



Celebrate Gold



Kylie Zeiler

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Community Care Closet Refurbished

Kylie was a girl member for 13 years as part of Troop 628 in Service Unit 701. She is currently a freshman at Washburn University, studying Philosophy and Pre-Law.

Kylie's Gold Award project was inspired by her passion to help families within her high school community who struggled with access to clothes, personal hygiene products, and other necessities. When Kylie first encountered the school's Care Closet, many of the resources were unusable for students including expired food, clothing with holes in them, and disorganized school supplies. Kylie cleaned, organized, and restocked the closet with essentials for students, and worked with school counselors to share information about the resources.

The responsibility for maintaining the closet will be shared with other determined students at Shawnee Heights, who will keep it organized, clean, and restock products as necessary. They will train future classes to maintain the closet and keep these essential resources available for years to come.



Because of Girl Scouts...I have gained a sense of independence, which has led me to open new doors to success and become a leader in my community.