

GSCTX Traveler



Say hello to the GSCTX Traveler!

This go-to one-page document is crafted once a month to keep you updated on everything related to GSCTX travel. Additionally, each month we will feature a different testimonial from someone in our council who will share their travel experiences & tips! We encourage you to take full advantage of this document by sharing it with your troops at meetings. For more information on travel visit our webpage at www.gsctx.org/travel.

Volunteer Opportunities

We are looking for volunteers to serve on our Council Travel Committee.

How many volunteers are we looking for? 12 volunteers with a preferred 3 volunteers from each area.

How much time involved? Monthly calls or more often if on a specific trip planning sub-committee.

How do we meet? Telephone conference calls.

Why? Girls who travel gain personal growth, improved language skills, intercultural development, and a worldly perspective, which offers a glimpse into the global community and prepares them to take their place as tomorrow's leaders. They are immersed in new cultures and customs often while volunteering in the communities they visit. We feel these are important opportunities to make available for our Girl Scouts in Central Texas, as they are impactful experiences as part of the Girl Scout formula for success.

Want to know more details about the committee? Please [contact us](#) with the subject "Travel Committee Interest".

Travel Talk



2016 Ionian Sea Destination, by GSCTX Ambassador Caitlin B.

From the people I met to the food and culture of Greece to the views, I cannot express how grateful I am to have been able to take this trip. This was one of my favorite photos! Our guide took a selfie with our whole group during a particularly long paddle day that made everyone a little bit irritable, or "salty" as we taught him the American slang word which he found hilarious as we were paddling through the incredibly salty Mediterranean Sea. The relationships that I was able to form with these girls who I had never met but now talk to regularly as well as with our American leaders and our Greek and Finnish guides are truly one of a kind and will last a lifetime. The self-learning that occurred and the memories that I made on this trip are irreplaceable and for everything that occurred on this trip I am so thankful.

Travel Tips



Are group flights a good option? Read about the risks and benefits of booking group flights for travel!

Check it out here: <https://bit.ly/2MByztO>

Upcoming Trips & Deadlines

Upcoming Trips:

My Troop and I visit Big Bend, TX - March 10-17, 2019

Incredible India - June 25-July 5, 2019

West Coast National Park Adventure - July 28-Aug 10, 2019

The Ultimate Harry Potter Experience - June 6-17, 2020

Deposit Deadlines due Dec. 1, 2018 for:

My Troop and I visit Big Bend - \$350

Incredible India - \$300

