

1963 to 2023: 60 Years of Girl Scout History in Virginia Skyline

During this 60th Anniversary Year your Virginia Skyline Archives Group is going to highlight some interesting and fun facts about those 60 years in our council. *Our History Along the Skyline* will be featured every two weeks in continuing articles and pictures in *The Girl Scout Connection*.

COUNCIL & GS ANNIVERSARIES

Between 1998 and 2023, Girl Scouts of Virginia Skyline Council (council) and Girl Scouts of the USA (Girl Scouts) celebrated many anniversaries with service projects and patch programs. Girl Scouts was founded in 1912 and Virginia Skyline Council was founded in 1963.

- > 1998: council's 35th anniversary
- ➤ 2002: Girl Scouts of the USA's 90th anniversary
- > 2003: council's 40th anniversary
- ➤ 2007: Girl Scouts' 95th anniversary
- 2008: council's 45th anniversary; GSVSC's Make the World a Better Place Patch Program
- ➤ 2012: Girl Scouts' 100th anniversary; GSVSC's Centennial Patch Program; Girl Scouts Forever Green; Great Girl Scout Hike (organized by Adventurers; worldwide participation)
- ➤ 2013: council's 50th anniversary; Hike "50 for the 50th" Patch Program (Adventurers); Celebrate Camping in Virginia Skyline 50th Anniversary Patch Challenge
- ➤ 2017: Girl Scouts' 105th anniversary
- ➤ 2018: council's 55th anniversary
- ➤ 2022: Girl Scouts' 110th anniversary; Adventuring 110 Patch Program (organized by Adventurers; nationwide participation)
- ➤ 2023: council's 60th anniversary





LEARN MORE HISTORY: <u>Virginia Skyline Girl Scout Council's 35th Anniversary History Book</u>

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