



# Celebrate Gold

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## Hunger Helpers

Emily Poynter has been a girl member for 13 years in Troop 3023 in Service Unit 647. Emily currently attends Northwest Missouri State University and recently completed her freshman year, majoring in Marketing. She plans to pursue a career in Medical Marketing - selling medical devices from pacemakers to prosthetics.

Emily's project addressed the need for cold-weather supplies and food for individuals experiencing homelessness. She created care kits filled with essential cold-weather items like gloves, socks, and nutritious, easy-to-eat food. Each item was thoughtfully chosen to meet immediate needs and provide comfort during harsh weather conditions. To support environmental responsibility, she packaged the kits in biodegradable bags.

Her goal was to offer both physical support and a sense of dignity to those experiencing homelessness. This project also raised awareness in her community about the importance of compassionate outreach.

**“Because of Girl Scouts, I have had discipline and a desire to serve others.”**