



Salam Alaikum (Hello),

We are a USA Girl Scout Troop of Cadettes and Seniors located in Kuwait. We have 14 girls (7 Cadettes, 7 Seniors) and 4 advisors. We have girls of 5 nationalities in our troop. Of the Americans, most of us are here because our dads work for the US military, embassy, or for an oil company.

This eCard has a picture of us at the Palm Palace Restaurant, which serves some great Arabic food. We had just finished dinner when the picture was taken. All of our camping is on the beach or in the desert - we're used to a lot of sand. We are having a big International Fair with the Kuwait Girl Guides, British Girl Guides, and Armenian Girl Scouts soon, and we will be teaching Columbian dancing, complete with costumes. Later this year we are putting on a disability awareness day for younger girls. We hope to soon be visiting one of the US military bases here to sell our locally produced Girl Scout calendars and home baked cookies. (Lots of guys!) We helped pack gift boxes for 356 soldiers in Iraq near Christmastime. We are also planning some fun activities soon: ice skating, working on the "Shoppportunity" IPA, a campout, and possibly sailing in the Arabian Gulf. We love sleepovers and we have a lot of fun!

Have a Happy Thinking Day!

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