

## Membership and Years of Service Recognitions

Recognitions for years of membership are of two types:

First, the recognition for **Years of Membership is a numeral guard** worn with the membership pin and indicates in five-year intervals, the total number of years as a registered member with Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. Both girl and adult years of membership are counted in determining the total years of membership.

The second type of recognition, the **Years of Service Pin**, recognizes the years of active service as an adult member with Girl Scouts of the USA. Recipients would choose to wear either this pin *or* the numeral guard.

Girl Scouts, San Diego-Imperial Council, Inc. provides membership and/or service recognition items for adults who have completed 15 or more years of membership and/or service.

Adults for whom council-provided recognitions are being requested, must be currently registered members of this council. Membership and/or service recognitions for 20 or more years may be presented at the annual recognitions event.

Recognitions for less than 15 years may be purchased from the council shop and presented at appropriate service unit events.

More information on membership recognitions is found on page 24 of *Adult Recognitions in Girl Scouting*. Copies of the application for council-provided recognition for 15 or more years can be obtained from the Balboa Service Center or on the website [girlscoutssdi.org](http://girlscoutssdi.org). Use the Request for Membership Recognitions for 15 Years or More form, RE-0011-W.