

Traveling Gavel

The Traveling Gavel is an incentive to encourage more girls to travel and visit other Assemblies. The Traveling Gavel is held by an Assembly and proudly displayed at their lodge until it is awarded to another Assembly.

In order to get the Traveling Gavel, Assemblies can attend a stated or called meeting of the Assembly currently holding the Traveling Gavel. To be eligible, there must be at least two members and an adult present. The Traveling Gavel will be presented to the visiting Assembly who has the most number of members in attendance. In the event of a tie, it will be awarded to the Assembly that traveled the furthest.

In addition, The Traveling Gavel shall be awarded at each Grand Visitation and at Grand Assembly. It is the responsibility of the Assembly currently holding the Traveling Gavel to ensure that it is available for presentation at the next scheduled Grand Visitation and Grand Assembly. The Traveling Gavel will be presented to the visiting Assembly who has the most number of members in attendance. In the event of a tie, it will be awarded to the Assembly that traveled the furthest (or for Grand Assembly, the Assembly who won it the most number of times during the previous year).

It is required that the Assembly who is currently holding the Traveling Gavel makes regular website postings and email announcements about their meetings to challenge other Assemblies to visit, and continue to do so until it has been awarded to another Assembly. In this way, the entire membership will be kept informed of the Traveling Gavel's whereabouts and inspire fun and fellowship.

The Assembly who has been awarded the traveling gavel the most times during the Grand Year will be recognized at Grand Assembly.