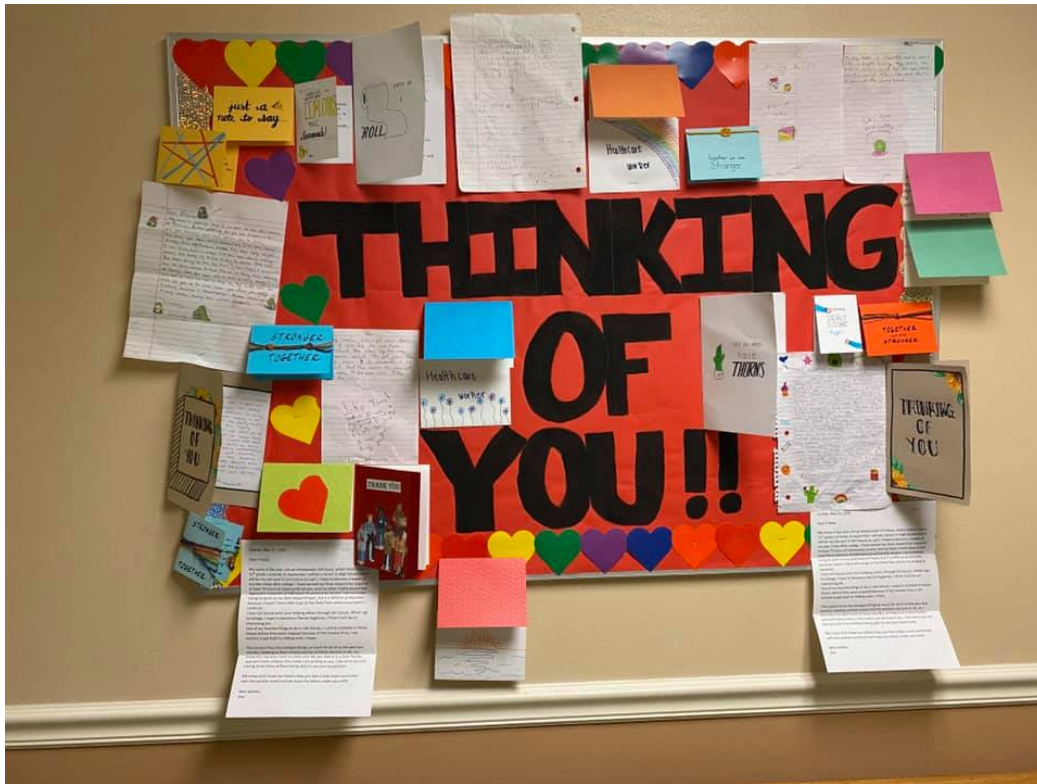




July 2, 2020

Dear Girl Scout Family,

Happy Independence Day! As we observe the Fourth of July this coming weekend, we reflect on all the triumphs and sacrifices our country has made to ensure our freedom. We hope this weekend gives everyone a chance to celebrate and connect safely with each other.



We love how our Girl Scouts are finding ways to be creative and give back to their communities during this time. Troops 11012, 3539, 5967, and 641 in SU 11-9 participated in the National Service Project, writing 127 letters to Nursing Home and Rehab Center Patients and Caregivers. One of the COVID Unit Activities Department made this board so everyone could enjoy the letters and cards. Learn more about other service opportunities your girls can participate in [here](#).



It's essential to stay connected during this time, and a great way to do that is singing songs, reading stories, and eating s'mores by a campfire. With that in mind, we are excited to announce that we are having our first-ever virtual campout on July 11! Whether you pitch a tent in your yard, or build a fort in your living room, join us for an evening full of camp magic and fun. Check out the [flyer](#) and register.

Our Early Bird registration has come to a successful end! We thank all **50,235** girls and adults, for re-registering and joining us for another exciting Girl Scout year. We are planning some awesome things in the next year and can't wait to show you all what we can do together!

Yours in Girl Scouting,

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