

Girl scouts plant flowers to honor 100th anniversary of women getting right to vote

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PORTLAND (WGME) -- Thousands of flowers are being planted across the state as a memorial of the 100th anniversary of women winning the right to vote.

Tuesday, fourth grade girl scouts planted more than 1,000 daffodil bulbs at Longfellow Elementary School.

During the fight to vote, suffragists brought bouquets of daffodils to legislators and rallies as a symbol of their activism.

Girl scout leaders say they'll bloom in the spring as a tribute to the women and equality for all.

"We want the girls to take it on as their gift to Longfellow, but also we want to do it as a part of their learning about the right to vote, and a democratic process. And this year in fourth grade they'll be going to the State House and learning about the legislature. So it goes well with their curriculum in school this year," Girl Scout Troop Leader Pam King said.

To learn more, click [here](#).

