

My Community Scavenger Hunt



Mishawaka



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In keeping with Girl Scouts of Citrus Council's goal of active citizenship, this patch was designed to provide the opportunity for girls to gain an insight into their local community. Upon completion of the requirements, the girls will have a better understanding of their community and the ability to explore neighboring sister communities.

Patch: Upon completion of this program, you can send an email to the GSC Council Shop at shop@citrus-gs.org to order and pay for your patch. Each Scavenger Hunt patch cost \$3.00.

Once you complete the first community and earn your anchor patch. You can continue to earn 3 more levels. Each time you complete 9 additional communities, you can purchase and additional rocker patch for \$1.50.

Level: Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette, Senior, Ambassador (K-12)

Questions: Please contact customer care at Customercare@citrus-gs.org

Before Getting Started

1. An adult member must be always present with Girl Scouts.
2. Rural areas – Leaders should review Scavenger Hunt area prior to participation, use crosswalks when crossing the streets, do not walk on railroad tracks (If applicable), apply sunscreen, bring water bottle, be mindful of your surroundings.
3. Nature areas – Leaders should review Scavenger Hunt area prior to participation, be sure to wear closed toed shoes, bring a water bottle, bring bug spray, apply sunscreen, never feed or approach any wild animals, be mindful of your surroundings.
4. Be sure to fill out and submit an activity request packet which includes: TAR, roster and acknowledgement form and submit to your Community Safety Coordinator before proceeding with activity. ([COVID specific forms - Click here](#))
5. Be sure to review Safety Activity Checkpoints. ([Safety - Click Here](#))
6. Be sure to review the updated COVID-19 Guidelines. ([COVID-19 Guidelines - Click Here](#))



Elsa Maxwell

Accredited for the creation of the Scavenger Hunt



Elsa Maxwell (born May 24, 1883, Keokuk, Iowa, U.S.—died November 1, 1963, New York, New York), American columnist, songwriter, and professional hostess, famous for her lavish and animated parties that feted the high-society and entertainment personalities of her day.

Credit for the Scavenger Hunt truly belongs to Jazz Age gossip columnist Elsa Maxwell. In 1927 she hosted a party in Paris which asked guests to find certain items during the evening. Some of those items included music-hall star Mistinguett's shoe, a black swan from the Bois de Boulogne, the red pom pom on a French seaman's hat. Before it was over, Mistinguett had to entertain barefoot at the Casino de Paris, a ferocious swan sent two people to the hospital, and interior decorator Elsie de Wolfe, wife of British diplomat Sir Charles Mendl, was accused of theft by the French Navy.

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Community: Mishawaka

Location: Historic Downtown St. Cloud

Estimated completion time: 1-2 hours.

Challenge Level (1-3): 3 – Very Challenging (Great for all levels, especially Cadettes - Ambassadors)

Starting Point: St. Cloud City Hall - 1300 9th St, St Cloud, FL 34769

Description: Complete all the below questions to fully earn your “My Community Scavenger Hunt” patch. Throughout your scavenger hunt, pay close attention to readable signs, objects, nature, art, and buildings for your answers. [\(To submit your Scavenger Hunt answers - Click Here\)](#)

Badge Steps Earned:

Daisy: Good Neighbor - Step 2

Brownie: Celebrating Community - Step 4

Junior: Playing in the Past - Step 5

Cadette: Field Day - Step 2

Map: A full map is currently unavailable.



Questions:

1. What railway transported sugar and citrus between the town of Narcoossee and Kissimmee?
2. What was St. Cloud known for Veterans during the Civil War?
3. What years can be found in the St. Cloud roll of honor for World War One?
4. What is the name of the brick station that replaced original wooden depot?
5. What month and year did the railway open in St. Cloud?
6. What is the name of the building whose original exterior featured walls built of brick and steel with a gray stucco finish?
7. What is the date when the fire ignited just after midnight?
8. How many diverse community organizations were housed in the first national bank?
9. Who is the person that was said his purchase of four million acres of land may have been the largest land purchase by an individual in history?
10. What is the street address of the first house in St. Cloud that was home to G.W. Penn?
11. What is the name of the corporation that welcomed honored veterans with many performances at parades and community events?
12. How many tons of ice were produced per day when the electric and ice plant reached its full production?
13. What is the name of the area that provided a place for relaxation and entertainment for the growing town?
14. Where could have veterans gone to pick up their deeds after arriving to St. Cloud?
15. What is the name of the current company / post that is housed at the train station?

