



End-of-Program Audit



The 2024 Cookie season is on its final approach! With recognitions for all our young entrepreneurs placed this last Friday, and the Elite Entrepreneur Experience registrations coming to a close next Monday, April 15, we are very close to calling it a successful season. With our per girl average (PGA) coming in at 325 packages per girl across the council, everyone should be very proud of your troop of young entrepreneurs great achievements in 2024. We see lots of trips, events and summer camps in your future!

We do have a number of troops who have either **not submitted an end-ofprogram audit or are not responding** to requests for additional information to approve their audits. It is **very** important for those troops to understand that this is what is **not** happening with an incomplete or unaudited troop:

- Girls in your troop are not receiving their recognitions.
- Girls in your troop are not receiving their Program Credits.
- Girls in your troop are not receiving their invites to register to attend the 3E day or overnight celebrations.
- Your service unit is not receiving proceeds to help establish events, activities or trips for the girls.

If you have not received an email from your <u>Product Program</u>

<u>Specialist</u> indicating that your end-of program audit has been **approved**, then you either need to file your audit or look for that email indicating more information is needed.

Do not delay! The Elite Entrepreneur Experience registrations close on Monday and you may have Girl Scouts not receiving their invitations to attend in time.

Recognitions

All recognitions will be shipped to your Service Unit Product Organizer. Recognitions will come from three different places this season:

- ABC Bakers
- Girl Scout council
- Direct shipments to girls from Amazon

Recognitions from ABC Baker were ordered Friday, April 5 and are expected to arrive to your SUPO's homes by the week of May 6. Recognitions from the Girl Scout council will be made available for SUPO's the week of April 29 and staff will reach out to establish these connections. 2,000+ recognitions from Amazon will be shipped directly to those Girl Scouts who have achieved these items beginning the week of April 29.

Final Notes:

Thank you for an amazing and successful cookie season and congratulations to all of our entrepreneurs!

We look forward to working with all of you again in September for the 2024 Fall Product Program. Contact your **Product Program Specialist** if you have any further questions or concerns.













Have a question? Don't be shy! Contact us for more information.