

# Gift Card Fundraising Program

This program will allow for families to be able to purchase Gift Cards.

In purchasing the Gift Cards you will be earning money towards your fundraising amount and/or your tuition.

The list of Gift Cards is huge!

Please log on to [glscrip.com](http://glscrip.com)

Go to retailer list on left hand side and peruse the list

The % of proceeds each gift card offers is listed in parenthesis

**We will be starting the program immediately with the first orders completed and sent on Thursday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. You will receive your gift cards on Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. So please see me on this Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> or Tuesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> evening.**

**If you would like to place an order through a paper process with a check or leave a check for an online order , please place the order in my box in an envelope with my name on it.**

**I will leave blank order blanks in the drawer as well.**

**I will be at the most evenings because I have 3 girls who skate 3 different teams. If you do not know who I am please ask someone and they will steer you in the correct direction. rink tonight and Wednesday, December 2nd.**

**Feel free to ask me questions anytime you see me, I will be happy to assist.**

**THIS IS A GREAT TIME TO BEGIN THE PROGRAM WITH THE HOLIDAYS ARRIVING QUICKER THAN WE WOULD LIKE.**

**PLEASE CHOSE TO ORDER YOUR GIFT CARDS FOR HOLIDAY GIVING THROUGH THIS PROGRAM AS WELL AS YOUR GIFT CARDS FOR YOUR EVERYDAY HOUSEHOLD NEEDS!**

Here's how it works:

You are able to purchase a gift card directly through me (Mary Duba) or online in the comfort of your home at [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com)

Either way there is a percentage of funds from the gift card amount that are earned by our organization.

The funds will be split in the following way:

70% of your gift cards proceeds will be directly applied towards your fundraising and/or tuition.

30 % of your gift card proceeds will be directly applied towards the organization to help defray costs.

If you opt to purchase the gift cards through me - I will take your order on paper, have you sign off on it and collect a check made out to the organization for the face value amount of the gift cards. I WILL THEN SET UP YOUR ACCOUNT FOR YOU.

If you opt to purchase the gift cards online from the comfort of your home. You will log on to the site [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com), sign up for an account, order your gift cards. Again you will pay the organization for the face value of your gift cards.

Sign up with ShopWithScrip

CT Northern Lights Girls Sports Inc

[www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com)

1. Obtain Your Enrollment Code from Your Coordinator -  
enrollment code: **A3FB2963966L**

2. Go to [www.ShopWithScrip.com](http://www.ShopWithScrip.com), and  
click on “**Create Account.**”

3. Follow the four simple steps and click

“I Accept.”

4. Enter your enrollment code: **A3FB2963966L** and click  
“Join.”

Payment is done in one of two ways:

1. A check made out to organization and delivered to me at the rink ( I will have a drawer in the coaches room for communication - please place the check in an envelope with my name on the outside of the envelope).

OR

2. PrestoPay - This is a secure way for you to have the amount immediately debited from your checking account. You may sign in for this service when you sign up with [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com). There is a section after you sign up for your family account which allows you to sign into Presto Pay.

Obtaining Your Gift Cards:

You will be able to pick up your Gift Cards on one of two designated dates and times at the rink from me. I will advise you of a time slot on a Monday and Wednesday evening which I will be at the rink. If for some reason you are unable to be at the rink at those time slots you will need to setup another time to meet with me.

All Gift Cards must be picked up by a family member adult - **NO GIFT CARDS WILL BE GIVEN TO THE GIRLS.**

Tracking your proceeds:

There is software within the scrip site which I will be using to track the orders. I will at any given time be able to identify what each family has ordered for Gift Cards and the values.

I will also be using an excel sheet which will track every families orders and proceeds. This will be continuously updated to the treasurer of Lights every time we place an order as an organization.

We look forward to bringing this program to Lights and hopefully will be beneficial to all in these tough economic times. We hope to make this second nature and be able to order Gift Cards every two weeks once we get rolling. This should allow for you as a family to plan for your grocery, gas, retail store and general necessities purchases. You are spending the money anyways at these stores.....why not order the gift cards, earn some proceeds to apply towards your fundraising obligation and/or tuition and use them instead! Gift Cards are not just for gifts anymore. This program allows you to use them to benefit your financial obligation.

Any questions.....

Please see me at the rink, email me [dubahockeymom6@yahoo.com](mailto:dubahockeymom6@yahoo.com) or call me 860-307-1212

Thank you

Mary Duba

### ***What Is Scrip?***

Scrip is a term that means “substitute money”. When you purchase scrip, you’re purchasing negotiable gift certificates and prepaid cards that are used just like cash. You can use scrip to purchase everyday expenses like food, clothing, and other essentials, and with every purchase, you earn revenue for our organization.

### ***How scrip generates revenue for you***

The Great Lakes Scrip Center acts on behalf of churches, schools and other non-profit organizations to purchase large amounts of scrip from grocery stores, department stores, and other retailers. Because the scrip is purchased with cash up front, the participating retailers offer a substantial discount. Our organization buys the scrip from Great Lakes Scrip Center at a discount, and re-sells the certificates to families like yours for full face value. The discount - from two to fifteen percent or more – is our organization’s revenue.

### ***Scrip is "shopping cart fundraising"***

Scrip is a popular fundraiser because families don't have to sell anything. Organization members produce revenue by making regular household purchases they would make anyway. Groceries, clothing, toys, gifts, even gasoline can be purchased with scrip.

### ***Find Out More***

Ask your scrip coordinator listed below for the latest participating retailer list. Then put your shopping dollars to work for our organization!

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