

Financial Information for New Girl Scout Troops

Bookmark / Favorite the following website for answers to most of your questions.

<https://volunteers.girlscoutsrv.org/>

From that link, there is a Reference link, where you will find Articles, Forms and Policies.

Under Articles:

Earning and Managing Troop Money: A comprehensive page with topics, and answers to most any question you might have regarding money and your Girl Scout troop.

<https://volunteers.girlscoutsrv.org/reference/articles/earning-and-managing-troop-money/>

Opening a Troop Bank Account: Where to bank, Opening bank account, co-signers, complete forms for Council and service unit. 3 PDF files have links on that page that you must print out and follow to successfully setup a new account.

<https://volunteers.girlscoutsrv.org/reference/articles/troop-bank-account/>

Banking information: Wells Fargo. Be sure to tell them when setting up an account, that you are with Girl Scouts.

Go to the Wells Fargo branch in Woodbury over by Burger King and Super America on off Highway 19 (Woodbury Drive). Ask for: Jeremy Stirewalt. Personal Banker Branch- at 9882 Norma Lane 651-205-8313

The account name must be:

Girl Scouts Minnesota Wisconsin River Valleys Inc., [Doing Business As] Troop ##### (troop number)

Before you leave the bank make sure: To avoid potential fees and misdirected statements, please ask your banker to verify that: Your new account is the Business Choice product. The statement address reflects your home residence.

- You must click on this link <https://volunteers.girlscoutsrv.org/reference/forms/bank-account-record/> (and fill out the PDF link that is displayed. One copy goes to River Valley Council, and the other must be sent via email to stevenson282@gmail.com – please put “Girl Scout Account information” in the subject line. This must be done within 30 days of starting a new troop.
- Any additional questions – please email Cathy Stevenson @ stevenson282@gmail.com, or call my cell phone (in the evenings only) at 651-492-1417

Under Forms:

Tax Free Buying – Certificate of Exemption for supplies for troop

<https://girlscoutsrv.box.com/shared/static/93a38ee40b2c390f03a9.pdf>

Deposit Ticket Check listing sheet:

<http://girlscoutsrv.box.com/shared/static/qpq9ypxwiserwovlvqmf.pdf>

Financial Assistance Forms – for uniform and other Girl Scout expenses for families in need.

<http://www.girlscoutsrv.org/financial-aid-scholarships>

Under Policies:

Troop Funds Distribution – Individual Girls may not benefit financially from Girl Scout related money earning activities.

<https://volunteers.girlscoutsrv.org/reference/policies/troop-funds-distribution-policy/>