Girl Scouts - North Carolina Coastal Pines girl scouts **Troop Mentor Timeline**

north carolina coastal pines

September - November

- *Get paired with your new co-leader from your area Troop Mentor Coordinator.
- *Call or email your new co-* leader to introduce yourself and welcome them.
- *Offer support for the new co-leader's first troop meeting.
- *Invite your new co-leader to the upcoming area/ service unit meeting.
- *Answer questions and offer best practices related to Troop Banking. Has the troop opened their troop bank account? Remind new co-leaders about upcoming local and council events and encourage them to join the fun!
- *Check in with your new coleaders to see if they have questions about girl and adult registrations, new co-leader virtual or in person trainings (accessed through gsLearn and/or Activities on the council website, troop meetings, CPR/FA Certification, the Volunteer Toolkit, the Fall Product Sale, programming, and more.

December - January

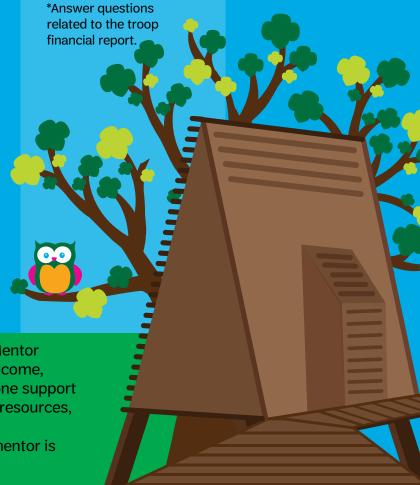
- *Check in with your coleader to see if they have questions about the upcoming Girl Scout Cookie Program, Cookie Booths, and other exciting activities related to the cookie sale.
- *Be sure they know how to contact their area cookie coordinator and are aware of the additional resources on the council website.
- *Direct them to badge requirements for financial badges.
- *Connect co-leaders with local event and parade opportunities.
- *Remind co-leaders about upcoming area/service unit meetings and introduce them to fellow volunteers.
- *Share information about our amazing summer camps, registration tips and day camp opportunities throughout the council.

March - May

- *Encourage and remind co-leader/s to renew girl and adult memberships early - "Early Bird".
- *Be available to answer questions related to upcoming bridging ceremonies.
- *Promote local and council trainings and events.
- *Ask co-leaders how the girls plan to use cookie sale proceeds and offer best practices.

June - July

- *Complete Troop Mentor Survey.
- *Give yourself a pat on the back and celebrate a year of **Troop Mentor Program** success!
- *What's next? Check in reguarly with your area troop mentor coordinator. Also, visit our council website for additional resources Questions? Email learning@nccoastalpines.org



A co-leader's first year or two is crucial! Our Troop Mentor Program is a council-wide initiative that serves to welcome, engage, and advise new co-leaders through one-on-one support and guidance. With the proper support network and resources, co-leaders will be better equipped to provide a more meaningful experience for girls. Plus, being a troop mentor is easy and rewarding! So, get mentoring! Visit www.nccoastalpines.org to get started!