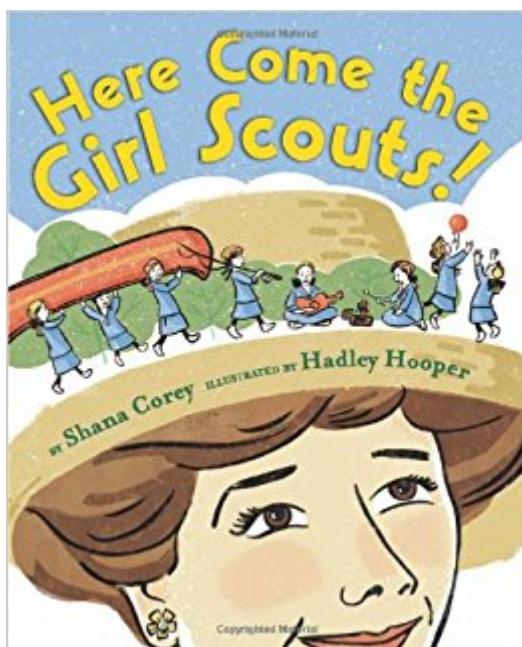


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Here Come The Girl Scouts!: The Amazing All-True Story Of Juliette 'Daisy' Gordon Low And Her Great Adventure



Synopsis

The amazing, all-true story of the first Girl Scouts and their visionary founder. Juliette Gordon Low--Daisy to her friends and family--was not like most girls of the Victorian era. Prim and proper? BOSH! Dainty and delicate? HOW BORING! She loved the outdoors, and she yearned for adventure! Born into a family of pathfinders and pioneers, she too wanted to make a difference in the world--and nothing would stop her. Combining her ancestors'™ passion for service with her own adventurous spirit and her belief that girls could do anything, she founded the Girl Scouts. One hundred years later, they continue to have adventures, do good deeds, and make a difference!

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Customer Reviews

On March 12, 2012, the Girl Scouts will have been in existence for 100 years, and it's all thanks to Juliette Daisy Gordon Low. Daisy was a girl with gumption; an opening illustration shows her joy at hanging from a tree, petticoat on full display. A trip to England later in life introduces Daisy to the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, and the rest, as they say, is history. Ambitious in scope, this picture-book biography covers everything from the first meeting of the Girl Scouts to its first handbook (with guidance on such things as how to stop a runaway horse) to troop expansion across the country. A final inspiring spread offers up portraits of former Girl Scouts, including Hillary Rodham Clinton and Gloria Steinem, and it leaves one portrait empty: you. Well-chosen quotes from

the original handbook (fresh air is your great friend) are incorporated into Hooperâ™s exuberant illustrations, which were created using paint, ink, and printmaking techniques. Extensive back matter includes Girl Scoutâ™s related history, legacy, photos, and sources. Girl power, all the way around.

Grades 1-4. --Ann Kelley

"Deft storyteller Shana Corey knows that good history writers pick rich details to paint a life story. Thatâ™s exactly what she does in 'Here Come the Girl Scouts!'" --The New York Times
"Corey tells Lowâ™s story with few words, but a lot of energy. This is an exuberant celebration of Lowâ™s work just in time for the Girl Scouts 100th anniversary." -- School Library Journal, starred review
"Coreyâ™s gung-ho prose conveys Lowâ™s gumption and optimism. Hooperâ™s folksy mixed-media art, much like Coreyâ™s prose, portrays the Scouts and their history in a fresh, unstuffy manner." -- Publishers Weekly
"Girl power, all the way around." -- Booklist
"Captivating. Well done, all around. So, sit down with your favorite box of Do-si-dos (or, OK, Thin Mints, if thatâ™s your style) and be sure to experience this one." -- Kirkus blog review
"Did You Know These Amazing Facts about the Girl Scouts? * There are more than 3.2 million Girl Scouts throughout the world! *More than 50 million American women enjoyed Girl Scouting during their childhoods. * March 2012 marked the 100th Anniversary of the Girl Scouts. Â

I work for the Girl Scouts and have read many books about Juliette Gordon Low. This was a wonderful book to read to our younger girls - Daisies and Brownies. The story used words of the time, which will make the girls of today giggle. The coloring of the pages depicted the era in which she grew up. We have a volunteer who does story hours as Juliette and she brought the book to my attention. Highly recommend to read to younger girls.

"Here Come the Girl Scouts" is a fun, beautifully illustrated book about the founder of the Girl Scouts in America. My daughter picked this book up at the library, we took it home to read, and the next day - we registered her for scouting- it made her THAT excited!! People seem confused as to what Girl Scouts actually DO, aside from camping out and selling delicious cookies, and this book is a good, easy to understand explanation of the Girl Scouts. I read this book at all of our recruitment event for Girl Scouts as well as award this book in a raffle for all events I lead for younger troops! A must read, must own book for younger scouts!

Loved the book. I have been a Girl Scout Leader 23 years. Great book to read to the girls;

especially Daisys. First found out about this book from our library. After we read it, I knew I needed a copy for our book collection. Highly recommend for young Girl Scouts.

I bought this for my Brownie troop while they worked on their story telling badge. I have to say I think it is a great book. It is full of lots of information about Juliette and how she started the Girl Scouts. It also has lots of neat sayings sprinkled throughout. The girls did find it difficult to read a loud because they got confused with what was part of the story and what was a saying. Still I would highly recommend it for younger girl scouts and their leaders.

Juliet Gordon Low is a Shero! Her story is the story of the Feminist movement and highlights using personal struggle as fuel for a worthy cause. Juliette was an adventurer and believed in the power of women and inclusiveness.

Read this with our brownie troop as part of the steps to earn the "Girl Scout Way" badge. We all learned a lot about our founder in a fun and easy to read way. We'll be using and sharing this book with future troops.

I ordered this book to read with my girl scout troop (Brownies and Juniors) to celebrate Juliette's birthday. The illustrations were amazing! All the little quirky sayings / facts were fun! The girls loved it and so did I!

A wonderful book about Juliette Gordon Low' life, easy to read, for all ages. A great addition to any Girl Scout Troop's library, parents to read with their Girl Scouts or for any adult, just to have. The illustrations are bright and colorful. Loved it!

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