## Doreen A. Scott

# Forever Green Girl Scout Scholarship 2024



girl scouts of southeast florida Doreen A. Scott loved the outdoors. She had a passion for nature and outdoor activities that was second only to the love for her daughters and their Girl Scout experience.

Doreen was always "right at home" in nature. She was an avid camper, equestrian, fisherwoman, and tennis player. She deeply valued the Girl Scout experience she shared with her own girls, Katherine, and Theodora. She knew the leadership experience offered by Girl Scouts, combined with the organization's long tradition of outdoor exploration and adventure was the perfect combination for helping girls grow strong and confident!

In 2021, Doreen passed away unexpectedly, and her family wanted to discover meaningful ways her passions and values could live on to inspire others. To that end, her sister Geri and daughters created the **Doreen A. Scott Forever Green Girl Scout Scholarship** for Girl Scouts who share her connection and commitment to the great outdoors. For a second year, one recipient will receive \$1,500.00 toward her secondary college/university education.

The recipient of the **2024 Doreen A. Scott Forever Green Girl Scout Scholarship** will be recognized at the GSSEF Annual Gold Award Celebration. Attendance at this event to receive this scholarship is extremely important; scholarship committee representatives will be present. The recipient plus two additional guests are provided tickets at no cost (three tickets in total). Additional tickets will be available for purchase. The upcoming event will be held:

Saturday, May 11, 2024 9:00 am to 12:00 pm The Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach 33401

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## Forever Green Girl Scout Scholarship Application 2024

### To qualify for this scholarship, a Girl Scout will:

- Be a currently registered member in the Girl Scouts of Southeast Florida Council;
- Be in 12<sup>th</sup> grade student (Ambassador Girl Scout Level) or currently enrolled undergraduate college/university student with 60 hours completed *or fewer*;
- Have earned the Girl Scout Gold Award (2024 recipients will be considered);
- Embody the Girl Scout characteristics of courage, confidence, and character;
- Have a deep appreciation for nature and the outdoors; and
- Submit a 500-word essay on the following topic: **How my love of nature was incorporated into my Gold Award project? Describe the most significant results** *in one or more of these key areas*: (a) environmental sustainability, (b) outdoor education, (c) outdoor sports, (d) horticulture, (e) wildlife advocacy, and/or (f) greenspace preservation.

#### Allocation & Distribution:

Scholarship money will be forwarded directly to the institution in the student's name upon the student providing proof of class registration and student identification number. A form will be provided to the scholarship recipient.

#### **Submission:**

- Applications are due Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 11:59 pm. (Late applications cannot be accepted.)
- Send completed applications by email with the subject line, Doreen A. Scott Forever Green Girl Scout
  Scholarship to customercare@gssef.org.
- Include with this cover sheet with your 500-word essay, as described above.
- If you are a currently enrolled undergraduate college/university student with 60 hours completed *or fewer*, you must provide a transcript or other official documentation of current credit hours for Spring 2024 term. Note: the transcript is used to confirm credit hours, not student grades or GPA.
- The recipient will be honored at the GSSEF Gold Award Ceremony on May 11, 2024. Attendance is expected. (Please print clearly or type)

Name:	
Address:	
	Email:
Name of College	e/University:
Please check	one: $\square$ I am already attending this college/university < <or>&gt; <math>\square</math> I will attend in the Fall of 2024</or>
	What year did you earn the Girl Scout Gold Award?
	(If you will be receiving your Gold Award at our ceremony on May 11, 2024, please write "2024")