

## **Bronze Award Money Earning Policies**

QUESTION	YES	NO
Do Bronze Award money earners need to be pre-approved? Be sure to keep track of details for project budget planning and reporting.		Х
Do I have to participate in the Product Programs to do a Bronze Award money-earner?		X
Can I count money earner time towards project hours?		X
Can I ask my troop to support my Bronze Award project by donating troop funds?	X	
Can a troop offer to allocate funds to a Bronze Award project? The troop must <i>unanimously</i> decide to allocate troop treasury to assist projects.	X	
Can I use my own money to fund my Bronze Award project?	X	
Can a troop hold funds for a girl or group of girls in the troop account if it was raised to support a Bronze Award project?	X	
Can girls utilize a troop's electronic resources for collecting funds (e.g. PayPal)? Note: private accounts are not allowed for troop funds.	X	
Can I raise money for another organization? (e.g. pledges for a walk-a-thon)		X
Can I solicit monies or gift cards from people or businesses? (this includes canning/shake-a-can)		Х
Can I host games of chance? (e.g. auctions, tickets, raffles, tricky trays, etc.?)		X
Can I host a product party (e.g. Pampered Chef) or restaurant night?		X
Can I solicit and accept in-kind donations for supplies or services?	X*	
If I am asking for in-kind donations for supplies or services, and someone offers me money, can I accept it?	X*	
Can I apply for a financial grant?	X*	

<sup>\*</sup>You may apply for a grant and/or ask for donations over \$250, but must **first** contact GSHNJ's Fund Development department at <u>funddevelopment@gshnj.org</u> before applying to be sure it does not conflict or overlap with other initiatives or grants.

## Here are some examples of ways that you can earn money to support your Bronze Award:

- Badge-earning or skill-building event for younger Girl Scouts
- Host a rummage sale
- Gift-wrapping for the holidays
- Hold a car wash