



Dublin Service Unit Community Service Projects

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IT'S EASY TO REUSE AND RECYCLE:

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- * **Create a recycling bin for your home**
- * **Use refillable water bottles**
- * **Sell your kids clothing at a resale business**



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we want to hear from you!

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Scouts Taking Action and Reusing Stuff

Thanks to Dublin Girl Scouts, *STARS* has been a great success for the past twelve years!

From October 2019 to March 2020, we collected:

- **313** coats for The Capital Kids Coat Drive in October
- **277** knit hats and scarves for The James Cancer Hospital & Nationwide Children's Hospital after participating in the "Knitting Clinic" event in November
- **Many Warm Items** from our Caroling. We need someone to organize for this year!
- **Many troops** donated to the Dublin Food Pantry despite the COVID-19 school closures.
- **Unfortunately**, both reusable and new school supplies for our "School Supply Collection" was cut short by our school closures due to COVID-19.

Can you believe this is our 13th year of engaging in our Dublin Girl Scout Community Service programs?! Let's collect more coats and more school supplies, sing louder (and collect more winter items) when we go caroling, continue to clean up our homes, gather food for the Dublin Food Pantry and learn to knit!

Details for each Service Project will be available at specific Service Unit meetings throughout the year. Please feel free to contact the coordinator if you have ideas, want to get involved, or need more information.

Turn this flier over and
save the dates!



The Patch

Girl Scouts that participate in at least 3 of the 5 planned projects this year will receive this FREE patch from the Dublin Service Unit.



The Bar

For each year that you continue Dublin Service Unit Community Service projects, you'll then receive a bar to go underneath; simply add on each year!

Troop leaders, a 2020-2021 patch/bar form will be available April 15 via email and on the website. Deadline to turn in this form will be June 1, 2021.

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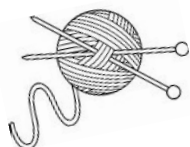
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"Capital Kids Coat Drive"
October 1 - October 31, 2020

Fall Project: "Capital Kids Coat Drive"
Coordinator: Amanda Haggerty
More Info: Contact Amanda or get a flier from the GS of Dublin website.

Kids (and adults too!) can help kids by donating their gently used, laundered coats to The Capital Kids after-school program. Collect as a troop or as an individual. Due to COVID-19 we will not be putting up posters or boxes in the schools. We are depending upon all our members to share this information on social media. Please drop off your coats to Amanda's house between October 31 through November 8, 2020. Make sure you label each bag of coats with the count so Amanda can quickly get a total number of coats collected!

"Knitting Clinic"
Door Prize Entries due October 1, 2020
Kick-Off Online October 11, 2020



Fall Project: "Knitting Clinic"
Coordinator: Carina Dacierno
More Info: Contact Carina or get a flier at the September & October Dublin SUMs.

Thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedule to "Make A Difference" by taking part in our 10th Annual Knitting Clinic! Dublin Girl Scouts and the local community can go online to learn a new skill and give back to others that need a little comfort and support. Learn to knit (either with your fingers, a loom or needles) and finish a hat or scarf over the winter. Donation Drop-Off date to Carina TBD. Donations will be taken to The James Cancer Hospital and Nationwide Children's Hospital in January. Knitters of all levels wanted. Contact Carina for more info.

"Warm Hands, Caroling Hearts"
December 2020



Winter Project: "Warm Hands, Caroling Hearts"
Coordinator: **NEED COORDINATOR**
More Info: TBD

Interested troops should coordinate with each other and find a neighborhood in which to sing carols. Fliers to notify neighbors will be provided (a master copy) to each group and should be copied and distributed. Please contact **COORDINATOR (TBD)** to avoid overlapping neighborhoods. We encourage School Organizers to collect items both prior and during the event (no boxes in the schools). Donations should be dropped off to **COORDINATOR (TBD)** by **TBD**. All items will be donated to a local charity **TBD**.



"Spread The Love" Food Drive
April 10, 2021 - Dublin Food Pantry
Time TBD



Spring Project: "Spread The Love" Food Drive
Coordinator: **Katie Saad**
More Info: Flier to come.

In a belated celebration of national peanut butter and jelly day the Dublin Scouts will be collecting peanut butter, jelly and other non perishable goods for the Dublin Food Pantry. Collect items as an individual or as a troop and drop them off at the food pantry's warehouse on April 10 (tentative date). A list of most needed items will be at the February and March SUM meetings. Contact ksaad@gwmail.gwu.edu if your troop is interested in helping sort donations on collection day. Thanks for helping us spread the love!



"School Supply Collection"
Late May 2021
Location, Date & Time TBD



Summer Project: "School Supply Collection"
Coordinator: **Jennifer Sexton & Lee Sanow**
More Info: Get a flier at the April Dublin SUM.

Bring your USABLE leftover school supplies now that school is out (or new ones, if you wish) and donate to those in need. We don't know if we will be able to place boxes in our schools, but if we do...WE NEED BOXES - School Organizers should find a box to place in their school; posters will be available at the April SUM for any School Organizers to take back to their schools during the month of May. All pre-sorted items that were collected should be brought to a **TBD location, date & time in late May**. Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council will guide us in selecting which area organizations will receive supplies.