

# Girl Scouts of Northern California Fall Take Action Program 2020 Sloth Sightings Challenge — Official Rules

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Follow along on Instagram while our Mama Sloth explores our council! She will be traveling across our 19 counties and sharing pictures along the way. Can you guess where she is? Girls share one guess per picture and all correct guesses will be tallied by region at the end of our Fall Take Action Program. Five lucky girls will win their own Mama Sloth, one from each council region: East Bay/Solano, North Central, North Coast, Redwoods, South Bay/Peninsula. Wait, it gets even more exciting! One girl with the most correct guesses in our council will win our 4-foot-tall Super Sloth! (insert images on website).

Girls can learn more about the Pygmy three-toed Sloth at <https://slothconservation.com>.

## Here's how the challenge works:

Once a day, Monday through Friday between 11/1-11/22 we will post a photo with a hint of the location to our Instagram Stories at 12:00 PM PST. Using the link provided, girls (or a parent/guardian submitting on behalf of their Girl Scout) will submit their guess to the location along with their full name, troop number, and troop region. On 11/30, the girl with the most correct answers in each region will win a Mama Sloth stuffed animal and the girl with the most correct answers in council will win the Super Sloth stuffed animal. If multiple girls have the same number of correct answers, a randomizer will be used to generate the winner.

IMPORTANT: Entrant must submit an entrance form to qualify. Replies/messages to the Instagram Story will not be considered.

The Sloth Sightings challenge will end on 12:00 PM PST on November 23, 2020, 24hrs after the last post is shared on GSNorCal's Instagram Stories.

## Contest Rules

- Entrant must be a currently registered Girl Scout with the Girl Scouts of Northern California (GSNorCal) Council to participate. Contest is for GSNorCal girl members only (not adult volunteers).
- Parents/guardians or troop volunteers can assist their Girl Scouts in viewing the Instagram Story and/or submitting an entrance form on behalf of their Girl Scout, but the entries must be in the girls' own words.
- Maximum of 1 entry per girl per picture.
- One girl from each GSNorCal council region (5 total girls) will win the Mama Sloth and one girl will win the Giant Sloth. In the case of multiple girls having the same number of correct answers, a randomizer will be used.

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### **1. Contest Description**

The Girl Scouts of Northern California contest (Sloth Sightings Challenge), sponsored solely by Girl Scouts of Northern California (“Sponsor” or “GSNorCal”), allows an eligible individual (“Entrant”) to create a local/regional connection during what would have been the in-person portion of the Fall Take Action Program.

The Sponsor’s Product Program department will determine the winner of the challenge.

### **2. Contest Period**

Entries will be accepted beginning at 12:01AM PST on November 1, 2020 and ending at 11:59PM PST on November 22, 2020. All entries must be received by November 22, 2020 at 11:59PM PST.

### **3. Eligibility**

The contest is open only to registered Girl Scouts of Northern California girl members. Entrants must comment on the original post to qualify with a maximum of one guess per photo.

Submissions may be submitted by an adult on behalf of a Girl Scout but must be in the girl’s own words. You may not enter more times than indicated by using multiple email addresses, identities, or devices in an attempt to circumvent the rules. If you use fraudulent methods or otherwise attempt to circumvent the rules, your submission may be removed from eligibility at the sole discretion of Girl Scouts of Northern California. Exception: The same person may submit multiple entries on behalf of other members (ex: A troop volunteer may submit entries of each of the girls in her troop), but each entry must be submitted separately.

### **4. How to Enter**

Entrant can comment their guess to the location along with their first name, last initial and troop number. Comment must be on the original post to qualify with a maximum of one guess per photo.

Submissions that in the Sponsor's sole discretion are deemed to be obscene, indecent, incomplete, or inappropriate may be disqualified and removed from the pool of eligible entries. By submitting an entry, Entrants (and, if minors, their parent or legal guardian) hereby agree to the terms and conditions set forth in these Official Contest Rules.

Girl Scouts of Northern California reserves the right to share Submissions in future marketing and communications, including social media posts, website content, The Trailhead content, and other official communications. GSNorCal will credit the Entrant by name with each usage.

### **5. Prizes – five (5) Mama Sloths stuffed animals (1 per region) and one (1) 4-foot-tall Super Sloth giant stuffed animal**

The entrant with the most correct answers from each of the five (5) GSNorCal regions (East Bay/Solano, North Central, North Coast, Redwoods, South Bay/Peninsula) will each win one (1) Mama Sloth stuffed animal. The entrant with the most total correct answers will win one (1) 4-

foot tall Super Sloth giant stuffed animal. In the case of multiple girls having the same number of total correct answers, a randomizer will be used to determine the winner.

The Sponsor reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value at its sole discretion. The Prizes are not transferable, assignable or redeemable for cash. The Prizes are limited to those specified above; all other unspecified costs, fees, and expenses associated with the Prizes' award, receipt, and use are solely the responsibility of the Prize Winners. Any and all federal, state and local taxes on the Prizes, if any, are the sole responsibility of the Prize Winners. Sponsor reserves in its sole discretion the right to suspend, withhold, modify or terminate any aspect of the Prizes at any time, should Sponsor determine that the Prize Winners or Prize Winners' parent or legal guardian's conduct violates the values of the Girl Scouts, the Girl Scout Promise or the Girl Scout Law.

#### **6. Limitation of Liability**

Indemnitees are not responsible for: (a) lost, late, damaged, destroyed, delayed, stolen, misdirected, incomplete, or illegible entries, or entries received through impermissible or illegitimate channels, all of which will be disqualified; (b) technical failures of any kind, including but not limited to the malfunctioning of any telephone, computer online systems, computer equipment, website, server provider, network, hardware, or software; (c) the unavailability or inaccessibility of any website or service; (d) unauthorized intervention in any part of the entry process or the Contest; or (e) printing, typographical, electronic, or human errors which may occur in the offer or administration of the Contest or the processing of entries. Entrant agrees that any and all claims, judgments, and awards shall be limited to actual out of pocket costs incurred, including costs associated with entering the Contest but in no event attorneys' fees or mediation related costs; and Entrant waives all rights to claim any punitive, incidental, consequential, and any other damages, other than for actual out-of-pocket expenses, and any and all rights to have damages multiplied or otherwise increased.