2024 Eliza's Trunk Program (Direct Sale of Fall Program, Candy and Nuts)

Discover how Girl Scout Troops and Girl Scouts can participate in Eliza's Trunk Program (direct sale of fall program, candy and nuts) as part of the 2024 Girl Scouts of North-Central Alabama Fall Product Program. Eliza's Trunks offer a new way for troops and girls to reach their customers—with product <u>in-hand</u> during the Fall Product Program! We are excited to pilot this program and believe it will enhance the Fall Product Program by allowing Girl Scouts to participate in door-to-door sales and community booths!

** There is a limited number of Eliza's Trunk Bags available. Orders will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. Order early!

Important Dates

July 20–August 20	September	Week of September 23	September 27	October 28
Troops and girls can sign- up to participate and order Eliza's Trunk bags. Order here: https://gsnca.formstack.com/forms/elizastrunkorderform	We will email you pick up details for your Trunk Bag(s)!	Trunk Bag pick-ups begin this week during open shop/office hours. Days and times of pick-ups for Troop and girls participating will be sent in early September. Special accommodations will be handled on a caseby-case basis.	In-person sales begin. Girl Scouts can reach their customers with product in hand.	In-person sales end. All money is due to Troop Product Manager (TPM).

Eliza's Trunk Program Details

- Eliza's Trunk Bags are ordered by troops for girls to have product in-hand at the beginning of the Fall Product Program. All bag items will be entered into M2 by Council at the end of the sale and the TFPM will distribute to the girls to earn rewards.
- For troops that order trunks, the items will be entered on the "Extra Product" line and payment will be due with Fall Product payments. Troops will then need to move items to participating girls.
- Individual Girl Scouts may also sign up for the Trunks but will be required to pay for the bags when picked up. Council staff will then enter these payments into M2 and credit the troop for the Girl Scout.

How it Works

- Customers can pay for the trunk products using cash or check. If a customer only has a credit card to use, an order for Girl Delivery or Direct Ship must be completed. Credit cards cannot be accepted through the M2 platform for these items. If the troop has a process to accept credit card or other on-line payments, the troop can be paid directly.
- Parents/TPMs do not need to add these items in M2 items will be loaded into the M2 System by Council.

What's in the Trunk?

5 Pecan Clusters – \$8.00 each

4 Peanut Butter Elephants - \$7.50 each

3 Spicy Cajun Mix - \$7.00 each

2 Chocolate Covered Almonds - \$9.00 each

1 Whole Cashews - \$10.00 each 1 Butterfly Gummies - \$9.00 each

1 Dark Choc SS Caramels - \$8.00 each

1 Mint Trefoil Tin - \$14.00

Total Eliza's Trunk Bag Retail - \$150.00

Handling Money

All money (cash and/or checks) from troop-ordered bags is due to the TFPM by October 28. TFPMs will receive an email by the end of September informing them of any Girl Scouts in their troop who are participating in the Eliza's Trunk Program. For any girl-ordered trunks, GSNCA will enter the payments to the troop.

All inside a great GSNCA insulated bag!!



Rewards

The Trunk Bag contains 18 Fall Product nut and candy items that will be counted towards Girl Scout Rewards earned during the 2024 Fall Product Program. These items will automatically be calculated in the M2 System for Girl Scouts who sign-up to participate in the Program. Girl Scouts will also receive a patch.

FAQ

Q: Who can participate in Eliza's Trunk Program?

A: Any Girl Scout troop or any registered Girl Scout can participate in the Trunk Bag Program.

Q: How do I sign up to participate in Eliza's Trunk Bag Program?

A: Troop leaders or TFPMs, parents/guardians can sign-up between July 20 - August 20 here.

Q: Can my Girl Scout sign up to receive multiple Trunks?

A: Yes! If your Girl Scout has big goals this Fall Product season and would like to request more than one Trunk Bag, you may do so. Remember, the trunks much be paid for when they are picked up.

Q: I signed up to receive a Trunk Bag. Where is it?

A: Trunk Bag pick-ups begin the week of September 23 during open shop/office hours. Days and times of pick-ups for Girl and Troop participants will be sent in early September.

Q: Can I return any unsold items from my Trunk Bag?

A: Unsold items MAY NOT be returned. Once you pick up and sign the product receipt, it is your financial responsibility.

Q: Can I exchange any unsold items for a different item?

A: Exchanges are NOT allowed. Each Trunk contains a carefully selected lineup of our Fall Product Program best- selling items.

Q: I received a Trunk Bag and I have a damaged item. What do I do?

A: Please reach out to us at 205-453-9536 or ahines@girlscoutsnca.org

Q: What is included in Eliza's Trunk Bag?

A: There are 18 delicious items in Eliza's Trunk. They are:

- 5 Pecan Supremes \$8.00 each
- 4 Peanut Butter Elephants \$7.50 each
- 3 Spicy Cajun Mix \$7.00 each
- 2 Chocolate Covered Almonds \$9.00 each
- 1 Butterfly Gummies \$9.00 each

- 1 Whole Cashews \$10.00 each
- 1 Dark Choc. SS Caramels \$ 8.00 each
- 1 Mint Trefoil Tins \$14.00 each
- Free Goal Getter patch

TOTAL - \$150.00

Q: How do I accept payment from my customers when selling items in the Trunk Bag?

A: Payments may be accepted via cash/check. At this time, credit card payments cannot be accepted through the M2 site for Eliza's Trunk items. If your customer would like to pay with a credit card, you will need to have them order online, through the M2 system, selecting either the Girl Delivery or Direct Ship option. **They can order the same items, but you can't use your Trunk Bag inventory to fill the order when they need to pay with a credit card.**

- For troops if the troop has a process to accept credit cards or other on-line payments, the troop can be paid directly.
- Q: When and how will I be charged for the Trunk?

A: For Troops: The amount will be added to the troop account when the items are added at the end of the program.

For Girl Scouts – Parent/Guardian will pay for the Trunk when it is picked up. Credit for that payment will be posted to the troop account in M2.