

Cookie Safety Bingo

A Safe Cookie Season is a Successful Cookie Season!



Girls will learn the most important lesson of all . . . Girl Scout Cookie Safety!

Girls will tune into these tips when they play Cookie Safety Bingo throughout the Cookie Rally!

As girls engage in all the inspiring Cookie Rally activities, it's a great opportunity to reinforce the importance of Girl Scout Cookie Program safety! Simply hand each girl their BINGO card at check-in, and watch the learning fun begin as they gather stamps or stickers wherever a Safety Tip or Cookie Tip is posted. We have made a sign for you to display with each tip. Be sure to post them at all the stations, as well as in a few other creative places around the rally event!



Supplies:



- ◆ One **Cookie Safety BINGO Card** per girl (there are 20 different card variations so girls do not all have the same card (but if you want them to all match, just choose one to print). (cards are in separate file)
- ◆ One set of **Cookie Safety BINGO Signs** (there is a sign for each possible icon on the cards (in separate file)
- ◆ Clear plastic 8 1/2" x 11" frames to display **Cookie Safety BINGO Signs** (or plan to mount signs on cardboard and attach an easel to each one).
- ◆ A stamp or supply of stickers by each sign to use in marking BINGO cards .
- ◆ BINGO Prizes (decide if you will draw for one or two big winners, or if you will have a small prize for each person who gets a BINGO - which could be each attendee).

Instructions:

- ◆ You will need to first decide approximately how many BINGO winners you would like to have. You can limit winners by not posting all of the signs or you can make every girl who completes their card (or who completes a BINGO) eligible for a small prize, or eligible to have their name in a prize drawing for a bigger prize (or both!). There are so many options. They can strive to fill in their entire card, or turn in a certain type of BINGO (ie straight BINGO, diagonal BINGO, "X" shaped BINGO or safety cross "+" BINGO)
- ◆ Post signs at each activity station, and in other places around the room. Make sure each sign has a volunteer to stamp the girls cards as the visit the sign.
- ◆ At the Rally Wrap Up, have girls write their name on the back of their card and enter completed cards in a drawing for a "big" prize. (or decide other ways to award prizes).



Alternate (Traditional) Instructions

If you choose, you could play this game like the traditional BINGO, by sitting girls in one large group, providing them each a set of "markers" (like a pack of candy) to mark spaces. Invite girls from the audience to come up, pull out a BINGO tip to "call" and ask them to read the corresponding Safety Tip to the group. To play this way, instead of posting the signs, print them, fold them up small, and place them in a basket for girls to draw from when calling the next tip out.

