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Girl Scouts Stretch Cookie Sale through May 11th

For the First Time Ever, Girl Scouts will be Selling Cookies at Bloomsday

(Spokane, WA–April 30, 2014): Girl Scouts of Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho is offering a stretch cookie sale to support troops in meeting their goals. For the first time ever, Girl Scouts will be at the Bloomsday Trade Show Friday and Saturday and at Riverfront Park on Saturday and Sunday.

“We are excited to showcase how Girl Scouts develop leadership and confidence through our Product Sales Program at Bloomsday this year,” said Kelly Thompson, product sales manager for Girl Scouts of Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho. “Girl Scouts and their Troops are very close to meeting their cookie sale goals, which support troop activities such as community service, travel and attending resident and day camp.”

As the largest girl-led business in the world, the Girl Scout Cookie Program is not just about selling cookies. When a Girl Scout sells cookies, she's building a lifetime of skills and confidence. She learns goal setting, decision making, money management, people skills and business ethics—aspects essential to leadership, to success and to life.

Girl Scouts will be selling the Super Six Girl Scout cookies (Thin Mints, Samoas, Trefoils, Do-si-dos, Tagalongs and Savannah Smiles) in all 30 counties of the council area which will be available through May 11th. The Girl Scout cookies are still \$4 per box and \$4.25 per box in Idaho. If you would like to be connected with a Girl Scout, please call 800-827-9478 ext. 211.

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About Girl Scouts Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho

Girls are at the center of everything we do. Girl Scouts is the preeminent leadership development organization for girls, the leading authority on girls' healthy development and is working with girls and women to transform the leadership landscape for girls into the next century. Girl Scouts Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho serves more than 4,600 girls and 2,200 adult volunteers. The council region encompasses 67,000 miles that includes 20 counties in central and eastern Washington and 10 counties in northern Idaho. Girl Scouts Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho is committed to discovering, celebrating and fostering the leader in every girl. Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place.



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