker Foundation Trust
- Community Foundation of Greater Fort Wayne
- Community Foundation of Noble County
- Community Foundation of Wabash County
- DeKalb County Community Foundation
- DH Jones Family Foundation
- Duke Energy Foundation
- English Bonter Mitchell Foundation
- Foellinger Foundation
- Morton & Fredrica Frank Family Foundation
- Girl Scouts of the USA
- William J. & Bonnie L. Hefner Foundation
- James Foundation
- Sharon L. King Foundation
- Kosciusko County Community Foundation
- Marshall County Community Foundation
- McMillen Foundation
- Michigan Gateway Community Foundation
- NiSource Charitable Foundation
- Elmer Ostrom Foundation
- Prophet Sisters Foundation
- Marni & Morris Propp II Family Foundation
- M.E. Raker Foundation
- Glenn & Thelma Rieke Foundation
- Shoop Sports Foundation
- Steuben County Community Foundation
- Teachers Credit Union (TCU) Foundation
- United Way of Allen County
- United Way of Huntington County
- United Way of Wells County
- Waterfield Foundation
- Edward M. & Mary McCrea Wilson Foundation
- Don Wood Foundation
- Zollner Foundation

Corporate Partners

- Bollenbacher & Associates
- Comcast Heartland Region
- DePuy Orthopaedics
- Fort Wayne Metals
- Indiana Trust Wealth Management
- Kosciusko County REMC
- LaGrange County REMC
- Marshall County REMC
- Northeastern REMC
- PNC Bank
- Premier Bank
- Pro Fed Credit Union
- Rea Magnet Wire
- Sweetwater Sound
- Three Oaks Spokes
- Trelleborg Sealing Solutions

Financials

For the Year Ended
September 30, 2022

Statement of Activities

Statement of
Financial Position

Assets

Current Assets

Cash on hand
and in bank:\$1,496,739

Investments
at fair value: \$4,481,433

Other current assets:..... \$232,262

Total current assets:\$6,210,434

Other assets:.....\$84,980

Land, buildings
and equipment:.....\$5,548,144

Total assets:..... \$11,843,558

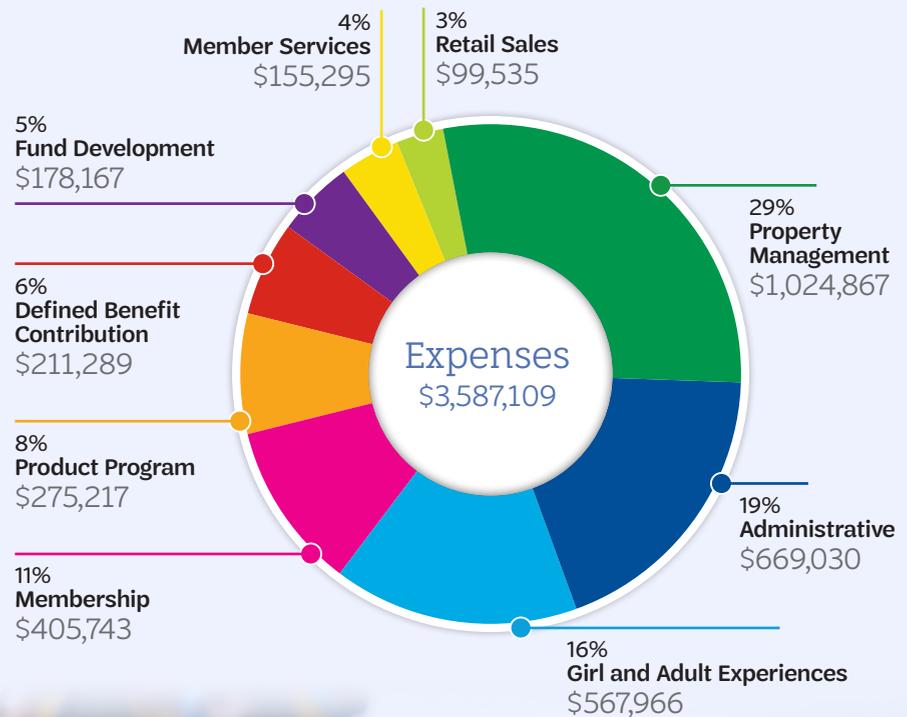
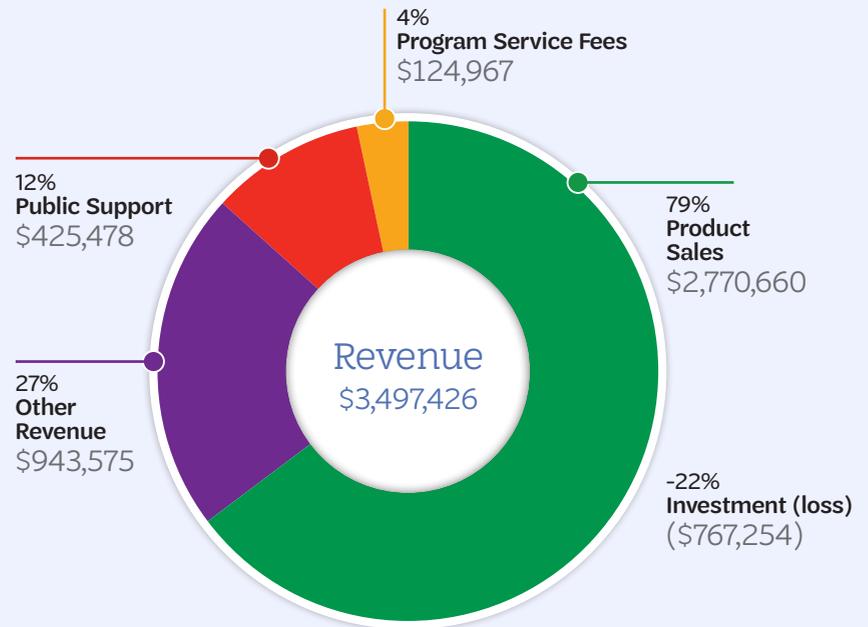
Liabilities and Net Assets

Current liabilities:.....\$268,722

Non-current liabilities:.....\$172,082

Net assets:.....\$11,402,754

Total liabilities
and net assets:..... \$11,843,558





From left, 2021 Gold Award recipients Brianna Shifferly, Abby Cichocki, Kristen Tucker and Allison Jones join CEO Sharon Pohly, center, at a ceremony in June 2022 at Goshen College.

Girl Scout Gold Award

Since 1916, Girl Scouts have been making meaningful, sustainable change in their communities and around the world. The Girl Scout Gold Award, the highest honor a Girl Scout can earn, acknowledges each recipient's dedication to not only empowering and bettering herself, but also to making the world a better place for others. These young women are courageous leaders and visionary change makers. They are our future, and it looks bright!

2022 Girl Scout Gold Award Recipients



Colleen Britten
COLUMBIA CITY, IN



Heather Elwood
LEO, IN



Sarah Northrop
CLAYPOOL, IN



Courtney Tobin
COLUMBIA CITY, IN



Megan Willis
HARTFORD, MI



Silver
AWARDS



Bronze
AWARDS



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