



## Girl Scout History Society

### News from Cultural Assets



On February 24th, I represented Cultural Assets at the Troop 6000 World Thinking Day event at the Queens Museum of Art in Flushing Meadows Corona Park. Launched in 2017, Girl Scouts of Greater New York's Troop

6000 is a first-of-its-kind program designed to serve families living in temporary housing in the New York City shelter system. We focused on Girl Scout uniform history for this event which included an activity for the girls to design their own uniform. It was an inspiring day with many wonderful Girl Scouts and volunteers!

To learn more about Troop 60000, click [HERE](#)

-Janine, GSUSA Project Coordinator

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## Resources Update

There is now one virtual home for all Girl Scout History Society resources, accessible by anyone, at any time, online. The website currently includes Acquisition Questionnaires and recordings of quarterly meetings, but more resources will be added monthly.

The newly updated GSUSA Acquisitions Questionnaires include separate forms for Archival, Uniform, and Object designations. These forms should be filled out by the donor of the proposed acquisition to get as much information as possible to make acquisition decisions and to record the provenance of collection objects. The completed form should be filed in digital and physical object files. Council history groups are welcome to use these forms with their donors.

To access the videos and forms, click [HERE](#)

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## Collection Highlight



The **Girl Scout Kodak** was based on the Vest Pocket Kodak Model B. This camera was only in production for five years (1929-1934), making it a rare artifact in Girl Scout collections. The size of the camera made it easier to pack for troop adventures, and the Kodak and Girl Scout branding look clean, simple, and cohesive.

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## **News from Members**

Heart of the Hudson council is looking for information about the "**All America Camps**" such as the 1938 event in Camp Cloudrim Park City, Utah. Please contact [Kathy Maxcy](#) if you have knowledge of these events. HoH also has extra Cadette Challenge pins they are willing to share if your collection is in need of them.

### **GS Eastern PA Collector's Meet April 26-27**

Valley Forge, PA

Contact: [historycommittee@hotmail.com](mailto:historycommittee@hotmail.com)

### **NC Collector's Show May 17-18**

Conover, NC

Contact: Becky Burns [GSShow@aol.com](mailto:GSShow@aol.com)

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