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**GIRL SCOUTS OF HAWAI'I TROOP 823 PARTICIPATED IN  
"HAVE A RICE DAY" FOOD DRIVE**

Lihue, Kauai (FINAL) – On March 17 and 18, Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Troop 823 partnered with the Kauai Branch of the Hawaii Foodbank to participate in its annual "Have A Rice Day" food drive. The food drive encouraged Kauai residents to donate bags of rice at various Safeway branches in support of the Hawaii Foodbank. The scouts collected over 700 bags of rice at the Lihue Safeway in the two-day period.

The Troop 823 service project is a perfect example of the Girl Scouts mission to build girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place.

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**About Girl Scouts of Hawai'i**

Supporting almost 5,000 girl and adult members statewide, the Girl Scouts of Hawai'i (GSH) builds girls of courage, confidence, and character to make the world a better place. GSH's headquarters is located on the island of O'ahu, with three neighbor island service centers on the islands of Hawai'i, Kaua'i and Maui. GSH is chartered by the national office, Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA) and is responsible for the leadership, administration and supervision of Girl Scout programs in the state of Hawai'i. For more information about GSH, visit [www.girlscouts-hawaii.org](http://www.girlscouts-hawaii.org) or call (808) 595-8400.

Photo caption: Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Ambassador Kyla Koerte collected bags of rice for the Hawaii Foodbank.



Photo caption: Girl Scouts of Hawai'i Brownie Andriana Perreira and Ambassador Kyla Koerte working the donation table at the Lihue Safeway.



Photo caption: Brownies Madison Perreira and Andriana Perreira as well as Ambassador Kyla Koerte collected over 400 bags of rice at Lihue Safeway on Saturday, March 18.

