

VOLUME 2

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massachusetts

Our Mission

Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.

Girl Scout Promise

On my honor, I will try:
To serve God and my country,
To help people at all times,
And to live by the Girl Scout Law.

Girl Scout Law

I will do my best to be honest and fair, friendly and helpful, considerate and caring, courageous and strong, and responsible for what I say and do, and to respect myself and others, use resources wisely, make the world a better place, and be a sister to every Girl Scout.

Our Locations

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Need Assistance?

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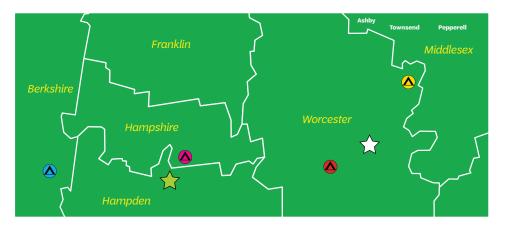




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With 2022 right around the corner, we are excited for a new program year that hopefully is more similar to those in the past with greater in-person program options, run safely and mindfully of all state and local regulations. While we had huge success with our outdoor programming and our summer camps this past year and will continue to offer those, did you know that we also have a number of STEM related programs as well as community partner programs? We have also continued to update our properties with exciting program activities such as our hatchet throwing range and our ax yard. We continue to offer Highest Awards programs, new GSUSA badges, outdoor programs, and our iconic Product Programs with the 5 Skills and support for girls in our community. With Girl Scout Cookie Season and Camp around the corner, take a look at all that Girl Scouts continues to offer! So come join us as we continue to build girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.

Yours in Girl Scouting,

Sara Rowan

Senior Director, Girl Experience

PROGRAMS & EVENTS



*BE SURE TO CHECK OUR WEBSITE OFTEN FOR ANY UPDATES, ADDITIONS, OR CANCELLATIONS OF PROGRAMS. THE WEBSITE WILL ALWAYS HAVE THE MOST UPDATED INFORMATION AVAILABLE. PROGRAMS MAY NEED TO BE UPDATED OR CANCELLED TO MEET THE CHANGING STATE AND FEDERAL GUIDELINES.

D-A LEARNING SPLITS FOR DANCE AND GYMNASTICS (K-12)

Date: Sunday, January 2, 2022

Time: 5:40 PM-6:20 PM
Place: Twists N Turns

Cost: \$15 per girl/\$10 per adult

This flexibility program provides a comprehensive and well-rounded workout regime combining stretching, coordination, and strength. Enhance your health, self image, and well-being. You do not need a particular skill level as you will go through the exercises and techniques dependent upon your abilities. We'll begin with some light movement to get muscles warn, then transition into stretching. This program will meet requirements for the My Best Self, Staying Fit, Science of Happiness, and Women's Health Badges (not included). Open to Troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. To register go to https://www.evenbrite.com/e/learning-splits-for-dance-and-gymnastics-tickets-130179712023?aff=ebdss bonlinesearch by January 2.

C STRIVE FOR SILVER ORIENTATION (GR 6-8)

Date: Thursday, January 6, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Becoming a Silver Award Girl Scout is no easy feat, and this hands-on workshop will certainly get you started on your way! Taking a Strive for Silver Orientation is highly recommended for girls interested in completing their Girl Scout Silver Award prior to starting the project planning stage. At the end of this orientation, you'll know the national steps necessary to complete the Girl Scout Silver Award, understand the pros and cons of an individual vs. team project, understand the difference between Take Action

and community service, and the importance of community impact of the project. Troop leaders and parents are strongly encouraged to join us. We will have plenty of opportunities to answer your questions, learn some helpful tips, and find out what it takes to become a Silver Award Girl Scout! All materials are provided electronically. Open to troops, girls with an adult, individual girls and adults. Register through GSCWM by December 23.

D-A VIRTUAL ESCAPE ROOM: THE GHOST OF PANDORA'S MANOR (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, January 6, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM-7:45 PM
Place: Twists N Turns

Cost: \$17 per girl/\$10 per adult

Rumor has it that some kids went missing while trick-ortreating at Pandora's Manor! The locals and police haven't dared to investigate because word is there is a ghost that roams the premises. We have been hired to enter and sleuth out what actually happened so the mystery can finally be solved. If we combine our deductions, we can find out the truth. This immersive escape room experience is led by a live detective facilitator. You will feel like you've entered into a movie or video game as you look for clues, solve puzzles and riddles, and try to catch a culprit, all while earning a badge! Through the use of animations and special effects, you will experience an exciting, realistic mystery solving experience that will put your detective skills to the test! Work on your Digital Leadership Senses, Detective, Special Agent, Game Visionary or Digital Game Design Badges by level (badges not included). Open to Troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. To register go to https://www.evenbrite.com/e/theghost-of-pandoras-manor-an-immersive-escape-roomexperience-tickets-159199629377 by January 5.



J STAY FIT (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, January 8, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM-1:30 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Yoga classes are a wonderful way to increase your coordination, self-awareness, confidence, and self-esteem while stretching and strengthening your bodies. Yoga can help you learn to relax, concentrate, and be gentle in a fun and creative environment. You will earn your Stay Fit Badge while learning beginner yoga poses, ways to stress less, and how to include the whole family in this fun fitness journey. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-stay-fit by January 7.

B MY BEST SELF (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, January 8, 2022

Time: 11:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Your best self is healthy and happy! Join us as we explore yoga to help us stress less. We only get one body, so it's important to take care of it! Learn to pay attention to what your body needs and how to ask for health help if you need it. We'll focus on getting to know your body, eating and playing in a healthy way, finding out how your body works, and knowing what to do if something bugs you. You'll even meet a certified yoga instructor as you complete the requirements for the My Best Self Badge. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/brownies-my-best-self/by January 7.



C SCIENCE OF HAPPINESS (GR 6-8)

Date: Saturday, January 8, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-3:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Did you know there is a proven science on how you can increase self-happiness? Test ways to be more joyful and experiment with different techniques to increase your happiness while earning your Science of Happiness Badge. Find out how scientists measure happiness and put their results into action. When you have earned this badge, you'll know how to use the science of happiness to make your world the happiest place to be. Join us as we explore equine assisted techniques and yoga to help us stress less. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/cadettes-science-of-happiness/ by January 7.

A YOUR GIRL SCOUT EXPERIENCE AND THE COLLEGE SEARCH: AMBASSADOR WORKSHOP (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, January 9, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/no charge to attend

In this workshop for Ambassadors and parents, you'll learn how your Girl Scout experience can guide your college search and strengthen your college applications. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for, how to prepare strong applications and essays, standardized testing and test-optional admissions, and an overview of the financial aid system. By the end of the event you'll be well-prepared to complete steps 1, 2, and 3 toward the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/9516288073764/WN_jLLYKVXkRqGf9pk-rgDwPg by January 8.

J DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHER (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, January 9, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM-8:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Every Girl Scout deserves to explore their creativity and learn a new skill to capture a lifetime of memories. Vine Images, INC has created a fun, engaging, kid-friendly photography course to help you earn the Digital Photographer Badge that gives you a great foundation to build upon. The Zoom class will complete some of the requirements of your badge, and you will have full access to complete the remainder of the requirements at your own pace. You'll explore outside and find the perfect light by completing photo challenges to complete this badge. Badges are not included but are available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/girl-scouts-digital-photography-badge/ by January 8.

J OUTDOOR ART EXPLORER (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, January 9, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM-8:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

From murals on buildings to oil paintings of landscapes, art and the outdoors go hand in hand. Let nature be your inspiration as you explore, create, and design different kinds of art. You will complete some of the requirements of the Outdoor Art Explorer Badge during this course and have full access to the rest of the requirements when you register to complete the badge at your own pace. Badges are not included in this program but are available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-outdoor-art-explorer/ by January 8

A PHOTOGRAPHER BADGE (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, January 9, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM-8:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Photos show others how you see the world! When you earn the Photographer Badge, you will learn about the technology behind the cameras and hone your skills, presenting the world in your own unique way. This course focuses on portrait photography, light, composition, motion, and much, much more. The Zoom class will complete some of the requirements of your badge, and you will have full access

to complete the remainder of the requirements at your own pace. Badges are not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/ambassador-photographer-badge/by January 8.

C-A ALL ABOUT MEDIA (GR 6-8)

Date: Mondays, January 10-February 28, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center

Cost: No charge to attend

It is all about you in our All About MEdia eight-week series. With special thanks to Shurtleff Children's Services, Inc., girls in grades 6-8 in the towns of Westfield, Southwick, Granville, Agawam, West Springfield, Montgomery, Russell, Huntington, Blandford, and Chester can attend All About MEdia for free. Girls will explore online advertising, cyberbullying, and healthy relationships as they learn to be leaders for peace and safety on social media. With activities such as role-playing, games, profile exploration and design, and reflection, girls will discover new skills to be safe on social media, connect with others to stop cyber-bullying, and take action together to make change on social media. Girls will complete their MEdia Journey and Netiquette Badge and receive both as part of this program. Attention parents/ guardians! It is not just all about the girls. Join us for our parent kickoff and learn how to navigate the platforms your girl loves, get a better understanding of why she is always on her phone, and work on making a social media compact. Social media can be scary, but we are here to help. Both girls and parents/guardians will attend our Parent Kickoff event prior to the start of the series. The Parent Kickoff event is January 3, 2022 at the Holyoke Leadership Center (301 Kelly Way, Holyoke, MA) from 6:00 PM-7:00 PM. Girl meetings will start on January 10, 2022. Included: Dinner each week, program supplies, MEdia Journey handbook, MEdia Journey awards earned, Badge earned, and Girl Scout membership if you are not a current member. *This program welcomes current Girl Scouts, but if your girl would like to bring a friend, great! We have the ability to accept non-current Girl Scouts into this program. This program is available for girls in the towns of Westfield, Southwick, Granville, Agawam, West Springfield, Montgomery, Russell, Huntington, Blandford, and Chester only. We are also looking for a young adult volunteer to assist in facilitating this program. The volunteer should not have a girl in the program. For more information on volunteering please contact Emily at emercier@gscwm. org. Open to individual girls. Register through GSCWM by December 30.

D-A VIRTUAL ESCAPE ROOM: A TRIP TO MARS (GR K-12)

Date: Tuesday, January 11, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-6:45 PM
Place: Twists N Turns

Cost: \$17 per girl/\$10 per adult

Rumor has it that there has been some foul play on the planet Mars! After a secret mission went awry, an astronaut has gone missing. The final transmission was concerning and we were hired to investigate. Can we solve the mystery and find a way home? This immersive escape room experience is led by a live detective facilitator. You will feel like you've entered into a movie or video game as you look for clue, solve puzzles and riddles, and try to catch a culprit all while earning a badge! Through the use of animations and special effects, you will experience an exciting, realistic mystery solving experience that will put your detective skills to the test! Work on your Digital Leadership Senses, Detective, Special Agent, Game Visionary or Digital Game Design Badges by level (badges not included). To register go to https://www.evenbrite.com/ virtual-escape-room-a-trip-to-mars-tickets-194023588777 by January 10.

J SIGNING ROCKS! (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, January 15, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-6:45 PM
Place: SIGNING Basics, LLC

Cost: \$16 per girl/girl-only event

Do you want to learn a new language? Interested in a career using sign language? Come learn some basic American Sign Language at Signing Rocks for Juniors with SIGNING Basics, LLC. An ASL patch will be mailed to you after the program. Open to individual girls only. Register through GSCWM by January 3.

J JUNIOR BUSINESS OWNER BADGE WORKSHOP (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, January 16, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: VicTreeFi

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

You're invited to join VicTreeFi as you work on your Business Owner Badge. Speak to small business owners and learn the basics of running a business. This workshop completes all of the requirements of the Business Owner Badge (not included) and you will receive a VicTreeFi Money Monster patch in the mail. Open to troops and girls with an adult. To register, contact Chrissy Earl at 865-384-4405 or by emailing christine@victreefi.com by January 15.

ADULTS CAMP FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ORIENTATION (ADULTS)

Date: Wednesday, January 19, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: Adult-only event

Camp fosters lifelong learning, an appreciation for the outdoors, and helps build the next generation of girl leaders we don't want financial need to be a barrier to your Girl Scout attending camp. This optional orientation is open to parents/guardians who are interested in learning more about GSCWM Camp Financial Assistance. We'll review the application process step-by-step, go over timelines, processes and paperwork, and have plenty of time for questions. Join us to learn more about how you can provide an invaluable summer experience for your girl. Open to adults only. Register through GSCWM by January 14.

C-S FOOD SCIENCE-THE GATEWAY TO STEM: THE VALUE OF FOOD PROCESSING (GR 6-10)

Date: Saturday, January 22, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: UMass Amherst
Cost: No charge to attend

Join us in this series of fun food play where we will explore the science of food. This hands-on STEM program will introduce the science of food using concepts on food quality and food manufacturing and their use to improve sustainability, extend shelf-life and reduce waste. You'll be introduced to the big ideas of food science while learning about different employment opportunities in the field. There are four sessions in this fun food series, attend one, two, or attend them all! Each program in the series is unique and complements each other. Each program is a two-hour session that includes a safe to use science kit that provides three hands-on engagement activities. This series includes: The Value of Food Processing, Exploring Biopolymers in Food, Powder Power, and Surface Tension is Around You. These programs were developed by the University of Massachusetts and University of Guelph under the funded support of the USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Women and Minorities in Science Program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register at https:// ag.umass.edu/food-science/events/youth-outreach-funfood-science-stem-event-series by January 19.

S-A GO FOR GOLD ORIENTATION (GR 9-12)

Date: Saturday, January 22, 2022

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Are you ready to make a lasting change on an issue you care about? The Girl Scout Gold Award is the most prestigious award in the world for girls. This orientation is for any girl who wants to earn her award or is interested in learning more about it. Orientations provide valuable information about the award process, deadlines, national requirements, and suggestions about projects. While not required, attending an orientation can be the most beneficial thing you do before beginning to work on the award. Leaders, advisors and parents are encouraged to attend to learn how to best support girls working on their awards. Are YOU ready to take the lead? Open to troops, girls with an adult, individual girls and adults. Register through GSCWM by January 6.

C-A TREFOIL TANK (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, January 29, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Want to gain professional skills and bring your cookie business to the next level? Jump in to the Trefoil Tank! At this virtual conference, you can choose to attend professionalled workshops on resume writing, vision boards and video pitches, portfolio creation, digital marketing, and mission-based SMART goal setting. You will create your own cookie business materials throughout the day, then present your pitch to our panel of business professionals! Open to troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by January 20.

S-A GO FOR GOLD ORIENTATION (GR 9-12)

Date: Saturday, January 29, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult
See previous description.

S YOUR GIRL SCOUT EXPERIENCE AND THE COLLEGE SEARCH: SENIOR WORKSHOP (GR 9-10)

Date: Sunday, January 30, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/no charge to attend

In this workshop for Seniors and parents, you'll learn how your Girl Scout experience can guide your college search and strengthen your college applications. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for, how to prepare strong applications and essays, standardized testing and test-optional admissions, and an overview of the financial aid system. By the end of the event you'll be well-prepared to complete steps 1, 2, and 3 toward the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/7616288076573/WN_ RCVnj8K1RKqbk4zGy7qZBw by January 29.

J BRONZE PATROL (GR 4-5)

Date: Monday, January 31, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Bronze Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Bronze Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by January 20.



JANUARY - FEBRUARY

C SILVER PATROL (GR 6-8)

Date: Monday, January 31, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Silver Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Silver Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by January 20.

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Have questions about the Girl Scout Gold Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Gold Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by January 20.

J DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM-1:30 PM
Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

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J OUTDOOR ART EXPLORER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM-1:30 PM
Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

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B BROWNIE FLING FLYER DESIGN CHALLENGE BADGE (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

For thousands of years, people have been wondering how birds and insects fly. While building your Fling Flyer, you'll learn all about what keeps birds, planes, and people in the air with the National Association of Women in Construction and take home your Mechanical Engineering Fling Flyer Design Challenge Badge! Snowdate will be 2/6/2022. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by January 20.

D DAISY ROLLER COASTER DESIGN CHALLENGE (K-1)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

Roller coasters are machines that move people very fast in surprising directions. It's all about the thrill of speed, turns, climbs, and drops. Some people love to ride on them and others do not, but we can all agree that building one will be fun! Come learn how roller coasters work and understand motion and speed with the National Association of Women in Construction and take home your Mechanical Engineering Roller Coaster Design Challenge Badge! Snowdate will be 2/6/2022. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by January 20.

J FLOWERS (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 11:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

We've partnered with a local lavender farm and yoga studio to teach you about the power of flowers. Spend the evening making bath bombs and learning all about flowers from different towns, with a special focus on lavender. This is a great opportunity for Girl Scouts to work together and learn how flowers can help people. This course pairs nicely with our Stay Fit Badge and learning how to stress less with yoga. You will need to complete step 1 before our Zoom session to share with the group. We will cover steps 1-3 together, and you will have access to on-demand videos to complete steps 4-5 at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-flower-badge/ by February 4.

J JUNIOR CRANE DESIGN CHALLENGE (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

People have used cranes to build very tall buildings and move heavy objects for thousands of years. As the size and shape of the buildings we construct change, so has the crane's design. Learn about simple machines and how they work together, and then build your own heavy-lifting crane with the National Association of Women in Construction and take home your Mechanical Engineering Crane Design Challenge Badge! Snowdate will be 2/6/2022. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by January 20.

B BROWNIE FLING FLYER DESIGN CHALLENGE BADGE (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

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D-A KIDZ PHOTOGRAPHY PATCH (K-12)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-3:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

This popular course teaches you all about lighting and composition. You will earn the Kidz Photography Patch while having fun learning all about photography, doing photo challenges, and exploring. The patch is included in the course and mailed directly to you. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/kidz-photography-course/ by February 4.

B OUTDOOR ART CREATOR (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-3:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Enjoy exploring outside and learning how to become a nature photographer! With just a few tips and tricks, you will have created a masterpiece in no time. Let's not forget, music and dance are art too! Yoga is full of nature and animal poses, let's get our wiggles out as we join in on a fun yoga song. You will complete some of the requirements of the Outdoor Art Creator Badge during this course and have full access to the rest of the requirements when you register to complete the badge at your own pace. Badges are not included in this program but can be purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/brownies-outdoor-art-creator/ by February 4.

B MY BEST SELF (GR 2-3)

Date: Sunday, February 6, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-6:30 PM
Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Your best self is healthy and happy! Join us as we explore yoga to help us stress less. We only get one body, so it's important to take care of it! Learn to pay attention to what your body needs and how to ask for health help if you need it. We'll focus on getting to know your body, eating and playing in a healthy way, finding out how your body works, and knowing what to do if something bugs you. You'll even meet a certified yoga instructor as you complete the requirements for the My Best Self Badge. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/brownies-my-best-self/ by February 5. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and

J STAY FIT (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, February 6, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM-8:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Yoga classes are a wonderful way to increase your coordination, self-awareness, confidence, and self-esteem while stretching and strengthening your bodies. Yoga can help you learn to relax, concentrate, and be gentle in a fun and creative environment. You will earn your Stay Fit Badge while learning beginner yoga poses, ways to stress less, and how to include the whole family in this fun fitness journey. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-stay-fit by February 5.

S-A GO FOR GOLD ORIENTATION (GR 9-12)

Date: Monday, February 7, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

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J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 12, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Playing the Past allows you to dream up a character of a girl or woman who lived in the past. What better place to do that than a 1772 historic house that is restored to the 1830s? You'll learn about life in the 1800s at the Salisbury Mansion and then work on projects that will help you earn the Playing the Past Badge. Handouts covering the requirements and projects leading to the badge are provided. Badges are not included. If your troop cannot make this date, contact us and we can set up an alternate date. Open to troops only. To register email info@worcesterhistory.net or call 508-753-8278 by February 5.

D START YOUR ENGINES! (GR K-1)

Date: Sunday, February 13, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center
Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Girls start your engines! Design, build, and race your very own model car while learning all about the science of friction. Daisy Girl Scouts will complete the steps to their Mechanical Engineering: Model Car Design Challenge Badge in this 2 hour program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by January 27.

J SAIL AWAY (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, February 13, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-4:30 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Build your own boat and paddle to the finish line. Become an engineer for a day, explore how paddle boats work, and design your very own! Junior Girl Scouts will earn their Mechanical Engineering: Paddle Boat Design Challenge Badge in this afternoon program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by January 27.

A YOUR GIRL SCOUT EXPERIENCE AND THE COLLEGE SEARCH: AMBASSADOR WORKSHOP (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, February 13, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services Cost: \$25 per girl/adults no charge

In this workshop for Ambassadors and parents, you'll learn how your Girl Scout experience can guide your college search and strengthen your college applications. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for, how to prepare strong applications and essays, standardized testing and test-optional admissions, and an overview of the financial aid system. By the end of the event you'll be well-prepared to complete steps 1, 2, and 3 toward the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_FGmEEhQITNKWki5dEYWMxA by February 12.

D-J WINTERFEST (GR K-5)

Date: Saturday, February 19, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM Place: Camp Green Eurie

Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

Daisies, Brownies, and Juniors are invited to join us for a day filled with winter fun! We will be breaking out the snowshoes, building snow structures, making art indoors and outdoors, and playing some fun winter games! Please bring a lunch from home and be sure to bundle up! In the event of no snow, we will still have fun at camp, just without the snowshoes. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by February 3.

C-A SIGN LANGUAGE WORKSHOP (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, February 19, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM
Place: SIGNING Basics, LLC

Cost: \$18 per girl/girl-only event

Do you want to learn a new language? Interested in a career using sign language? Come learn some basic American Sign Language at Signing Rocks with SIGNING Basics, LLC. An ASL patch will be mailed to you after the program. Open to individual girls only. Register through GSCWM by February 3.

C COOKIE MARKET RESEARCHER BADGE WORKSHOP (GR 6-8)

Date: Sunday, February 20, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-6:30 PM

Place: VicTreeFi

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

During this live Zoom workshop learn what makes Girl Scout Cookies such a unique product while learning about the Girl Scout Cookie brand history. You'll work together to develop a marketing plan and campaign while completing the requirements of the Cookie Market Researcher Badge. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register online at https://app.victree.com/#/GirlScouts/central-western-massachusetts/GirlScoutsDashboard/Shop/cookie-market-researcher by February 19.

D-J FROSTY SCIENCE (GR K-5)

Date: Monday, February 21, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-2:00 PM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/\$5 per adult

Ice, Ice, Frost Science! Bring a snowstorm to life in a bottle, grow rock candy snowflakes, and complete a winter STEM challenge. This event will take place rain or shine so please check the weather, dress appropriately, and wear closed-toed shoes. Girls should bring a snack and water bottle. A meal cooked over the campfire is included. Adult fee will cover lunch for the accompanying adult. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by January 27.

J-C PROJECT SELF CARE (GR 4-8)

Date: Tuesday, February 22, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Treat yourself to a day of self care! Learn how to fuel your body with healthy foods, explore ways to safely manage stress, and create your own self-care journal. Cadette Girl Scouts will earn their Eating for You Badge in this all-day program. Girls should bring snack and a water bottle. A healthy lunch will be provided. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 1.

C STRIVE FOR SILVER ORIENTATION (GR 6-8)

Date: Tuesday, February 22, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-11:30 AM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Becoming a Silver Award Girl Scout is no easy feat, and this hands-on workshop will certainly get you started on your way! Taking a Strive for Silver Orientation is highly recommended for girls interested in completing their Girl Scout Silver Award prior to starting the project planning stage. At the end of this orientation, you'll know the national steps necessary to complete the Girl Scout Silver Award, understand the pros and cons of an individual vs. team project, understand the difference between Take Action and community service, and the importance of community impact of the project. Troop leaders and parents are strongly encouraged to join us. We will have plenty of opportunities to answer your questions, learn some helpful tips, and find out what it takes to become a Silver Award Girl Scout! All materials are provided. Open to troops, girls with an adult, individual girls and adults. Register through GSCWM by February 10.

S-A VOLUNTEER IN TRAINING-VIT (GR 9-12)

Date: Tuesday, February 22, 2022

Time: 12:00 PM-4:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

Discover your talents in mentoring and leading younger girls while gaining the confidence, knowledge and expertise needed to guide girls, and prepare yourself to hold future leadership positions inside and outside of Girl Scouting. This is ideal for teens who would like to mentor a Girl Scout Daisy, Brownie, Junior or Cadette group outside of the camp experience. You'll leave this VIT program with the tools of the trade to complete earning the pin and leading the way! Open to girls only. Register through GSCWM by February 10.

C STRIVE FOR SILVER ORIENTATION (GR 6-8)

Date: Wednesday, February 23, 2022

Time: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

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B CIRCUIT MASTERS (GR 2-3)

Date: Wednesday, February 23, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center
Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Build a simple machine and program it to work for you! Learn the basics of programming robots and then work with a team to guide your robot through real-world challenges. Program your robot to lift your pencil, draw a shape, or adventure into space - the possibilities are endless. Brownie Girl Scouts will work toward their Programming Robots Badge in this morning program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 2.



J DETECTIVE MYSTERIES (GR 4-5)

Date: Wednesday, February 23, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Do you have what it takes to be a Girl Scout Investigator? Build your team, explore a crime scene, and solve the forensic mystery while earning your Junior Detective Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 2.

C-A FORENSIC INVESTIGATORS (GR 6-12)

Date: Wednesday, February 23, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Do you have what it takes to reveal reality and solve the forensic mystery? Learn the secrets of criminal psychology, conduct forensic experiments, and practice the skill of reading body language. Cadette Girl Scouts will work toward their Special Agent Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 2.

D CYBER ADVENTURES (GR K-1)

Date: Thursday, February 24, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center
Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

The world wide web is waiting! Learn how computers communicate, practice being safe online, and explore the mysteries of the world wide web in this cybersecurity adventure. Daisy Girl Scouts will earn their Cybersecurity 1: Basics Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 3.

B READY, SET, PLAY! (GR 2-3)

Date: Thursday, February 24, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$ 10 per girl/adults no charge

Do you love to play games? Have you ever dreamed of making your own? If so, this program is for you. Complete a scavenger hunt, design your own mystery game, and learn how to be a team player. Brownie Girl Scouts will complete the steps for their Making Games Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 3.

C-A GIRL VS MACHINE (GR 6-12)

Date: Thursday, February 24, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-8:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Design your own robot masterpiece. Investigate the world of robotics, learn how to program a robot, and build a simple machine that will work for you! Cadette Girl Scouts will earn three steps toward their Programming Robots Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 3.

C-A BLIZZARD BOOTCAMP (GR 6-12)

Date: Friday, February 25, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-2:00 PM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/\$5 per adult

Learn how to survive being stranded in the arctic and leave no trace. Learn the principles of Leave No Trace camping, build a shelter to protect yourself from the winter winds, and prepare a meal in the outdoors. Girls will work toward their respective Snow or Climbing Adventure Badges. This event will take place rain or shine, so please check the weather, dress appropriately, and wear close-toed shoes. Girls should bring a snack and water bottle. A meal, cooked over the campfire is included. Adult fee will cover lunch for the accompanying adult. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 3.

J TIME TRAVELER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 26, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

What if you could rewind the past? Where would you travel to? Choose a character, design a costume, and step back in time to the decade of your choice in this time traveling adventure. Junior Girl Scouts will earn their Playing the Past Badge. Girls should bring a snack, lunch, and water bottle to this all-day program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 10.

J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, February 26, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Playing the Past allows you to dream up a character of a girl or woman who lived in the past. What better place to do that than a 1772 historic house that is restored to the 1830s? You'll learn about life in the 1800s at the Salisbury Mansion and then work on projects that will help you earn the Playing the Past Badge. Handouts covering the requirements and projects leading to the badge are provided. Badges are not included. If your troop cannot make this date, contact us and we can set up an alternate date. Open to troops only. To register email info@worcesterhistory.net or call 508-753-8278 by February 19.

C-S FOOD SCIENCE-THE GATEWAY TO STEM: EXPLORING BIOPOLYMERS IN FOOD (GR 6-10)

Date: Saturday, February 26, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: UMass Amherst
Cost: No charge to attend

Join us in this series of fun food play where we will explore the science of food. This hands-on STEM program will introduce the science of food using concepts on food quality and food manufacturing and their use to improve sustainability, extend shelf-life and reduce waste. You'll be introduced to the big ideas of food science while learning about different employment opportunities in the field. There are four sessions in this fun food series, attend one, two, or attend them all! Each program in the series is unique and complements each other. Each program is a two-hour session that includes a safe to use science kit that provides three hands-on engagement activities. This series includes: The Value of Food Processing, Exploring Biopolymers in Food, Powder Power, and Surface Tension is Around You. These programs were developed by the University of Massachusetts and University of Guelph under the funded support of the USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Women and Minorities in Science Program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register at https:// ag.umass.edu/food-science/events/youth-outreach-funfood-science-stem-event-series by February 23.

C-A WINTER WARRIORS (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, February 27, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-3:30 PM Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$8 per gir/adults no charge

Think you can survive a day at camp in the winter? Cadettes, Seniors and Ambassadors will put their outdoor skills to the test in this winter adventure. We will practice Leave No Trace and outdoor survival skills, cook our own lunch over a fire, and have a special winter activity at the end of the day! Be sure to bundle up in winter attire. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by February 17.

J BRONZE PATROL (GR 4-5)

Date: Monday, February 28, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Bronze Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Bronze Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by February 24.



FEBRUARY - MARCH

C SILVER PATROL (GR 6-8)

Date: Monday, February 28, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Silver Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Silver Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by February 24.

C GOLD PATROL (GR 9-12)

Date: Monday, February 28, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-6:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Gold Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Gold Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by February 24.

C LEARN, ACT, CHANGE THE WORLD! JOURNEY SERIES (GR 6-8)

Date: Wednesday, March 2, 2022 - Wednesday April 6,

2022

Time: 6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$60 per girl/adults no charge

Learn, Act, Change The World as you earn your Cadette Breathe Journey! Develop a take action project to fix an air problem in your community, explore the science behind the air we breathe, and investigate how to keep your world breathing safer. In this eight week program, girls will earn their Cadette Breathe Journey and receive their Breathe Journey Award set which includes their Aware, Alert, Affirm Patches. This program runs Wednesdays, March 2-April 6 6:00 PM-8:00 PM. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 17.

C BUDGETING BADGE WORKSHOP (GR 6-8)

Date: Sunday, March 6, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-5:00 PM

Place: VicTreeFi

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

Join us to earn your Cadette Budgeting Badge! Learn about budget elements including income, savings, living expenses, and discretionary money. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register online at https://app.victree.com/#/GirlScouts/central-western-massachusetts/GirlScoutsDashboard/Shop/budgeting-badge-live-workshop-march by March 6.

D-C GIRL SCOUT BIRTHDAY BASH WITH THE WORCESTER RAILERS (GR K-8)

Date: Sunday, March 6, 2022

Time: 11:30 AM-5:00 PM

Place: Worcester DCU Center

Cost: Varies, see description

Girl Scouts is celebrating our 110th Birthday with the Worcester Railers! Join your sister Girl Scouts for the birthday party of a lifetime with lots of hands-on activities, traditions, singing, games, and more! Each Girl Scout will receive a special 110th Birthday Bash patch commemorating this special milestone. You'll also test your slap shot with the Railers' Shoot Out and take a selfie with their mascot Trax. The fun doesn't stop there! Invite your family and friends to join you as you show your Girl Scout pride in the stands and watch the Worcester Railers warm up and take to the ice to take on the Maine Mariners.

All-in tickets: \$25 includes all Birthday Bash program activities, 110th Birthday Bash patch, Worcester Railers special event patch, Worcester Railers hat, food voucher, and a ticket to the game. The program portion of this event is open to troops and girls with adults. The game is open to all.

Friends and Family Tickets: \$18 for friends and family to join us after the program; includes food voucher, Worcester Railers hat, and ticket to the game. Open to troops, girls with an adult, and families. Visit www.railershc.com/girls to purchase tickets before February 11.

S YOUR GIRL SCOUT EXPERIENCE AND THE COLLEGE SEARCH: SENIOR WORKSHOP (GR 9-10)

Date: Sunday, March 6, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/adults no charge

In this workshop for Seniors and parents, you'll learn how your Girl Scout experience can guide your college search and strengthen your college applications. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for, how to prepare strong applications

and essays, standardized testing and test-optional admissions, and an overview of the financial aid system. By the end of the event you'll be well-prepared to complete steps 1, 2, and 3 toward the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_PUxoPBCTQYGL1jtfljzKCA by March 5.

ADULT BRONZE AWARD ORIENTATION (ADULTS)

Date: Thursday, March 10, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: Adult-only event/\$5 per adult

This optional orientation is open to troop leaders and parents who are interested in learning more about the Girl Scout Bronze Award and how to guide their girls to earning it. We'll review the national requirements step-by-step, go over timelines, processes and paperwork, and have plenty of time for questions. Arm yourself with the tools and knowledge you'll need to lead your Juniors to a successful Girl Scout Bronze Award experience. Open to adults only. Register through GSCWM by February 24.

C-A FBI ACADEMY (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, March 12, 2022

Time: 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

Get an inside peek into the inner workings of the FBI and what it takes to keep America safe. Hear about the qualifications and responsibilities of an FBI Agent, learn about cybersecurity, and learn how the FBI's Evidence Response Team investigates a crime scene. This program will help you meet some of the requirements of your level STEM Career Exploration, Cybersecurity, Special Agent, and Truth Seeker Badges (not included). Bring a bagged lunch and water bottle. Open to individual girls only. Register through GSCWM by February 24. Open to individual girls only. Register through GSCWM by February 24.

S-A GO FOR GOLD ORIENTATION (GR 9-12)

Date: Saturday, March 12, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

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C-A HATCHET THROWING (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, March 12, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Learn how to properly throw a hatchet at our new hatchet throwing range at Camp Bonnie Brae. Learn about the hatchet, how to safely and successfully throw it, and see if you can get a bullseye. Come and enjoy this new GSCWM older girl activity. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by February 24.

J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, March 12, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

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B SNACK CHEFS (GR 2-3)

Date: Sunday, March 13, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$7 per girl/adults no charge

Want to learn how to make healthy, nutritious snacks for your family and friends and become a camp chef? Investigate the basics of nutrition, and then put them to the test by cooking orange yogurt muffins and mango guacamole! Please contact Emily at emercier@gscwm.org if your girl has any dietary restrictions of which GSCWM staff should be aware. Brownies will complete two activities to earn the first half of their Snacks badge! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by March 3.

ADULTS CAMP FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ORIENTATION (ADULTS)

Date: Thursday, March 17, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: Adult-only event/adults no charge

Camp fosters lifelong learning, an appreciation for the outdoors, and helps build the next generation of girl leaders we don't want financial need to be a barrier to your Girl Scout attending camp. This optional orientation is open to parents/guardians who are interested in learning more about GSCWM Camp Financial Assistance. We'll review the application process step-by-step, go over timelines, processes and paperwork, and have plenty of time for questions. Join us to learn more about how you can provide an invaluable summer experience for your girl. Open to adults only. Register through GSCWM by March 11.

D-J GIRL SCOUT TREE PROMISE (GR K-5)

Date: Saturday, March 19, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Want to make a difference in your community and earn a fun badge? Join us as we take the Girl Scout Tree Promise and learn how to protect and honor trees through art, games, and more! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

S-A GO FOR GOLD ORIENTATION (GR 9-12)

Date: Saturday, March 19, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

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D-B NIGHT JOURNEY: GIRLS NIGHT OUT (GR K-3)

Date: Sat-Sun, March 19-20, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-9:15 AM

Place: EcoTarium

Cost: \$60 per girl/\$60 per adult

Wave your wand and learn the science of levitation as a wizard in training. Zoom through the solar system to visit distant plants, then design, build, and deploy a Mars lander. Follow the clues, analyze the evidence, and solve the mystery. Your troop will get to enjoy one of the three themes for a night of hands-on thematic programming and exploration at the EcoTarium during your overnight stay. Leaders are welcome to share their theme preferences with us before their final payment is due, however, themes cannot be guaranteed. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Visit www.ecotarium.org for more information and to register by March 4.

C-A GIRL SCOUT TREE CONSERVATION (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, March 19, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Want to learn about tree conservation and earn a fun badge? Join us as we take the Girl Scout Tree Promise and learn how to protect and honor trees. We will expand our tree vocabulary and even make our own tree terrariums! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

D-J GIRL SCOUT TREE PROMISE (GR K-5)

Date: Sunday, March 20, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Want to make a difference in your community and earn a fun badge? Join us as we take the Girl Scout Tree Promise and learn how to protect and honor trees through art, games, and more! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

C-A GIRL SCOUT TREE CONSERVATION (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, March 20, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

WWant to learn about tree conservation and earn a fun badge? Join us as we take the Girl Scout Tree Promise and learn how to protect and honor trees. We will expand our tree vocabulary and even make our own tree terrariums! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

J BRONZE AWARD WORKSHOP (GR 4-5)

Date: Tuesday, March 22, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Imagine what YOU can accomplish when you team up with others and use your special skills and interests to make a difference in the world! The Girl Scout Bronze Award adventure is big-it's the highest honor a Junior Girl Scout can achieve. We're here to help you learn all about the steps, some tips and tricks, and even get you started on your way. Taking this workshop is not mandatory but it is a great way to take that first step and arm yourself with all you need to know! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

J BRONZE AWARD WORKSHOP (GR 4-5)

Date: Wednesday, March 23, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Imagine what YOU can accomplish when you team up with others and use your special skills and interests to make a difference in the world! The Girl Scout Bronze Award adventure is big-it's the highest honor a Junior Girl Scout can achieve. We're here to help you learn all about the steps, some tips and tricks, and even get you started on your way. Taking this workshop is not mandatory but it is a great way to take that first step and arm yourself with all you need to know! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

D-A VIRTUAL CAMP OPEN HOUSE (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, March 24, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp virtually with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and make a camp craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 20.

J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Playing the Past allows you to dream up a character of a girl or woman who lived in the past. What better place to do that than a 1772 historic house that is restored to the 1830s? You'll learn about life in the 1800s at the Salisbury Mansion and then work on projects that will help you earn the Playing the Past Badge. Handouts covering the requirements and projects leading to the badge are provided. Badges are not included. If your troop cannot make this date, contact us and we can set up an alternate date. Open to troops only. To register email info@worcesterhistory.net or call

508-753-8278 by March 19.

B MY BEST SELF (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM-1:30 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Your best self is healthy and happy! Join us as we explore yoga to help us stress less. We only get one body, so it's important to take care of it! Learn to pay attention to what your body needs and how to ask for health help if you need it. We'll focus on getting to know your body, eating and playing in a healthy way, finding out how your body works, and knowing what to do if something bugs you. You'll even meet a certified yoga instructor as you complete the requirements for the My Best Self Badge. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/brownies-my-best-self/by March 25.

C-S FOOD SCIENCE-THE GATEWAY TO STEM: FUN WITH FOOD FUNCTION (GR 6-10)

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: UMass Amherst

Cost: No charge to attend

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Join us in this series of fun food play where we will explore the science of food. This hands-on STEM program

explore the science of food. This hands-on STEM program will introduce the science of food using concepts on food quality and food manufacturing and their use to improve sustainability, extend shelf-life and reduce waste. You'll be introduced to the big ideas of food science while learning about different employment opportunities in the field. There are four sessions in this fun food series, attend one, two, or attend them all! Each program in the series is unique and complements each other. Each program is a two-hour session that includes a safe to use science kit that provides three hands-on engagement activities. This series includes: The Value of Food Processing, Exploring Biopolymers in Food, Powder Power, and Surface Tension is Around You. These programs were developed by the University of Massachusetts and University of Guelph under the funded support of the USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Women and Minorities in Science Program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register at https:// ag.umass.edu/food-science/events/youth-outreach-funfood-science-stem-event-series by March 23.

J STAY FIT (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2022

Time: 11:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Yoga classes are a wonderful way to increase your coordination, self-awareness, confidence, and self-esteem while stretching and strengthening your bodies. Yoga can help you learn to relax, concentrate, and be gentle in a fun and creative environment. You will earn your Stay Fit Badge while learning beginner yoga poses, ways to stress less, and how to include the whole family in this fun fitness journey. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-stay-fit by March 25.

C-A BULLET JOURNAL (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$9 per girl/adults no charge

Join us to learn about bullet journaling-- a new, productive, and creative skill used to organize tasks and events. Have fun and personalize your very own journal! Journals will be provided. Open to a troop with a maximum of eight girls and two adults. Register through GSCWM by March 17.

D DREAM TEAMS (GR K-1)

Date: Sunday, March 27, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$5 per girl/adults no charge

Get ready to do some hands-on team building activities. Challenge yourself with a variety of exercises, such as the human knot, a relay race, and more! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by March 17.

D-C AVIATION ADVENTURES WORKSHOPS (GR 2-8)

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Place: New England Air Museum
Cost: \$30 per girl/\$16 per adult

Enjoy a fun-filled day of learning about the science of flight as well as pioneering women in aviation through the museum's collection of historic aircraft, flight simulators, and hands-on activities. A museum patch is included. Open to Troops and girls with an adult. Call 860-623-3305 ext. 313 or email agparks@neam.org to register by March 18.

C-A HATCHET THROWING (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, March 27, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Learn how to properly throw a hatchet at our new hatchet throwing range at Camp Bonnie Brae. Learn about the hatchet, how to safely and successfully throw it, and see if you can get a bullseye. Come and enjoy this new GSCWM older girl activity. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 10.

J FLOWERS (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, March 27, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

We've partnered with a local lavender farm and yoga studio to teach you about the power of flowers. Spend the evening making bath bombs and learning all about flowers from different towns, with a special focus on lavender. This is a great opportunity for Girl Scouts to work together and learn how flowers can help people. This course pairs nicely with our Stay Fit Badge and learning how to stress less with yoga. You will need to complete step 1 before our Zoom session to share with the group. We will cover steps 1-3 together, and you will have access to on-demand videos to complete steps 4-5 at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-flower-badge/by March 26.

J DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHER (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, March 27, 2022

Time: 7:30 PM-8:30 PM
Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Every Girl Scout deserves to explore their creativity and learn a new skill to capture a lifetime of memories. Vine Images, INC has created a fun, engaging, kid-friendly photography course to help you earn the Digital Photographer Badge that gives you a great foundation to build upon. The Zoom class will complete some of the requirements of your badge, and you will have full access to complete the remainder of the requirements at your own pace. You'll explore outside and find the perfect light by completing photo challenges to complete this badge. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/girl-scouts-digital-photography-badge/ by March 26.



J OUTDOOR ART EXPLORER (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, March 27, 2022

Time: 7:30 PM-8:30 PM
Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

From murals on buildings to oil paintings of landscapes, art and the outdoors go hand in hand. Let nature be your inspiration as you explore, create, and design different kinds of art. You will complete some of the requirements of the Outdoor Art Explorer Badge during this course and have full access to the rest of the requirements when you register to complete the badge at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-outdoor-art-explorer/ by March 26.

A PHOTOGRAPHER BADGE (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, March 27, 2022

Time: 7:30 PM-8:30 PM
Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Photos show others how you see the world! When you earn the Photographer Badge, you will learn about the technology behind the cameras and hone your skills, presenting the world in your own unique way. This course focuses on portrait photography, light, composition, motion, and much, much more. The Zoom class will complete some of the requirements of your badge, and you will have full access to complete the remainder of the requirements at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/ambassador-photographer-badge/by March 26.

J BRONZE PATROL (GR 4-5)

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Bronze Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Bronze Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by March 17.

C SILVER PATROL (GR 6-8)

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Silver Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Silver Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by March 17.

C GOLD PATROL (GR 9-12)

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-6:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Gold Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Gold Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by March 17.

C-A CYBER GEEKS (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, April 2, 2022

Time: 9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Baypath University

Cost: \$25 per girl/\$15 per adult

Welcome to the fast paced world of Cybersecurity! Have you ever thought to yourself "I could crack that code!" Do you have what it takes to hack a password or design a security system? Join us at BayPath University to discover your Cyber potential and learn how to protect yourself and others from cyber threats while earning two Cybersecurity badges. At Cyber Geeks you'll have access to:

*Interactive workshops

*Hands on Collaboration

*Meet experts in the field of Cybersecurity

*Lunch in a college dining hall

*Earn your Cybersecurity 1: Basics Badge and Cybersecurity 2: Safeguards Badge

*Free one of a kind Cyber Geeks T-Shirt!

This is a girl-only event. We are looking for adults to volunteer with us for the day! If you would like to be a part of this great event, please contact Jessica Gonzalez at jgonzalez@gscwm.org. Volunteers are needed to assist in workshops, direct girls, be hall monitors and various other opportunities. All volunteers must be a registered member

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of Girl Scouts and have an active CORI on file with GSCWM.

One troop leader from each troop is invited to join us for a track of STEM workshops designed exclusively for you. Learn how to facilitate STEM activities, prepare your girls to earn their Cybersecurity 3: Investigator badge, and gain invaluable access to Cybersecurity/STEM resources to bring to your troop. Open to troops and individual girls only. Register through GSCWM by March 17.

D-A ADVENTURES AT CAMP (GR K-12)

Date: Sunday, April 3, 2022 Time: 1:00 PM-4:00 PM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$10 per girl/\$5 per adult

You and your favorite guy are invited to join us for an afternoon full of camp adventures. Explore the hiking trails while searching for hidden treasures, complete fun challenges, and build a roaring campfire! Open to girls attending with a father, grandfather or any other special guy (over age 21) in their life. Register through GSCWM by March 18.

J BUSINESS JUMPSTART BADGE WORKSHOP (GR 4-5)

Date: Thursday, April 7, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: VicTreeFi

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

Join us to earn your Junior Business Jumpstart Badge! We'll meet the requirements of the badge as you share a prototype that solves a problem, obtain feedback, revise the prototype, and create a final pitch to the group. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register online at https://app.victree.com/#/GirlScouts/central-western-massachusetts/GirlScoutsDashboard/Shop/business-jumpstart-badge-liveworkshop by April 6.

A CHALLENGE COURSE ASSISTANT TRAINING (GR 11-12)

Date: Saturday, April 9, 2022

Time: 9:00 AM-4:00 PM Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

IMPORTANT NOTE: This course is required for anyone who wants to facilitate challenge courses in GSCWM after July 1, 2021. This training is good for three years. New this year Ambassador Girl Scouts are able to take this training

to become Challenge Course Assistants and support groups on challenge courses under the guidance of a 18+ trained Challenge Course Facilitator Open to individual girls only. Register through GSCWM by March 18.

ADULTS CHALLENGE COURSE FACILITATOR TRAINING (ADULTS)

Date: Saturday, April 9, 2022

Time: 9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: Adult-only event/\$15 per adult

IMPORTANT NOTE: This course is required for anyone who wants to facilitate challenge courses in GSCWM after July 1, 2020. If you were trained prior to July 1, 2020, you must retrain under these new guidelines. This training is good for three years. New this year, Ambassador Girl Scouts are able to take this training to become Challenge Course Assistants and support groups on challenge courses under the guidance of a 18+ trained Challenge Course Facilitator. Open to adults only. Register through GSCWM by March 18.

J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, April 9, 2022 Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Playing the Past allows you to dream up a character of a girl or woman who lived in the past. What better place to do that than a 1772 historic house that is restored to the 1830s? You'll learn about life in the 1800s at the Salisbury Mansion and then work on projects that will help you earn the Playing the Past Badge. Handouts covering the requirements and projects leading to the badge are provided. Badges are not included. If your troop cannot make this date, contact us and we can set up an alternate date. Open to troops only. To register email info@worcesterhistory.net or call 508-753-8278 by April 2.

D-A VIRTUAL CAMP OPEN HOUSE (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, April 14, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp virtually with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and make a camp craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! Register through GSCWM by April 9. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 9.

D-A FUN WITH STEM GIRL SCOUT SLEEPOVER (K-12)

Date: Thurs-Fri, April 14-15, 2022

Time: 8:00 PM-7:00 AM
Place: Interskate 91 South

Cost: \$22 per girl/\$11 per adult

Join us for a STEM themed overnight sleepover! Our fun night will include several STEM activity stations designed by a certified teacher, skating and rentals, 10 game tokens, unlimited indoor playground, parent-approved movie at 11:00 PM, and evening and morning snacks and drinks. Bring your sleeping bag, pillow, or even an air mattress and come spend the night at Interskate 91! Overnight Sleepover and STEM patches included. Register early, we have limited space! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Contact Amanda at 413-543-3991, ext. 109 or amanda@interskate91. com by April 7.

D-B MY BEST SELF (GR K-3)

Date: Saturday, April 16, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Lewis Perkins

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Put your best self first! Learn how to take good care of your body, fuel your body with a healthy snack, and meet a health helper! Daisy Girl Scouts will earn a healthy living fun patch and Brownie Girl Scouts will earn their My Best Self Badge in this all-day outdoor program. This event will take place rain or shine so please check the weather, dress appropriately, and wear closed-toed shoes. Girls should bring snack, lunch, and a water bottle. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by March 31.

J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, April 16, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Playing the Past allows you to dream up a character of a girl or woman who lived in the past. What better place to do that than a 1772 historic house that is restored to the 1830s? You'll learn about life in the 1800s at the Salisbury Mansion and then work on projects that will help you earn the Playing the Past Badge. Handouts covering the requirements and projects leading to the badge are provided. Badges are not included. If your troop cannot make this date, contact us and we can set up an alternate date. Open to troops only. To register email info@worcesterhistory.net or call 508-753-8278 by April 9.

J PLANT THE RAINBOW (GR 4-5)

Date: Monday, April 18, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Grab those gardening gloves and join us! Explore garden design, learn how to choose the right vegetable plants for your garden, and plant your very own tiny garden. Junior Girl Scouts will earn two steps toward their Gardener Badge in this program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D ENCHANTED FOREST (GR K-1)

Date: Monday, April 18, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Take an enchanted hike and explore the realm of camp. Design your own flower crown, build a fairy house with items found in nature, and help preserve the magic of camp. Girls should bring a snack, a water bottle, and wear closed-toed shoes. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D-A SUNDOWNS, S'MORES, AND SING-ALONGS (GR K-12)

Date: Monday, April 18, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Spend an evening with your family or troop at camp. You will enjoy exploring camp, glowing campfire magic, and singing favorite camp songs (or learning new ones). Get a camp songbook, s'mores and great memories. Open to troops, families, and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

J FLOWER POWER (GR 4-5)

Date: Monday, April 18, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Find out how flowers live and plant your own flowers to tend. We will also learn other uses of flowers, such as food and aromatherapy! You will complete the first three activities of your Flowers badge! Open to a troop with a maximum of nine girls and two adults. Register through GSCWM by April 7

J-C FIELD DAY FUN (GR 4-8)

Date: Tuesday, April 19, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Create your own field day full of fun activities! Junior and Cadette girls are invited to Camp Bonnie Brae to create field day teams. From there, the possibilities are endless—you will plan and complete a historical sporting event, a science challenge, a fictional game come to life, and your very own pentathlon! Wear comfortable clothes, and bring a lunch and lots of water! Cadettes will earn their Field Day badge at this all-day program. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D CYBER EXPLORERS (GR K-1)

Date: Tuesday, April 19, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge Calling all cyber explorers! Learn how computers communicate, practice being safe online, and explore the world of computers in this cybersecurity adventure. Daisy Girl Scouts will earn their Cybersecurity 1: Basics Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

B DIGITAL GENIUS (GR 2-3)

Date: Tuesday, April 19, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Explore the world of computer science. Write your own computer program, design a unique code, and learn about women in computer science! Brownie Girl Scouts will earn three steps toward their Coding for Good 1: Basics Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

J GSI: GIRL SCOUT INVESTIGATORS (GR 4-5)

Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-12:30 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Break out your badge and gloves, it's time to investigate! Join the Girl Scout Investigators team to solve the forensic mystery and earn your Junior Detective Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C-A SPECIAL AGENTS IN TRAINING (GR 6-12)

Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-4:30 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Special agents needed for a forensic investigation! Learn the art of body language reading, conduct forensic experiments, and explore the world of criminal psychology. Cadette Girl Scouts will work toward their Special Agent Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D-A SUNDOWNS, S'MORES, AND SING-ALONGS (GR K-12)

Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Spend an evening with your family or troop at camp. You will enjoy exploring camp, glowing campfire magic, and singing favorite camp songs (or learning new ones). Get a camp songbook, s'mores and great memories. Open to troops, families, and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C PROGRAM AIDE CORE TRAINING (GR 6-8)

Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

Learn valuable skills about being a mentor and sharing your skills, passions and experience with younger Girl Scouts! Program Aides have the unique opportunity to serve as champions for the Girl Scout Leadership Experience. Core PA Training involves learning to work with children and adapting activities for different needs and situations. You will be putting your new skills to the test with some handson activities that will prepare you for real-life situations working with younger girls in troops, day camp, council and service unit events. You will leave this training with plenty of tips and tricks in your bag to get you started on your journey to completing the PA Award by working with youngers girls. Additional award requirements: Following the core training, you must complete at least six activities with younger Girl Scouts. No worries-you'll be ready to go! Open to girls only. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C-A VEG OUT (GR 6-12)

Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

Explore the pros and cons of a plant-based diet and put your taste buds to the test. You will make your first plant-based recipes—plant-based chili and coconut oil no-bake cookies! Please reach out to Emily at emercier@gscwm.org if you have any dietary restrictions of which GSCWM staff should be aware. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C STRIVE FOR SILVER ORIENTATION (GR 6-8)

Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Becoming a Silver Award Girl Scout is no easy feat, and this hands-on workshop will certainly get you started on your way! Taking a Strive for Silver Orientation is highly recommended for girls interested in completing their Girl Scout Silver Award prior to starting the project planning stage. At the end of this orientation, you'll know the national steps necessary to complete the Girl Scout Silver Award, understand the pros and cons of an individual vs. team project, understand the difference between Take Action and community service, and the importance of community impact of the project. Troop leaders and parents are strongly encouraged to join us. We will have plenty of opportunities to answer your questions, learn some helpful tips, and find out what it takes to become a Silver Award Girl Scout! All materials are provided. Open to troops, girls with an adult, individual girls and adults. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

B PLANT POWER! (GR 2-3)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Find out how plants live, how they benefit the environment, and learn to take care of your very own plant! Be sure to wear comfortable clothes that can get dirty! Open to a troop with a maximum of 11 girls and two adults. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D SEW COOL! (GR K-1)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$5 per girl/adults no charge

You will learn the basics of a new craft skill! We will learn and practice the basics of sewing, including threading a needle, choosing fabric, and doing a basic stitch! Open to a troop with a maximum of 11 girls and two adults. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C PROGRAM AIDE CORE TRAINING (GR 6-8)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center
Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

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C STRIVE FOR SILVER ORIENTATION (GR 6-8)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022

Time: 4:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

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B I SPY A MYSTERY (GR 2-3)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Lewis Perkins

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Trust your senses and explore the world around you! Can you spy the camp mystery? Discover the science of sense and put your taste buds to the test in this challenge of your senses. Brownie Girl Scouts will work toward their Senses Badge in this morning program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C THE HAPPINESS PROJECT (GR 6-8)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Place: Camp Lewis Perkins

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Learn how to view happiness as a journey, practice self-care, and perform a happiness experiment. Girls will explore the science behind happiness and learn to identify the ways in which our brains detect and react to happiness. Cadette Girl Scouts will work toward their Science of Happiness Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

B STAR CHASERS (GR 2-3)

Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-8:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Design your own constellation and explore the night sky! If you dream of being an astronaut, or even just like admiring the stars, then this program is for you. Brownie Girl Scouts will work on their Space Science Adventurer Badge in this early evening program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D INNOVATIVE INVENTORS (GR K-1)

Date: Friday, April 22, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Are you the next famous toy maker? Have you always wanted to be an inventor? Let your imagination run wild, design a brand new toy, and wow the judges with your creative invention! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

B GIZMOS & GADGETS (GR 2-3)

Date: Friday, April 22, 2022 Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Learn how to program a robot to create one-of-a-kind art! Explore the science of programming robots, build your robot, and watch it draw for you. Brownie Girl Scouts will complete three steps toward their Programming Robots Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D-B OUTDOOR CREATIONS (GR K-3)

Date: Friday, April 22, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$5 per girl/adults no charge

Investigate the sights, sounds, smells, sensations and tastes of nature! You will make a series of art projects by using your senses to explore nature. A snack will be provided, but bring a lunch and plenty of water! Daisies will earn their Outdoor Art Maker badge, and Brownies will earn their Outdoor Art Creator badge. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C-S FOOD SCIENCE-THE GATEWAY TO STEM: POWDER POWER! (GR 6-10)

Date: Saturday, April 23, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: UMass Amherst
Cost: No charge to attend

Join us in this series of fun food play where we will explore the science of food. This hands-on STEM program will introduce the science of food using concepts on food quality and food manufacturing and their use to improve sustainability, extend shelf-life and reduce waste. You'll be introduced to the big ideas of food science while learning about different employment opportunities in the field. There are four sessions in this fun food series, attend one, two, or attend them all! Each program in the series is unique and complements each other. Each program is a two-hour session that includes a safe to use science kit that provides three hands-on engagement activities. This series includes: The Value of Food Processing, Exploring Biopolymers in Food, Powder Power, and Surface Tension is Around You. These programs were developed by the University of Massachusetts and University of Guelph under the

funded support of the USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Women and Minorities in Science Program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register at https://ag.umass.edu/food-science/events/youth-outreach-funfood-science-stem-event-series by April 20.

C-A LEAD THE WAY (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, April 23, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-12:30 PM Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

Calling all future leaders - put your leadership skills to the test as you work together to navigate the challenge course and cheer on your team. Cadette Girl Scouts will earn their Good Sportsmanship Badge in this outdoor program. Girls should wear closed-toed sneakers, and bring a water bottle and a snack to enjoy during the program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C-A LEAD THE WAY (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, April 23, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-5:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$12 per girl/adults no charge

See previous description.

D-A CAMP OPEN HOUSE CGE (GR K-12)

Date: Saturday, April 23, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores, and make a camp craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org Open to troops and girls with an adult.

B-J NIGHT JOURNEY: GIRLS NIGHT OUT (GR 2-5)

Date: Sat-Sun, April 23-24. 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-9:15 AM

Place: EcoTarium

Cost: \$60 per girl/\$60 per adult

Wave your wand and learn the science of levitation as a wizard in training. Zoom through the solar system to visit distant plants, then design, build, and deploy a Mars lander. Follow the clues, analyze the evidence, and solve the mystery. Your troop will get to enjoy one of the three themes for a night of hands-on thematic programming and exploration at the EcoTarium during your overnight stay. Leaders are welcome to share their theme preferences with us before their final payment is due, however, themes cannot be guaranteed. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Visit www.ecotarium.org for more information and to register by April 8.

B ARCHERY 102 (GR 2-3)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Brownie Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Brownie-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 101 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

J ARCHERY 202 (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022 Time: 12:30 PM-2:30 PM Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Junior Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Junior-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 201 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

C-A ARCHERY 302 (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022
Time: 3:00 PM-5:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Cadette, Seniors, and Ambassadors Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this older girl-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 301 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 7.

D-A CAMP OPEN HOUSE CLW (GR K-12)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022 Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Camp Laurel Wood
Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org Open to troops and girls with an adult. Open to troops and girls with an adult.

B ARCHERY 101 (GR 2-3)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Brownies, come learn the basics of archery. Learn perfect stance and form to successfully shoot your first arrow. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

J ARCHERY 201 (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022
Time: 12:30 PM-2:30 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Juniors, come learn all the basics to successfully shoot your arrows, including the parts of a bow and arrow and the shooting cycle! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

A YOUR GIRL SCOUT EXPERIENCE AND

THE COLLEGE SEARCH: AMBASSADOR WORKSHOP (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, April 24, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/no charge to attend

In this workshop for Ambassadors and parents, you'll learn how your Girl Scout experience can guide your college search

and strengthen your college applications. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for, how to prepare strong applications and essays, standardized testing and test-optional admissions, and an overview of the financial aid system. By the end of the event you'll be well-prepared to complete steps 1, 2, and 3 toward the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_GgUX_v0WQ5q_WCbCe6drxA by April 23.

J-A GSCWM INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND ICE CREAM SUNDAE EXPO (GR 4-12)

Date: Thursday, April 28, 2022

Time: 6:30 PM-7:30 PM
Place: Virtual Event

Cost: \$3 per girl/\$3 per adult

Come learn about GSCWM's International Trips and enjoy creating your own sweet treat. Learn first-hand the impact of exploring world cultures, food, and iconic sites. Explore how to prepare for trips to destinations like Peru in 2023 and London, Paris, Barcelona in 2024. Hear about costs and money-earning options. Want to travel with your mom, troop or by yourself? See all your options. End your night by exploring the fun of trying new foods through our ice cream sundae station. Open to troops, families, and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

J BRONZE PATROL (GR 4-5)

Date: Friday, April 29, 2022 Time: 5:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Bronze Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Bronze Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

C SILVER PATROL (GR 6-8)

Date: Friday, April 29, 2022 Time: 5:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Silver Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Silver Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

C GOLD PATROL (GR 9-12)

Date: Friday, April 29, 2022 Time: 6:00 PM-6:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Gold Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Gold Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

B ARCHERY 102 (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Join us to keep working on your archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming, and make art on the target. Enjoy this Brownie-only, fun-filled archery session! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

J ARCHERY 202 (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM-2:30 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Join us to keep working on your archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Junior-only, fun-filled archery session! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

C-A ARCHERY 102 (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2022

Time: 3:00 PM-5:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Join us to keep working on your archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this older girl-only, fun-filled archery session! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

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B ARCHERY 202 (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Brownie Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Brownie-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 101 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

J ARCHERY 202 (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM-2:30 PM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Junior Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Junior-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 201 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

C-A ARCHERY 302 (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2022

Time: 3:00 PM-5:00 PM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Cadette, Seniors, and Ambassadors Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this older girl-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 301 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

C-A CARE 4 CAMP WEEKEND (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, April 30th, 2022-Sunday, May 1,

2022

Time: 10:00 AM-10:00 AM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$10 per girl/\$10 per adult

Calling all CSA Troops, CBB Alumni and community friends who love Camp Bonnie Brae. Spend the day Saturday helping to do projects to improve camp. From fixing buildings to putting up tents to making new program areas. We'll show our love for camp through helping her shine. Then that night you are welcome to stay for evening activities or even sleepover in a tent, yurt, cabin or tree house and have a light breakfast on us. Food on Saturday will be your responsibility but snacks and fun are on us! Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

D-B GAME ON! (GR K-3)

Date: Sunday, May 1, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$5 per girl/adults no charge

Join us for a fun-filled day of games! Design and test your very own outdoor games and board games. Be sure to bring a lunch and lots of water. Make sure to wear sunscreen and comfortable clothes, since we will be spending most of the day outside! Daisies will complete their Board Game Design Challenge badge, and Brownies will complete their Making Games badge. Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 22.

C-A TRAILBLAZERS TRAIL MAP (GR 6-12)

Date: Tuesday, May 3, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Can't get enough of the outdoors? Want to practice and hone your survival skills? Look no further than GSCWM's Trailblazers, a girl-led group meeting monthly to practice outdoor skills related to hiking, camping, backpacking, and more! Join us on Zoom for a presentation about the group's structure and activities, as well as a Q&A session. Registration for Trailblazers will open in Fall 2022. Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

J-A GSCWM INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND ICE CREAM SUNDAE EXPO (GR 4-12)

Date: Thursday, May 5, 2022

Time: 6:30 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Virtual Event

Cost: \$3 per girl/\$3 per adult

Come learn about GSCWM's International Trips and enjoy creating your own sweet treat. Learn first-hand the impact of exploring world cultures, food, and iconic sites. Explore how to prepare for trips to destinations like Peru in 2023 and London, Paris, Barcelona in 2024. Hear about costs and

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money-earning options. Want to travel with your mom, troop or by yourself? See all your options. End your night by exploring the fun of trying new foods through our ice cream sundae station. Open to troops, families, and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 14.

B EDIBLE STEM (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, May 7, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Complete an edible science challenge! Make your own fizzy sherbet, watch lemonade fizzle, and build a candy DNA model as we explore the world of at-home science. Please note that every effort will be made to provide allergy-friendly food, however adults are asked to please notify Alysha Stevens at astevens@gscwm.org if there are any allergies in your group. Join your fellow Brownie Girl Scouts as you work toward your Home Scientist Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

D-B CAMP FIELD DAY (GR K-3)

Date: Saturday, May 7, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

On your mark, get set, go! Design a team flag, search for hidden treasure, and go for gold in a series of olympic games in our first ever camp field day. Daisies will recieve a Fun Patch and Brownie Girl Scouts will earn their Fair Play Badge in this all-day outdoor program. Girls should bring snack, lunch, and a water bottle. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

C-A DEMOCRACY RULES (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, May 7, 2022
Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center Cost: \$5 per girl/adults no charge

At Democracy Rules, you will learn how to use your voice in government. You will learn from an expert on local government, and explore local elections and hot-button issues! These activities will complete the first three activities of the Democracy Badge for Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors. Open to a troop with a maximum of eight girls and two adults. Register through GSCWM by April 28.

B ARCHERY 102 (GR 2-3)

Date: Sunday, May 8, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Brownie Girl Scouts will continue to work on their archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Brownie-only, fun-filled archery session. Archery 101 is not required to participate in the program however, it is encouraged. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

S-A GO FOR GOLD ORIENTATION (GR 9-12)

Date: Monday, May 9, 2022
Time: 5:30 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Are you ready to make a lasting change on an issue you care about? The Girl Scout Gold Award is the most prestigious award in the world for girls. This orientation is for any girl who wants to earn her award or is interested in learning more about it. Orientations provide valuable information about the award process, deadlines, national requirements, and suggestions about projects. While not required, attending an orientation can be the most beneficial thing you do before beginning to work on the award. Leaders, advisors and parents are encouraged to attend to learn how to best support girls working on their awards. Are YOU ready to take the lead? Open to troops, girls with an adult, individual girls and adults. Register through GSCWM by April 21.

J SKY GAZERS (GR 4-5)

Date: Friday, May 13, 2022
Time: 6:00 PM-9:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Discover worlds beyond Earth and learn how you can become a citizen scientist. Explore the world of NASA, build your own solar system, and share your celestial findings. Junior Girl Scouts will earn three steps toward their Space Science Investigator Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 28.

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B-J MT. GREYLOCK TRAIL EXPLORERS (GR 2-5)

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:30 PM

Place: Mt. Greylock

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Pack your bag and prepare for an outdoor adventure! Hike the magical Mt. Greylock trail and learn how to make traces of your adventure dissapear. Brownie Girl Scouts will complete two steps toward their Hiker Badge and Junior Girl Scouts will earn two steps toward their Trail Adventure Badge. This event will happen rain or shine so please check the weather, dress appropriately, and wear closed-toed shoes. Girls should bring a snack and water bottle. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 28.

B-J MT. GREYLOCK TRAIL EXPLORERS (GR 2-5)

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2022

Time: 2:00 PM-4:30 PM

Place: Mt. Greylock

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

See previous description.

J PLAYING THE PAST JUNIOR BADGE BUILDER (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2022 Time: 9:30 AM-12:00 PM

Place: Salisbury Mansion

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Playing the Past allows you to dream up a character of a girl or woman who lived in the past. What better place to do that than a 1772 historic house that is restored to the 1830s? You'll learn about life in the 1800s at the Salisbury Mansion and then work on projects that will help you earn the Playing the Past Badge. Handouts covering the requirements and projects leading to the badge are provided. Badges are not included. If your troop cannot make this date, contact us and we can set up an alternate date. Open to troops only. To register email info@worcesterhistory.net or call 508-753-8278 by May 7.



D-A CAMP OPEN HOUSE CBB (GR K-12)

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae
Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org Open to troops and girls with an adult. Open to troops and girls with an adult.

C-A CAMP CHEFS (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$18 per girl/adults no charge

Want to learn how to cook in a kitchen or over a fire? At this event, you can do both and become a true camp chef! We will cook fire pit nachos, homemade pasta, and cupcakes! No need to bring a lunch, but bring some water and be prepared to wear clothes that can get messy! Please reach out to Emily (emercier@gscwm.org) if you have any dietary restrictions that GSCWM staff needs to know! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

J-C NIGHT JOURNEY: GIRLS NIGHT OUT (GR 4-8)

Date: Sat-Sun, May14-15. 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-9:15 AM

Place: EcoTarium

Cost: \$60 per girl/\$60 per adult

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C STAYING FIT WITH AERIAL YOGA (GR 6-8)

Date: Sunday, May 15, 2022
Time: 2:00 PM-3:30 PM
Place: Earth & Aerial Yoga

Cost: \$35 per girl/\$35 per adult

Fly high! Stretch, strengthen, relax, and have fun in our aerial silks! Stretch, strengthen, relax, and have fun in our aerial silks! Participate in a 45- minute, guided aerial yoga class characterized by mindful movement while building self-awareness, strength, and mobility while reducing stress and tension. We'll follow this up with a healthyliving discussion and meditation practice. Open to troops only. Register at https://bit.ly/eaygirlscouts by May 14.

J-C YOGA AND

MINDFULNESS RETREAT (GR 4-8)

Date: Sunday, May 15, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$8 per girl/adults no charge

Want to learn about fun and creative ways to cope with stress? This all day retreat is all about mindfulness! Girls will learn how mindfulness can alleviate stress, and practice mindfulness through crafts, art, and movement, including mandalas, yoga, and journaling! Bring a mat or towel, water, and a lunch, and be sure to wear comfortable clothing! Open to a troop with a maximum of nine girls and two adults. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

D MY PLACE IN THIS WORLD (GR K-1)

Date: Sunday, May 15, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Find your place in this world and explore your neighborhood! Learn about what makes your community special, complete a unique Massachusetts craft, and practice being a good neighbor. Daisy Girl Scouts will complete the steps for their Good Neighbor Badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 28.

C-A TINKER & TOOLS (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, May 15, 2022 Time: 1:30 PM-5:30 PM Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Learn how to use power tools, draw up a blueprint for your design, and build a woodworking project! Cadette Girl Scouts will complete three steps toward their Woodworker Badge. Girls should bring a snack and water bottle to this afternoon program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by April 28.

C-A DESSERTS AND DESTINATIONS HLC (GR 6-12)

Date: Tuesday, May 17, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center Cost: \$3 per girl/\$3 per adult

Are you ready for the next level of your Girl Scout experience? Have you ever wanted to try out white water rafting in Colorado? What about exploring echo diversity in Hawaii or new languages in Spain? Come learn all about Girl Scout Destinations-from trips throughout the USA to all over the world. Girls will learn how they can explore their own interests through unique travel opportunities while enjoying desserts. Get help with the application process and be ready to take the adventure of a lifetime. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by May 12.

C STRIVE FOR SILVER ORIENTATION (GR 6-8)

Date: Tuesday, May 17, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: \$5 per girl/\$5 per adult

Becoming a Silver Award Girl Scout is no easy feat, and this hands-on workshop will certainly get you started on your way! Taking a Strive for Silver Orientation is highly recommended for girls interested in completing their Girl Scout Silver Award prior to starting the project planning stage. At the end of this orientation, you'll know the national steps necessary to complete the Girl Scout Silver Award, understand the pros and cons of an individual vs. team project, understand the difference between Take Action and community service, and the importance of community impact of the project. Troop leaders and parents are strongly encouraged to join us. We will have plenty of opportunities to answer your questions, learn some helpful tips, and find out what it takes to become a Silver Award Girl Scout! All materials are provided electronically. Open to troops, girls with an adult, individual girls and adults. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

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C-A CSA ROUNDUP (GR 6-12)

Date: Fri-Sun, May 20-22, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-11:00 AM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$20 per girl/\$6 per adult

Enjoy the outdoors and meet new friends on this older-girl weekend! Activity choices includes archery, boating, gaga pit tournament, para cord creations, lashing camp gadgets, camping skills competitions, Girl Scout history at the museum and more. Some activities may include an additional cost. Troops or participants will get an email directly from the volunteer event coordinator regarding any additional costs. Troops are responsible for their own meals and must be accompanied by a Cook Out/Sleep Out trained adult. Troops will share campsites with other troops. We must have at least three troops registered by February 1. Open to troops only. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

B ARCHERY 102 (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, May 21, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Join us to keep working on your archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming, and make art on the target. Enjoy this Brownie-only, fun-filled archery session! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by May 12.

J ARCHERY 202 (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, May 21, 2022
Time: 12:30 PM-2:30 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Join us to keep working on your archery skills while competing in a friendly challenge. Create your own arrow, practice aiming and make art on the target. Enjoy this Junior-only, fun-filled archery session! Open to troops and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by May 12.

J PLANTSCAPING (GR 4-5)

Date: Saturday, May 21, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-1:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Do you love to stop and smell the roses? If so, this plantscaping adventure is for you. Build your own wooden garden enclosure, choose your seeds, lay your soil, and watch your masterpiece bloom! Junior Girl Scouts will earn their Flower badge. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

D-A WORCESTER RED SOX GIRL SCOUT NIGHT AT POLAR PARK (GR K-12)

Date: Sat-Sun, May 21-22, 2022

Time: 1:30 PM-7:00 AM
Place: Polar Park, Worcester

Cost: \$35 per person*

Girl Scouts can participate in pregame activities on the Berm to earn your Worcester Red Sox commemorative patch, step onto the field for a pregame Girl Scout Parade wearing your Girl Scout uniform carrying your troop banner or flag, play catch on the field following the game, and then have an opportunity to camp in the outfield overnight and watch a movie under the stars! Breakfast is served in the morning from 6:30-7:30 AM. Each ticket also includes \$12 of ballpark credit toward concessions or merchandise. *Cost of tickets for Saturday only are \$30 per person. Open to troops and girls with an adult. To register and purchase tickets go to https://fevo.me/gscwm-woosox by April 23.

B PERFECTLY PUZZLED (GR 2-3)

Date: Saturday, May 21, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Place: Camp Lewis Perkins

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Unravel the hidden secrets at camp. Design your own treasure map, create natural treasures for others to find, and create a special code for others to decipher. Brownie Girl Scouts will work toward their Letterboxer Badge in this outdoor program. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

J STAYING FIT WITH AERIAL YOGA (GR 4-5)

Date: Sunday, May 22, 2022
Time: 2:00 PM-3:30 PM
Place: Earth & Aerial Yoga

Cost: \$35 per girl/\$35 per adult

Fly high! Stretch, strengthen, relax, and have fun in our aerial silks! Participate in a 45- minute, guided aerial yoga class characterized by mindful movement while building self-awareness, strength, and mobility while reducing stress and tension. We'll follow this up with a healthy-living discussion and meditation practice as you work on your Staying Fit Badge. Badge is not included but can be purchased in the Girl Scout Store. Open to troops only. Register at https://bit.ly/eaygirlscouts by May 21.

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A COLLEGE APPLICATION STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, May 22, 2022 Time: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Get an introduction to the Common Application and Coalition Application. We'll focus on the activities and writing sections and discuss how sharing your Girl Scout experience and accomplishments can help you stand out in the admissions process. Participation in this event will fulfill step 2 of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). An optional individual application review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to individual girls only. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/registerWN_I2A9aVoVTziqdccY-uq0ZA by May 21.

C-A NOVELIST RETREAT (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, May 22, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Place: Holyoke Leadership Center
Cost: \$15 per girl/adults no charge

Are you passionate about books? Do you love to write? Join us for this all day workshop with YA author Barbara Newman where you'll do fun exercises and learn about character development, world building, and the heroine's journey-skills that will inspire your own storytelling.

Barbara Newman leads you on a creative adventure based on her YA fantasy novel, The Dreamcatcher Codes. In the story, four girls come together from the four directions with one purpose, to heal mother earth. This fierce sisterhood is powered by cowgirl courage, the elements, earth, air, fire and water, and messages from myths, mystics and magical realms.

Also included: The Codes of the Cowgirl. We'll explore getting in touch with your inner cowgirl, that strong sense of self that empowers you to live more boldly in the world-with courage, confidence and character.

Cadette Girl Scouts will earn three steps toward their Screenwriter Badge, and Senior Girl Scouts will earn three steps toward their Novelist Badge in this all-day program. Girls should bring a snack, lunch, and water bottle. A bookish themed snack will be provided.

Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by May 5.

D-A CAMP OPEN HOUSE CLP (GR K-12)

Date: Sunday, May 22, 2022
Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM
Place: Camp Lewis Perkins
Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org. Open to troops and girls with an adult.

C-A DESSERTS AND DESTINATIONS WLC (GR 6-12)

Date: Tuesday, May 24, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Place: Worcester Leadership Center

Cost: \$3 per girl/\$3 per adult

Are you ready for the next level of your Girl Scout experience? Have you ever wanted to try out white water rafting in Colorado? What about exploring echo diversity in Hawaii or new languages in Spain? Come learn all about Girl Scout Destinations-from trips throughout the USA to all over the world. Girls will learn how they can explore their own interests through unique travel opportunities while enjoying desserts. Get help with the application process and be ready to take the adventure of a lifetime. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by May 19.

B-C AVIATION ADVENTURES WORKSHOPS (GR 2-8)

Date: Saturday, May 28, 2022 Time: 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Place: New England Air Museum
Cost: \$30 per girl/\$16 per adult

Enjoy a fun-filled day of learning about the science of flight as well as pioneering women in aviation through the museum's collection of historic aircraft, flight simulators, and hands-on activities. A museum patch is included. Open to Troops and girls with an adult. Call 860-623-3305 ext. 313 or email agparks@neam.org to register by May 21.

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ADULT USA ARCHERY LEVEL 1 INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION CGE (ADULTS)

Date: Saturday, May 28, 2022 Time: 12:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: Adult-only event/\$55 per adult

As an Archery Level 1 certified instructor you can assist in archery programs with other instructors. This course consists of two parts; the first part is an online course that is approximately four hours long and is completed at your own pace. After the online course is completed, you will participate in an in-person practical, gaining hands-on experience. Upon completion of the online course and the inperson practical, you are certified as an USAA archery level 1 instructor for three years. If you have any questions, please email astevens@gscwm.org. Open to adults only. Register through GSCWM by May 12.

C-A HATCHET THROWING (GR 6-12)

Date: Saturday, May 28, 2022

Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$20 per girl/adults no charge

Learn how to properly throw a hatchet at our new hatchet throwing range at Camp Bonnie Brae. Learn about the hatchet, how to safely and successfully throw it, and see if you can get a bullseye. Come and enjoy this new GSCWM older girl activity. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Register through GSCWM by May 12.

D-A ME AND MY GUY (GR K-12)

Date: Sunday, May 29, 2022
Time: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$10 per girl/\$10 per adult

You and your guy will go on a hike through camp, do some fun outdoor crafts, build a fire, go fishing, and more! Be sure to bring a lunch from home and lots of water! Open to girls attending with a father, grandfather, or any other special guy in their life. Register through GSCWM by May 19.

J BRONZE PATROL (GR 4-5)

Date: Tuesday, May 31, 2022 Time: 5:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Bronze Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Bronze Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by May 19.

C SILVER PATROL (GR 6-8)

Date: Tuesday, May 31, 2022 Time: 5:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Silver Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Silver Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by May 19.

C GOLD PATROL (GR 9-12)

Date: Tuesday, May 31, 2022 Time: 6:00 PM-6:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Gold Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Gold Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by May 19.

A COLLEGE ESSAY STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, June 5, 2022
Time: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how to write an effective personal statement and great supplemental essays for each college by drawing on your Girl Scout experience. We'll discuss how essays are used in the application process, guidance on choosing topics, writing tips for personal statements and school-specific essays, and

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Dos and Don'ts. An optional individual essay review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_PSWv5ukbROm15Jc4aabTSw by June 4.

D-A GO! GIRLS OUTDOORS WEEKEND (GR K-12)

Date: Saturday, June 11, 2022-Sunday, June 12, 2022

Time: 10:00 AM-10:00 AM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood

Cost: \$30 per girl/\$20 per adult

Join us at Camp Laurel Wood for a wild weekend of outdoor fun! Come as a troop or bring a female parent or guardian to practice outdoor skills! Choose from a variety of crafts, outdoor activities, and games, and learn how to make sweet treats over the fire. We will also make room for boating, hiking, and more! Girls and adults may be able to stay in the same cabin together or may be asked to have "girl only" and "adult only" cabins in the same living area, depending upon enrollment. Housing assignments are finalized after the registration deadline has passed and shared at check in for the weekend. Open to troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by June 2.

D-C GIRLS GUIDE TO THE WILD (GR K-8)

Date: Saturday, June 18, 2022- Sunday June 19, 2022

Time: 10:00am-11:00am Place: Camp Bonnie Brae

Cost: \$60 per girl/\$60 per adult

For girls and women only! Immerse yourself in your favorite camp activities and so much more with your favorite female role model. Practice your archery skills, take to the water for boating, find artistic inspiration in nature, and build a roaring campfire! Complete fun challenges together and with groups. Come with your troop or bring your mom, aunt, grandmother or another adult female and join us for a wild time at camp! Girls and adults may be able to stay in the same cabin together or may be asked to have "girl only" and "adult only" cabins in the same living area, depending upon enrollment. Housing assignments are finalized after the registration deadline has passed. *Extra \$5 per person for indoor accommodations. Open to troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Register through GSCWM by June 2.

D-A MEET THE STAFF CBB (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM
Place: Camp Bonnie Brae
Cost: No charge to attend

We believe that camp has positive impacts on our girls, and we also believe that there is something about being in the outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry that speaks to The POWER of CAMP Come explore camp with your family during our meet the staff session, learn a few camp songs and have s'mores. Members of our camp staff team are available to answer any questions. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org

D-A MEET THE STAFF CGE (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Camp Green Eyrie

Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org Open to troops and girls with an adult.

D-A MEET THE STAFF CLP (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Camp Lewis Perkins

Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org Open to troops and girls with an adult.

JUNE - JULY - AUGUST

D-A MEET THE STAFF CLW (GR K-12)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood
Cost: No charge to attend

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores craft. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org Open to troops and girls with an adult.

J BRONZE PATROL (GR 4-5)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Bronze Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Bronze Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by June 23.

C SILVER PATROL (GR 6-8)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM-6:00 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Silver Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Silver Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by June 23.

C GOLD PATROL (GR 9-12)

Date: Thursday, June 30, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-6:30 PM

Place: Zoom

Cost: No charge to attend

Have questions about the Girl Scout Gold Award? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, or just have a general question about the Girl Scout Gold Award itself, join us for this informal chat and Q&A session. Open to troops, girls with an adult and adults. Register through GSCWM by June 23.

A COLLEGE APPLICATION STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Monday, July 11, 2022 Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Get an introduction to the Common Application and Coalition Application. We'll focus on the activities and writing sections and discuss how sharing your Girl Scout activities and accomplishments can help you stand out in the admissions process. Participation in this event will fulfill step 2 of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). An optional individual application review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to individual girls only. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN LlsW2U1dR2SFPbAWh-OAmO by July 10.

A COLLEGE ESSAY STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Monday, July 18, 2022 Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how to write an effective personal statement and great supplemental essays for each college by drawing on your Girl Scout experience. We'll discuss how essays are used in the application process, guidance on choosing topics, writing tips for personal statements and school-specific essays, and Dos and Don'ts. An optional individual essay review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_gKTsl31eRz-82n60hlcliA by July 17.

A COLLEGE APPLICATION STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Tuesday, August 2, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Get an introduction to the Common Application and Coalition Application. We'll focus on the activities and writing sections and discuss how sharing your Girl Scout experience and accomplishments can help you stand out in the admissions process. Participation in this event will fulfill step 2 of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). An optional individual application review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to individual girls only. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_hwT3k7OMQWixuNqNloiz1Q by August 1.

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A COLLEGE ESSAY STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Tuesday, August 9, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how to write an effective personal statement and great supplemental essays for each college by drawing on your Girl Scout experience. We'll discuss how essays are used in the application process, guidance on choosing topics, writing tips for personal statements and school-specific essays, and Dos and Don'ts. An optional individual essay review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_-ULhk9txSwWijCt6rzIN2w by August 8.

A COLLEGE APPLICATION STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, August 14, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Get an introduction to the Common Application and Coalition Application. We'll focus on the activities and writing sections and discuss how sharing your Girl Scout experience and accomplishments can help you stand out in the admissions process. Participation in this event will fulfill step 2 of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). An optional individual application review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to individual girls only. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_19asS4gEQKCj1tGO_IYNZA by August 13.

C ALL ABOUT MEDIA (GR 6-8)

Date: Mon-Fri, August 15-19, 2022

Time: 9:30 AM-3:30 PM
Place: Camp Laurel Wood
Cost: No charge to attend

It is all about you in our All About MEdia summer week. With special thanks to the Fred Harris Daniels Foundation, girls in grades 6-8 in Worcester County can attend All About MEdia for free. Girls will explore online advertising, cyber-bullying, and healthy relationships as they learn to be leaders for peace and safety on social media. With activities such as role-playing, games, profile exploration and design, and reflection, girls will discover new skills to be safe on social media, connect with others to stop cyber-bullying, and take action together to make change on social media. Girls will complete their MEdia Journey and Netiquette Badge and receive both as part of this program. This program takes place at Camp Laurel Wood. Girls will participate in our All About MEdia program for part of the day while the other part of the day will be filled with traditional programming such as swimming, boating, and archery.

Attention parents/guardians! It is not just all about the girls. Join us for our parent kickoff and learn how to navigate the platforms your girl loves, get a better understanding of why she is always on her phone, and work on making a social media compact. Social media can be scary, but we are here to help. Both girls and parents/ guardians will attend our Parent Kickoff event prior to the start of the series.

Parents/guardians must attend our Parent kickoff event on August 13, 2022 at the Worcester Leadership Center from 10:30 AM – 11:30 PM. Included: Lunch and snack every day, program supplies, MEdia Journey, MEdia Journey awards earned, Badge earned, transportation, and Girl Scout membership if you are not a current member. *This program welcomes current Girl Scouts, but if your girl would like to bring a friend, great! We have the ability to accept non-current Girl Scouts into this program.

Transportation is free with pick up at the Worcester Leadership Center. This program is available for girls in Worcester County only. Open to individual girls. Register through GSCWM by August 4. Open to individual girls.



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A COLLEGE ESSAY STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Date: Sunday, August 21, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how to write an effective personal statement and great supplemental essays for each college by drawing on your Girl Scout experience. We'll discuss how essays are used in the application process, guidance on choosing topics, writing tips for personal statements and school-specific essays, and Dos and Don'ts. An optional individual essay review is also available with a Girl Scout discount. Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_VdXheAPPTF6G_ZAMegPA8Q by August 20.

C-A COLLEGE KNOWLEDGE: DEMYSTIFYING FINANCIAL AID (GR 6-12)

Date: Sunday, September 18, 2022

Time: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$5 per girl/girl-only event

Learn about the difference between a college's sticker price and net price; how financial need is determined; federal grants, loans, and work-study; the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and CSS Profile; state aid, institutional aid, and outside scholarships; need-based aid vs. merit aid; and the role of financial aid in the admissions process. You will fulfill step 3 of the College Knowledge Badge and/or step 4 of the Financing My Future Badge (badges not included.) Open to girls with an adult and individual girls. To register go to https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_r_c_JCjMQUS6eynuYjOurA by September 17.



Schedule Your Own programs are terrific resources for Girl Scout troops as well as families, offering a wide array of opportunities for girls. The following Community Partners offer girl programming that can be scheduled to meet the needs, individual interests, and availability of your troop or group. Contact the following Community Partners directly with your questions and to schedule.

- Be sure to follow all current GSCWM COVID-19 guidelines found on gscwm.org and ask providers if they are meeting the current requirements as well
- · Submit the "Activity and Travel Form" (also found at gscwm.org) before your activity
- Find additional program resources for troops and families at gscwm.org/SYOfree. html
- Have you worked with a Community Partner that we should check out?
 Let us know at program@gscwm.org

C-A AMERICAN RED CROSS CLASSES (GR 6-12)

Place: American Red Cross Cost: See our website

Did you know the American Red Cross offers all types of trainings that you can take? From Babysitting to Child and Baby First Aid, to Lifeguard training and Swimming and Water Safety, they offer it all! There are options for virtual trainings you can take right from home. Open to troops and individual girls only. Visit our website for a complete listing of virtual and in-person trainings available at https://www.redcross.org/take-a-class.

B-J APRIL STEM IN A BOX: A GALAXY FAR AWAY (GR 2-5)

Place: Connecticut Science Center

Cost: See description

Humans have always been fascinated by science! Spend your April vacation with us on a trip that's out of this world! Join us for STEM activities inspired by our favorite science fiction movies. Harness the power of light to make a mini light sword, build a CD hovercraft, and use magnetic energy to move objects! STEM in a Box is a do-it-yourself at-home program with all the materials provided. One box will serve up to two children in the same household with three engaging STEM activities, three interactive virtual sessions with our STEM educators, and some fun surprises! Each box ships directly to your door. A Galaxy Fair Away runs April 12-14 and April 19-21, pick your session. Open to individual girls only. For more information and to register visit https://ctsciencecenter.org/stembox/ by April 5.

D-A BADGE BLAST WPI APO (GR K-12)

Place: Worcester Polytechnic Institute,

Alpha Phi Omega

Cost: No charge to attend

When their popular in-person Badge Blast day of programming wasn't possible, the WPI APO students did more than just pivot! The members, along with outside organizations, have created short STEM related videos to help girls work on their badges at home or during their troops meetings. From learning how to make alien friends as part of the Space Science Explorer Badge, to designing robotics games, to even exploring different STEM majors to help earn the College Knowledge Badge, you will find short videos to assist you. Make sure to visit their channel often-videos are being uploaded on a regular basis! The WPI APO students will be back to delivering Badge Blast Days in person when they can but until they do, visit their YouTube channel created just for you! Open to troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Visit our WPI APO YouTube channel at https://www. youtube.com/channel/UCIXbLrHZcoLXJF6hilerXjA oftenvideos are added regularly!

D-J BADGE WORKSHOPS (K-5)

Place: Stemily Studios

Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

Our badge workshops are 60 minutes long and are filled with fun, hands-on activities that complete all the requirements of the STEM or Entrepreneurship badge you choose! Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. New badge workshops are offered monthly on our website. Open to troops and girls with an adult. For more information and to register contact stemilystudios.com at least 48 before your program.

D-A BERKSHIRE MUSEUM (GR K-12)

Place: Berkshire Museum
Cost: See our website

There's a lot to do and see at the Berkshire Museum! Whether you want to visit us in-person or schedule a virtual educator-led or self-guided program, you'll find it all here! From Aquarium Exploration to Forensic Investigation, to Poetry of Art to Rock On, from Amazing Reptiles to Mammal Adaptations, we can adjust a program to your grade level and interests. Special pricing available to Girl Scout troops of 10 or more. Open to troops only. Visit our website at https://berkshiremuseum.org to schedule your visit today.

D-A BRAVE BRIGHT THEATER KIDS (GR K-12)

Place: Brave Bright Theater Kids Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

Discover individuality and confidence through interactive drama and movement-based group activities including improv, singing, dancing, yoga, teamwork, and more! Open to troops only. Email bbtheaterkids@gmail.com to schedule your troop's customized class.

B BROWNIE FLING FLYER DESIGN CHALLENGE BADGE (GR 2-3)

Place: Connecticut Science Center

Cost: \$175 per program, maximum of 25 people

Watch as your engineering ideas take flight! In this workshop, you will design, build, test, and share flying creations. Learn about how airplanes and other flying objects stay in the air, and how the engineering process improves designs over time. You will complete the requirements of the Brownie Fling-Flyer Design Badge (not included). Bring a bamboo skewer, dowel, sturdy straw or something similar; thick paper, cardstock, cereal box, paper plate or other lightweight sturdy material; tape or hot glue gun; paper clip or other bendable metal; and a rubber band, hair tie or other piece of elastic to complete all of the fun activities! Open to troops only. Visit our website at https:// ctsciencecenter.org/girl-scouts/ or email groupsales@ ctsciencecenter.org to schedule your event Monday through Fridays.

B BUDDING ENTREPRENEUR (GR 2-3)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Women business owners is something we need more of! Learn the basics of designing a product, how to improve it, and then pitch your idea to your troop-just like real companies do! Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/.

D-A CABOT PATCH PROGRAMS (GR K-12)

Place: Cabot Creamery Co-operative

Cost: No charge to attend

Cabot Creamery is proud to offer eight free patch programs to use at home or in your troop. The program and the patch is free! Patches include topics like Pollinators, Farm Love, and Sustainability. Open to troops, girls with an adult, and families. Visit cabotcheese.coop/scout-patchprograms/ for more information.

B-A CHARACTER DOES MATTER (GR 2-12)

Place: Travis Manion Foundation

Cost: No charge to attend

Our Character Does Matter program can be individualized and flexed to a particular troop's needs and grades. Join us for a virtual program, including guided talks about character strengths like gratitude, kindness, teamwork and perseverance. We'll have leadership lessons, panels and Q&A as well. For our younger girls, we'll facilitate story readings to teach about character strengths through read-along videos of children's stories. Open to troops only. Contact Rebecca at rebecca.forbes@travismanion.org to set up your presentation.

D-A CLAYTIME (GR K-12)

Place: Claytime

Cost: Varies by program

Pottery painting, clay building, word art, and canvas painting fun geared to the ages in your troop. We offer many ways to participate in programming: To Go Kits that you can take home with step-by-step instructions, Zoom workshops that you can pick up the supplies and Claytime staff will lead your project, and in-studio events following social distancing, masks and other safety protocols in place at the time of the event. Open

to troops and girls with an adult. To register, call our studio at 508-798-9950 or email at claytimeinfo@gmail.com.

D-J CODING FOR GOOD 1: CODING BASICS (GR K-5)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Learn about amazing women in computer science, what an algorithm is, and be challenged to solve a problem with your own algorithm. Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios. com/programs/girl-scouts/.

A COLLEGE APPLICATION STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/girl-only event

We'll take a tour of the common application, discuss the qualifications Girl Scouts have that colleges want and show you how to showcase your unique strengths, talents and experiences in your college applications. You will complete step two of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to troops and individual girls only. To set up your workshop, email Becky at becky@clastereducation.com.

A COLLEGE ESSAY STRATEGIES FOR GIRL SCOUTS (GR 11-12)

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how to write an effective personal statement and great supplemental essays for each college and how your Girl Scout experience can help you do that. We'll cover: how essays are used in admissions; choosing topics; writing tips for personal statements and school-specific essays; Dos and Don'ts; brainstorming exercises; and a suggested timeline. You'll complete step two of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to troops and individual girls only. To set up your workshop, email Becky at becky@clastereducation.com.

D CONSIDERATE AND CARING (GR K-1)

Place: The Office of Worcester County District Attorney Joseph D. Early, Jr's Community Outreach Team

Cost: No charge to attend/girl-only event

You'll learn about bullying and the different ways to stand up and help a classmate who is being bullied and talk about how you can be considerate and caring to them. When you've earned your Zinnia Petal (not included), you'll know how to be considerate and caring just like Zinni the Zinnia. Be sure to read Zinni's Story before taking part in this Zoom program. Open to troops only. Register by emailing eileen.kneeland@state.ma.us or calling Eileen at 508-254-2385.

D-B CYBERSECURITY BADGE WORKSHOPS (GR K-3)

Place: The Office of Worcester County District Attorney Joseph D. Early, Jr's Community Outreach Team

Cost: No charge to attend/girl-only event

Learn the four rules of personal safety and the four rules of internet safety. Learn about trusting how you feel and the importance of having a trusted adult you can talk to and that makes you feel safe. Learn the tips for having fun and staying safe. This virtual program will meet some of the requirements toward your Cybersecurity Badges (not included). Open to troops only. Register by emailing eileen.kneeland@state. ma.us or calling Eileen at 508-254-2385.

B CYBERSECURITY: SAFEGUARDS 2 BADGE (GR 2-3)

Place: The Office of Worcester County District Attorney Joseph D. Early, Jr's Community Outreach Team

Cost: No charge to attend/girl-only event

Learn the importance of staying safe online. You'll learn about creating safe passwords, what information can be shared online and what information needs to be kept private. You will also learn to be careful about whom to trust online. We'll talk about and test your knowledge of online safety rules. You'll work on your Cybersecurity: Safeguards 2 Badge (not included) and know what information is private and how to share information safely when you are done this virtual program. Open to troops only. Register by emailing eileen.kneeland@state.ma.us or calling Eileen at 508-254-2385.

J DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHER (GR 4-5)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Every Girl Scout deserves to explore their creativity and learn a new skill to capture a lifetime of memories. Vine Images, INC has created a fun, engaging, kidfriendly photography course to help you earn the Digital Photographer Badge that gives you a great foundation to build upon. You will have full access to this on-demand program as soon as you register and can complete the badge requirements at your own pace. You'll explore outside and find the perfect light by completing photo challenges to complete this badge. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/girl-scouts-digital-photography-badge/.

D-A DRAMA OUT OF THE BOX (K-12)

Place: Drama Out of the Box

Cost: Visit website for Girl Scout pricing

Drama Out of the Box offers both in-person and virtual workshops, with special pricing for Girl Scouts! I come to you, so no travel forms are required. Plan a fun drama, improv, or mindfulness experience tailored specifically to the needs of your group. We can also work on badges like Playing in the Past, or create an original end of the year troop skit. Fun and laughs guaranteed. Unleash your inner artist and create outside the box! Both in-person and virtual options are available. Open to troops only. Visit www.dramaoutofthebox.com or email mcdramaenrichment@gmail.com for more information and scheduling.

B-J FEBRUARY STEM IN A BOX: CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY (GR 2-5)

Place: Connecticut Science Center

Cost: See description

This month, we'll celebrate some of the many fields impacted by black inventors and scientist and learn about how their innovations have improved everyday life. Through hands-on activities, explore careers in robotics, electrical engineering, meteorology, climatology, and chemistry. STEM in a Box is a doit-yourself at-home program with all the materials provided. One box will serve up to two children in the same household with three engaging STEM activities, three interactive virtual sessions with our STEM educators, and some fun surprises! Each box ships

directly to your door. Celebrating Black History is available from February 15-March 2, you choose three Tuesdays or Wednesdays to attend the virtual sessions. Open to individual girls only. For more information and to register visit https://ctsciencecenter.org/stembox/by February 7.

J FLOWERS (GR 4-5)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

We've partnered with a local lavender farm and yoga studio to teach you about the power of flowers. Spend the evening making bath bombs and learning all about flowers from different towns, with a special focus on lavender. This is a great opportunity for Girl Scouts to work together and learn how flowers can help people. This course pairs nicely with our Stay Fit Badge and learning how to stress less with yoga. You will have full access to this on-demand course and be able to complete the requirements of the Flowers Badge at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-flower-badge/.



C FORENSICS OF ESPIONAGE: SPECIAL AGENT BADGE WORKSHOP (GR 6-8)

Place: International Spy Museum
Cost: \$150/weekday, \$250/Saturday*

Looking for a unique experience your whole troop can participate in? This is it! Become forensic scientists and use real FBI forensic techniques to examine evidence, make recommendations, and use the scientific method to attempt to determine the identity of a double agent. After participating in this workshop, you will have completed all requirements for the Special Agent Badge (not included). *This live, educator-led virtual program is engaging and interactive and can accommodate up to 20 Girl Scouts. Open to troops only. Email educators@spymuseum.org or visit https://www.spymuseum.org/education-programs/kids-families/girl-scout-virtual-program/ to register.

D FRIENDLY AND HELPFUL (GR K-1)

Place: The Office of Worcester County District Attorney Joseph D. Early, Jr's Community Outreach Team

Cost: No charge to attend/girl-only event

How can you be considerate and caring to a fellow Daisy or classmate who's being left out of the group? You'll learn what it feels like to be a new student at a school or a new Daisy in a troop and how she might feel to be left out of an activity. When you earn your Sunny Petal (not included), you will know how to be friendly and helpful just like Sunny the Sunflower. Be sure to read Sunny's Story before taking part in this Zoom program. Open to troops only. Register by emailing eileen.kneeland@state.ma.us or calling Eileen at 508-254-2385.

B GIRL SCOUTS MAGIC WORKSHOP (2-3)

Place: Urban Wizards Academy
Cost: \$19 per girl/girl-only event

Empowering Brownies through magic! This awesome and interactive 60 minute Zoom workshop highlights the power in using words like: "Hello, Please, Thank You, I'm Sorry, I Forgive You, I Understand, Great Job and I Can". Not only are the girls encouraged to participate virtually in class, they're given a top-secret file folder that goes over everything they've learned during the performance, a cool magic trick & an awesome fun patch that does a magic trick and so much more. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Contact urbanwizardsac@gmail.com with questions and register your troop online at UrbanWizardsac.com today!

D-B HIGH FIVE FOR SAFETY (GR K-3)

Place: The Office of Worcester County District Attorney Joseph D. Early, Jr's Community Outreach Team

Cost: No charge to attend/girl-only event

With some very fun videos, you'll learn the four rules of personal safety and the four rules of internet safety in this fun Zoom presentation. Learn about trusting how you feel and the importance of having a trusted adult you can talk to and that makes you feel safe. Learn the tips for having fun and staying safe.` Open to troops only. Register by emailing eileen.kneeland@state.ma.us or calling Eileen at 508-254-2385.

D-A HORSE PROGRAMS AT CAMP MARSHALL (GR K-12)

Place: Camp Marshall

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

Camp Marshall offers horse programs for all levels of Girl Scouts! Whether you're a Daisy or Ambassador, a girl who loves ponies or one who wants to learn grooming, safety and etiquette, we have level appropriate programs for you! Also available to all levels are optional riding lessons added on to any program for a fee. Open to troops and girls with an adult. Go to our website at www.campmarshall.net and "Year Round Programs" for all available Girl Scout programs for troops of 10 or more, complete information and necessary forms.



B INVENTOR (GR 2-3)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Calling all problem solvers! Through several activities, learn to look at the world differently and develop ideas that solve problems in new and creative ways. Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/

B-J JANUARY STEM IN A BOX: ANCIENT MAKERS (GR 2-5)

Place: Connecticut Science Center

Cost: See description

Humans have always been fascinated by science! In honor of Mummies of the World's arrival at the Connecticut Science Center, we're going to unravel some exciting concepts as old as mummies themselves! Discover millennia-old techniques and preserve fruits and vegetables like ancient Egyptians with Canopic Jars. Practice your engineering skills while exploring ancient Pyramid building techniques and learn how a tool developed in the third century B.C.E. to pump water from ships evolved to support everything from agriculture to amusement parks. STEM in a Box is a do-it-yourself at-home program with all the materials provided. One box will serve up to two children in the same household with three engaging STEM activities, three interactive virtual sessions with our STEM educators, and some fun surprises! Each box ships directly to your door. Ancient Makers is available from January 18-February 2, you choose three Tuesdays or Wednesdays to attend the virtual sessions. Open to individual girls only. For more information and to register visit https://ctsciencecenter.org/stembox/ by January 11.

B-J JUNE STEM IN A BOX: SUMMER BEACH BASH (GR 2-5)

Place: Connecticut Science Center

Cost: See description

Surf into your summer vacation with the Science Center as we explore everything fun in the sun and get ready for the coolest beach party of the year! Build light-filtering glasses, mini sail buggies, and awesome solar-powered gear! STEM in a Box is a do-it-yourself at-home program with all the materials provided. One box will serve up to two children in the same household with three engaging STEM activities, three interactive virtual sessions with our STEM educators, and some fun surprises! Each box ships directly to your door. Summer Beach Bash is available from June 7-June 22, choose from Tuesdays or Wednesdays

for your three sessions. Open to individual girls only. For more information and to register visit https://ctsciencecenter.org/stembox/ by June 1.

J JUNIOR DETECTIVE BADGE (GR 4-6)

Place: Connecticut Science Center

Cost: \$ 175 per program, maximum of 25 people

A "kidnapping" has occurred at the Connecticut Science Center. Ima Boxturtle's tank was broken into and she was taken! Examine the evidence left at the scene to help narrow down the list of suspects and figure out who took Ima. Learn how to examine fingerprints and identify shoeprints found at the scene of the crime, and break the code on the ransom note! You will complete the requirements to the Junior Detective Badge (badge not included). Bring your clear tape, pencil, paper, crayons and a shoe to this virtual event. You can also find the printable materials you will use at: https:// ctsciencecenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/ Detective-Worksheets.pdf. Open to troops only. Visit our website at https://ctsciencecenter.org/girl-scouts/ or email groupsales@ctsciencecenter.org to schedule your event Monday through Fridays.

D-A KIDZ PHOTOGRAPHY PATCH (K-12)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$20 per girl/girl-only event

This popular course teaches you all about lighting and composition. You will earn the Kidz Photography Patch while having fun learning all about photography, doing photo challenges, and exploring. The patch is included in the course and mailed directly to you. You will have full access to this on-demand program once you register and can complete the requirements at your own pace. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/kidz-photography-course/

C LEADERSHIP IN ACTION (LIA) TRAINING (GR 6-8)

Place: Worcester or Holyoke Leadership Centers

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Start your journey to becoming a role model for younger girls. The Leadership in Action (LiA) Training will help you navigate the requirements for earning your LiA Award, help you develop programs ideas, teach you the characterstics of younger Girl Scouts and tips for working with them. The LiA award requires you to work with Brownie Girl Scouts on journey activities and this training will help you navigate through the requirements for each LiA Award and the journey that goes with it. Earning your LiA Award is a prerequisite to earning your Program Aid Award. This is a Schedule Your Own program for troops of 8 girls or more. Open to troops only. To arrange your training, contact programs@gscwm.org at least one month prior.

D-A LEARNING SPLITS FOR DANCE AND GYMNASTICS (K-12)

Place: Twists N Turns

Cost: \$15 per girl/\$10 per adult

This flexibility program provides a comprehensive and well-rounded workout regime combining stretching, coordination, and strength. Enhance your health, self image, and well-being. You do not need a particular skill level as you will go through the exercises and techniques dependent upon your abilities. We'll begin with some light movement to get muscles warn, then transition into stretching. This program will meet requirements for the My Best Self, Staying Fit, Science of Happiness, and Women's Health Badges (not included). Open to Troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Open to Troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Email reliav101@gmail for a list of dates throughout the year.

C-S MIND GAMES: REVEAL YOUR HIDDEN BRAIN! (GR 6-10)

Place: International Spy Museum

Cost: \$150/weekday, \$250/Saturday*

Looking for a unique experience your whole troop can participate in? This is it! Spies go into the world to collect secrets, but without analysis, there's no real meaning. Through interactive mind games, you are challenged to find connections and patterns while avoiding mental traps that can skew your perception. Your troop will reveal their cognitive basis, and dive into the world of intelligence analysis. *This live, educator-led virtual program is engaging and interactive and can accommodate up to 20 Girl Scouts. Open to troops only. Email educators@spymuseum. org or visit https://www.spymuseum.org/education-programs/kids-families/girl-scout-virtual-program/ to register.

D-A NATIONAL GRID SUSTAINABILITY HUB EDUCATIONAL TOURS (GR K-12)

Place: National Grid Sustainability Hub

Cost: No charge to attend

The Sustainability Hub offers virtual presentations that can be customized to individual groups to help meet the requirements of the badges and journeys they are working on around renewable energy and energy efficiency. Now offering scheduled in-person tours of the Hub space on those same topics as well. To schedule a tour visit our website at https://www.nationalgridus.com/worcester-sustainability-hub/.

D-A NIGHT JOURNEYS (GR K-12)

Place: EcoTarium

Cost: \$60 per girl/\$60 per adult

Wave your wand and learn the science of levitation as a wizard in training. Zoom through the solar system to visit distant plants, then design, build, and deploy a Mars lander. Follow the clues, analyze the evidence, and solve the mystery. Your troop will get to enjoy one of the three themes for a night of hands-on thematic programming and exploration at the EcoTarium during your overnight stay. The EcoTarium has many dates available in March, April, May, and June for these semiprivate overnights for groups smaller than 60 people and can be made private events if you have at least 60 people registering. Visit their website at ecotarium.org for full listing of dates. Open to troops only. Contact reservations@ecotarium.org for a complete list of available dates and themes at least two weeks prior to when you would like to book.

J OPERATION CODE CRACKER: DETECTIVE BADGE WORKSHOP (GR 4-5)

Place: International Spy Museum
Cost: \$150/weekday, \$250/Saturday*

Looking for a unique experience your whole troop can participate in? This is it! There's a mole in the operation. Junior Girl Scouts will identify the suspect, examine evidence, and uncover the facts to expose the mole's true identity. After participating in this workshop, you will have completed all requirements for the Detective Badge (not included). *This live, educator-led virtual program is engaging and interactive and can accommodate up to 20 Girl Scouts. Open to troops only. Email educators@spymuseum.org or visit https://www.spymuseum.org/education-programs/kids-families/girl-scout-virtual-program/ to register.

C OUTDOOR ART APPRENTICE (GR 6-8)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Being outside in nature is a great way to spark your creativity. Get ready to observe and collect things outdoors that will drive your art and creativity from colors and patterns to landscapes and wildlife. This course focuses on using natural light to become a nature or wildlife photographer. Learn how to use nature to enhance your photography skills, make a pin wheel to understand wind and motion photography, and use a natural ingredient to dye something you can wear. This badge does require a few craft projects so be sure to see the supply list when you register. When you have completed this on-demand course you will have earned your Outdoor Art Apprentice Badge at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register https://www.vineimages.org/product/cadetteoutdoor-art-apprentice/.

B OUTDOOR ART CREATOR (GR 2-3)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

Enjoy exploring outside and learning how to become a nature photographer! With just a few tips and tricks, you will have created a masterpiece in no time. Let's not forget, music and dance are art too! Yoga is full of nature and animal poses, let's get our wiggles out as we join in on a fun yoga song. You will complete the requirements of the Outdoor Art Creator Badge during this on-demand course and have full access to the requirements when you register to complete the badge at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/browniesoutdoor-art-creator/.

S OUTDOOR ART EXPERT (GR 9-10)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

Get ready to become an outdoor artist as you connect with nature and create something helpful to the environment! Learn how to see nature with an artist's eye and find ways to express yourself from photography and painting, to music. Head outside and find art, it doesn't just exist within the four walls of a museum. Complete all the steps of the Outdoor Art Expert Badge through a self-paced virtual course. Explore murals in Gloucester, VA and sculptures on display by Jay Lagemann and learn techniques to capture one-of-a-kind nature photography from a professional photographer. Be inspired to design your own art mural and create a masterpiece from recycled materials. This badge does require you to explore nearby art in your area and a few craft supplies of your choosing, a journal or sketch pad, and a camera; phone or iPad will work great! You will have full access to this on-demand course so that you can complete the badge requirements at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/ product/senior-outdoor-art-expert/.

J OUTDOOR ART EXPLORER (GR 4-5)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$12 per girl/girl-only event

From murals on buildings to oil paintings of landscapes, art and the outdoors go hand in hand. Let nature be your inspiration as you explore, create, and design different kinds of art. You will have full access to all badge requirements as soon as you register for this on-demand program so that you can complete the requirements of the Outdoor Art Explorer Badge at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/juniors-outdoor-art-explorer/.

A PHOTOGRAPHER BADGE (GR 11-12)

Place: Vine Images, INC

Cost: \$15 per girl/girl-only event

Photos show others how you see the world! When you earn the Photographer Badge, you will learn about the technology behind the cameras and hone your skills, presenting the world in your own unique way. This course focuses on portrait photography, light, composition, motion, and much, much more. You will have full access to this on-demand program as soon as you register and can complete the requirements at your own pace. Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. Open to individual girls only. For complete information and to register visit https://www.vineimages.org/product/ambassador-photographer-badge/.



D-B* PREPARE WITH PEDRO (GR K-2*)

Place: American Red Cross

Cost: See our website/girl-only event

Prepare with Pedro is a preparedness education program for children in Kindergarten through second grade. This program teaches children how to BE PREPARED and TAKE ACTION for either home fires or a local hazard. We'll read a story featuring a penguin named Pedro to learn a coping skill and receive a digital storybook to share what you've learned. Open to troops only. Visit our website at https://www.redcross.org/local/massachusetts/about-us/our-work/virtual-emergency-preparedness-programs.html for complete information and register.

B PRODUCT DESIGNER (GR 2-3)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Calling all problem solvers! Through several activities, learn to look at the world differently and develop ideas that solve problems in new and creative ways. Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/.

B-J PROGRAMING 1: PROGRAMING ROBOTS (GR 2-5)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Discover all the things a robot can do, learn about programming, and code a robot through several challenges. Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/

D PROGRAMING 1: WHAT ROBOTS DO (GR K-1)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Become a robot expert! Discover all the things a robot can do, learn about some robots and their impressive jobs, and create a robot prototype to solve an every day problem. Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/

D-A SEASONAL FORAGING FOR WILD FOOD AND FIRST AID PLANTS (K-12)

Place: Cooking with Mrs. G

Cost: \$250 up to 10 people; additional people \$15 each

Ever wanted to know what wild plants, berries, nuts, and mushrooms are edible and which are poisonous or how to cook and preserve them? Or what plants are good for first aid and what can go in lotions and lip balms? Even in the winter we can find deer antlers, learn which trees to tap for maple syrup and find roots for food and medicine! Learn from a 40+ year forager certified in mushrooming and Certified Educator in this two-hour program. Open to troops, girls with an adult, and families. Visit www.facebook.com/cookingwithmrsg for complete information or contact Rachel at goclawski@msn.com to arrange your walk.

D-J SELF-PACED BADGE WORKSHOPS (K-5)

Place: Stemily Studios

Cost: \$8 per girl/girl-only event

Does everyone have busy schedules or they can meet in the same space? Do you have a go-getter Girl Scout who wants to do more badge work outside of troop meetings? Our self-paced badge workshops give you weeklong access to instructional videos, hands-on activities, and interactive Q&A's that lead you through all of the requirements of the STEM or Entrepreneurship badge you choose! Badge is not included but is available for purchase at the Girl Scout Store. New badge workshops are offered monthly on Stemily Studios' website. Open to troops and girls with an adult. For more information and to register contact stemilystudios.com at least 48 before your program.

D-A SKYPE A SCIENTIST (GR K-12)

Place: Skype a Scientist Cost: No charge to attend

Working on a badge and want to find a REAL scientist to talk to? We can help you find a scientist matched to your interests and even to the badge you're working on! We have a database of thousands of scientists and we can connect you with scientists all over the world. Get to know a real scientist and get the answers to your questions straight from the source! This non-profit is run by a former Girl Scout whose goal is to make science feel approachable, accessible, and less intimidating. Open to troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Visit SkypeAScientist.com to invite a scientists to YOUR troop!

B-S SPY SKILLS: TEST YOUR TROOP'S TRADECRAFT ABILITIES! (GR 2-10)

Place: International Spy Museum
Cost: \$150/weekday, \$250/Saturday*

Looking for a unique experience your whole troop can participate in? This is it! Explore the shadow-world of espionage through stories, artifacts, and tradecraft that only the Spy Museum can uncover! You will learn about the secret world of spying and engage in interactive activities that will answer the question: Could you be a spy? *This live, educator-led virtual program is engaging and interactive and can accommodate up to 20 Girl Scouts. Open to troops only. Email educators@spymuseum.org or visit https://www.spymuseum.org/education-programs/kids-families/girl-scout-virtual-program/ to register.

B-J STEM CAREER EXPLORATION (GR 2-5)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Take the things you love and see how they can be a job that changes the world! Learn about the many jobs in the STEM field and see where your passions and hobbies might overlap. Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/

S-A TEAM & LEADERSHIP BUILDING RETREATS FOR SENIORS, AMBASSADORS AND LEADERS (GR 9-12)

Place: The Story Barn

Cost: Varies based on programming

The Story Barn in Somers, CT, provides a most cozy and creative setting for events. Are you interested in a retreat for your group focusing on any of the following: creating strong and resilient leaders? Trust building? Improving communication? Boosting teamwork and connection? Improving conflict-resolution skills? Or inspiring, thanking, and celebrating team members? If your answer is "yes" to any of these, let The Story Barn tailor an off-site retreat for your group! Open to troops only. Call 860-763-0330 or email info@friedab.com to schedule.

B*-J THE PILLOW CASE PROJECT (GR 3-5)

Place: American Red Cross

Cost: See our website/girl-only event

The Pillowcase Project is an interactive preparedness program designed for children in grades 3 through 5. The program aims to increase awareness and understanding of natural hazards, teaches safety and emotional coping skills, as well as the importance of personal preparedness. Through the presentation, girls learn the best ways to stay safe and how to create their own emergency supply kits by packing essential items in a pillowcase for easy transport during an emergency. Girls will receive a digital workbook and will be encouraged to decorate and personalize their pillowcases and share what they've learned with friends and family. Open to troops only. Visit our website https://www.redcross.org/local/massachusetts/ about-us/our-work/virtual-emergency-preparednessprograms.html for complete information and register.

D-A THE STORY BARN (GR K-12)

Place: The Story Barn
Cost: Varies by program

The Story Barn is home to the national-award-winning Frieda B. children's book series, and author Renata Bowers. We offer private events that can be customized for Girl Scout troops to meet the needs and interests of the girls, including writing workshops, badge work, storytelling, and working with a published author, live or virtually. We also offer scheduled programs throughout the year that can be found on our website at www.friedab.com/calendar. Every Story Matters is our motto. Who are you Free to B.? Open to troops only. To explore a customized event for your troop, call 860-763-0330 or email info@friedab.com today.

A THIS IS ONLY A TEST: AN OVERVIEW OF STANDARDIZED TESTING AND TEST-OPTIONAL ADMISSIONS (GR 11-12)

Place: Claster Educational Services Cost: \$10 per girl/girl-only event

You'll get an overview of the SAT and ACT, advice on developing a testing and prep plan, an update on the growing test-optional movement and a free practice SAT and ACT to take and score at home. You can register separately for an individual consultation on choosing a test, preparing a testing calendar, and developing

a test prep plan. This program will fulfill step two of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to troops and individual girls only. To set up your workshop, email Becky at becky@clastereducation. com.

D TOY BUSINESS DESIGNER (GR K-1)

Place: Stemily Studios LLC

Cost: \$10 per girl/adults no charge

Women business owners is something we need more of! Learn the basics of designing your own toy, how to improve it, and then pitch your idea to your troop-just like real companies do! Open to troops only. To register, visit our website at stemilystudios.com/programs/girl-scouts/

B-C TROOP TRADECRAFT CHALLENGE: RACE AGAINST THE CLOCK TO COMPLETE MINI SPY MISSIONS! (GR 2-8)

Place: International Spy Museum

Cost: \$250 per troop*

Join the International Spy Museum to race against the clock to complete mini spy missions! Get ready for an action-packed hour that will have you racing around your house and testing your spy skills. Can you and your troop crack codes, slip into disguises and design a super stealthy spy gadget? Girl Scouts' teamwork abilities and tradecraft skills will be put to the test! *This live, educator-led virtual program is engaging and interactive and can accommodate up to 20 Girl Scouts. Open to troops only. Email educators@spymuseum.org or visit https://www.spymuseum.org/education-programs/kids-families/girl-scout-virtual-program/ to register.

C-A U CAN-CONFIDENCE BUILDING WORKSHOP (GR 6-12)

Place: U CAN Academy

Cost: \$15 per girl*/adults no charge

Explore your inner strength and confidence, open yourself up to new and positive perspectives while learning attainable ways to improve your mindset to be the best version of you! You will earn the Journey Bliss Badge (not included) after completing this workshop. We'll talk about five to ten year plans, actionable steps needed to achieve your goals, and ways that you can help your peers follow through on their dreams as well. You will receive your own notebook to journal your goals and aspirations as you take your "happiness journey", along with other items you will create during the workshop. We will drive out to your troop meeting location. *There is a 10 girl minimum to book this workshop. Open to troops only. To book, email Taylor at u-can-academy@outlook.com, give us a call at 617-240-0201 or connect on Instagram @u.can.academy.

D-A VIRTUAL ESCAPE ROOM: A TRIP TO MARS (GR K-12)

Place: Twists N Turns

Cost: \$17 per girl/\$10 per adult

Rumor has it that there has been some foul play on the planet Mars! After a secret mission went awry, an astronaut has gone missing. The final transmission was concerning and we were hired to investigate. Can we solve the mystery and find a way home? This immersive escape room experience is led by a live detective facilitator. You will feel like you've entered into a movie or video game as you look for clue, solve puzzles and riddles, and try to catch a culprit all while earning a badge! Through the use of animations and special effects, you will experience an exciting, realistic mystery solving experience that will put your detective skills to the test! Work on your Digital Leadership Senses, Detective, Special Agent, Game Visionary or Digital Game Design Badges by level (badges not included). Email reliav101@gmail for a list of dates throughout the year.

D-A VIRTUAL ESCAPE ROOM: THE GHOST OF PANDORA'S MANOR (GR K-12)

Place: Twists N Turns

Cost: \$17 per girl/\$10 per adult

Rumor has it that some kids went missing while trickor-treating at Pandora's Manor! The locals and police haven't dared to investigate because word is there is a ghost that roams the premises. We have been hired to enter and sleuth out what actually happened so the mystery can finally be solved. If we combine our deductions, we can find out the truth. This immersive escape room experience is led by a live detective facilitator. You will feel like you've entered into a movie or video game as you look for clues, solve puzzles and riddles, and try to catch a culprit, all while earning a badge! Through the use of animations and special effects, you will experience an exciting, realistic mystery solving experience that will put your detective skills to the test! Work on your Digital Leadership Senses, Detective, Special Agent, Game Visionary or Digital Game Design Badges by level (badges not included). Open to Troops, girls with an adult, and individual girls. Email reliav101@gmail for a list of dates throughout the year.

D-A VIRTUAL FARM TOURS (GR K-12)

Place: Cabot Creamery Co-operative

Cost: No charge to attend

Learn more about life on Cabot dairy farms and how our farmers care for their cows, their communities, and the planet. Want more? Take the fun patch Farm Love program while you're there and earn a free patch! Open to troops, girls with an adult, and families. Visit cabotcheese.coop/virtual-farm-tour-for-kids to take the tour today!

EXPERIENCE & THE COLLEGE SEARCH: AMBASSADOR WORKSHOP (GR 11-12)

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how your Girl Scout experience can inform your college search and strengthen yoru college applications. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for, how to identify schools that will be a great fit, and how to highlight your qualifications-including all the talents and skills you've developed as a Girl Scout. We'll also discuss the timeline of the application process, guidance on standardized testing, and an overview of the financial aid system. By the end of the program you'll be well prepared to complete steps one, two and three of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to troops and individual girls only. To set up your workshop, email Becky at becky@clastereducation.com.

EXPERIENCE & THE COLLEGE SEARCH: SENIOR WORKSHOP (GR 9-10)

Place: Claster Educational Services
Cost: \$25 per girl/girl-only event

Learn how your Girl Scout experience can make you a stronger candidate for college and inform your college search. We'll discuss what colleges are looking for and how to develop your qualifications, as well as how to identify schools that will be a great fit. We'll also discuss the timeline for preparation and applications, including standardized testing and financial aid. By the end of the program you'll be well prepared to complete steps one, two and three of the College Knowledge Badge (not included). Open to troops and individual girls only. To set up your workshop, email Becky at becky@clastereducation.com.

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VIRTUAL PROGRAMS FROM OUR GREAT COMMUNITY PARTNERS AND BEYOND

We work with some pretty great Community Partners and now, many of them have gone the extra mile to offer content and programming to girls and families virtually. Use this content to supplement the badge work you are doing, to learn a new skill, or to go places and do things you have never done. These Community Partners are continuing their support of Girl Scouts during these ever-changing times; be sure to visit and thank them! You can find additional Community Partner Virtual Program Opportunities on our website at: https://www.gscwm.org/en/events/virtual-opportunities. Be sure to watch for new programs from our partners as businesses begin opening up again!

What else can you find there? Everyone is working to keep girls engaged with out-of-the-box programs, virtual tours, fun activities, new free patch programs and more! Be sure to check them out-who knows what great opportunities exist out there just for you!



ABOUT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

When Pre-Registration is Required

It's very important to register in advance for programs and events, unless the description tells you it's okay to drop in. We're sorry, but we can't accommodate drop-ins when advanced registration is required.

Event Staffing and Supervision

Keeping up with our girls is a big deal! For programs that GSCWM produces and runs, GSCWM staff and registered volunteers are responsible to supervise girls. For events where GSCWM links with a Program Partner who staffs and runs the event, troop leaders and/or parents/guardians are responsible for supervision of their girls. In addition, troops must make sure to meet the required girl: adult ratio. If registering as an individual, and not as a troop, an adult must participate with the girl in the event unless the event description says that's not necessary. For girl-only events, GSCWM staff members are on hand, and we're pros at making sure girls have appropriate supervision so that they can have fun and parents/caregivers can relax!

Who Needs to be a Girl Scout?

GIRLS: Naturally most of our events are for registered Girl Scout members in grades K-12, but you can almost always bring a friend.*

ADULTS: The special safety rules for adults mean that adults must be registered and have a completed CORI check with us if they are:

- Driving girls (other than their own child)
- Counted in the girl: adult ratio
- · Actively participating in the event
- Attending an overnight event

You don't need to be a registered Girl Scout if you're attending only with your child and not participating in the event, but you're always welcome to join! Add the \$25 adult membership fee to the total due and you're covered for the membership year.

*Bring a Friend: Friends who aren't current Girl Scouts just need to add the \$35 Girl Scout membership fee to the event fee, and they can join in the fun for one or all Girl Scout events for the membership year!

Permission Slips

Follow these "do's" and you'll be all set! A parent/guardian needs to provide signed, written consent for each girl participating in an activity scheduled to happen any time or any place outside of a regular troop or group meeting. Turning that in to the troop or group leader for events is a must! When your girl is attending on her own without a troop, turn in the permission slip to the event leader during check-in. Please use our form, which includes health history. Go to gscwm.org/ Forms.html.

Ouestions?

We're here to help! Please contact GSCWM's Information & Referral Center at 508-365-0115/413-584-2602 or info@gscwm.org.

ABOUT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Registration by Program Level

Programs and Events are designed for specific program levels. You will find a notation of those levels to the left of every event name. Program levels relate to school grades as follows:

- D (Daisies): Grades K-1
- B (Brownies): Grades 2-3
- J (Juniors): Grades 4-5
- C (Cadettes): Grades 6-8
- S (Seniors): Grades 9-10
- · A (Ambassadors): Grades 11-12

Registration Information

The event description will tell you whether to register through GSCWM or through a Program Partner, and will also provide you with other important information like when and how to register. GSCWM offers the option to register either online or on paper, but if you want to know right away that you've got your spot in a GSCWM program, online registration is the way to go.

Register Online

By registering online, you can see how many spaces are available at the time you register and know immediately if you're placed. Online registration can be done by an individual or by the troop leader through the troop management screen.

- 1. Go to: www.gscwm.org/events.html.
- 2. Locate the event you'd like to attend and click "Register Now." You will be redirected to the online registration system. Follow the prompts to complete the process.
- 3. Payment is due in full at the time of registration. Online registration must be paid with a credit/debit card.
- 4. You will receive an email confirmation that your registration was received.

Paper Registration

Paper registrations are processed in the order they are received, but may take up to a week to process. Online registrations will take precedence.

- 1. Complete the form on page 30. List all girl and adult participants by the name used on their membership registration.
- 2. Mail or drop off completed form to: GSCWM-Program Registration, 301 Kelly Way, Holyoke, MA 01040 OR GSCWM-Program Registration, 115 Century Drive, Worcester, MA 01606
- 3. Payment is due in full at the time of registration. Payment can be made via credit card, check, cash, gift card, or cookie credits.
- 4. You will receive an email confirmation that your registration was received.

Cancellation Policy

For programs that are run by Program Partners, refund policies vary. Check with the partner before registering, if there is a concern.

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The following policies relate to GSCWM-run events:

Minimum Attendance

Some things just aren't the same with only a few people attending so we have participation minimums. We hate to disappoint, but if it turns out that too few participants have registered by the date registration closes, we'll need to cancel the event. We'll notify all registered participants, and make sure you get a full refund for events that GSCWM cancels.

Inclement Weather

When bad weather threatens to squash too much of the fun, or we just don't think it's safe, GSCWM may decide that cancelling or re-scheduling the event is best. We'll notify all registered participants, and make sure that you get a full refund for the events that GSCWM cancels. Be sure to check your email and voice mail for messages. If conditions in your area have got you wondering if the event is still on, call 413-584-2602 or 508-365-0115. If it's after hours, we'll post a message on that line.

Cancellation by Participant

Email or write us four weeks before the event to get a refund if you're not going to attend the event you registered for. We'll refund all but a \$5 cancellation fee per person. We're sorry, but we don't offer refunds for not showing up or if you arrive late or leave the event early.



Program & Event Registration Form

Event Name:		Event Date:	
Event Location:			
Primary Contact Person (first and last name -	must be a	dult):	
Full Name:		Troop/Group # (if applicable):	
Address (street, city, state, zip):			
Email:		Phone:	
Names of ALL Attendees		Payment Information	
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		Total girl cost = \$	
		Total # of Adults Attending	
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	Yes	Total adult cost = \$	
	Yes	Total # of New G.S. Members Attending	
	Yes	Cost per new member x \$35/girl or \$25/adult	
	Yes	Total new member fees = \$	
	Yes	TOTAL DUE _ = \$	
	Yes	Payment Type ☐ Cash ☐ Check/Money Order ☐ Credit/Debit Card	
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Please initial to signify your agreement to the statements above: _

(initials)

GIRL SCOUT AWARDS

Highest Awards

Bronze. Silver. Gold. These represent the highest honors a Girl Scout can earn.

All three awards give you the chance to do big things while supporting an issue you care about. You might plant a community garden at your school or inspire others to eat healthy foods for your Bronze, advocate for animal rights for your Silver, or build a career network that encourages girls to become scientists and engineers for your Gold. Whatever you choose, you'll inspire others (and yourself).

Also a given: as you earn one of Girl Scouts' highest awards, you'll change your corner of the world—and beyond. The possibilities are endless!

You can find all Highest Award Guidelines, current GSCWM reports and forms, and many helpful resources at gscwm.org/awards.

Bronze Award Orientations are offered to troop leaders and parents who are interested in arming themselves with the knowledge and tools they'll need to lead their Juniors through a successful Girl Scout Bronze Award experience.

NEW THIS YEAR! Bronze Award Workshops are offered to Juniors who are interested in learning the steps to earning their Bronze Award, arming themselves with some tips and tricks, and even some hands-on activities to get them started on their way.

Strive for Silver Orientations are highly recommended for Cadettes interested in learning about the steps to becoming a Silver Award Girl Scout, the pros and cons of an individual vs. team project, understanding the difference between Take Action and community service, and understanding the importance of the community impact of a project. Troop leaders, advisors, and parents are strongly encouraged to join as well.

Go for Gold Orientations provide valuable information about the national Gold Award Guidelines, the award process including paperwork, deadlines, what to expect when meeting with the Gold Award Committee (GAC), and an opportunity to get your questions answered from members of the GAC. Leaders, advisors, and parents are also encouraged to attend.

You will find information about all Orientations listed throughout the Program Guide program listings.

Gold Award Committee Meetings are held in both our Holyoke and Worcester Leadership Centers. Appointments with the GAC can be made by emailing GoldAward@gscwm.org at least one month prior to when you would like an appointment. All girls will meet with the GAC for their Initial Interviews and Final Reviews, at a minimum.

NEW THIS YEAR! Bronze, Silver and Gold Patrols: Have questions about the Girl Scout Highest Awards? Whether you are an adult guiding girls through the process, a girl working on award steps, want some help brainstorming, need someone to bounce ideas off of, or just have a general question about one of the awards itself, join us for these informal chats and Q&A sessions. Patrols take place monthly from September through June on the last business day of the month. While there is no charge to join us, you'll need to register to receive the Zoom link. All Patrol dates and times are listed throughout the program listings.

TRAVEL OPS

Girl Scouts love to travel—from the field trips they take as Daises and Brownies to the global adventures they go on as teens. If you love exploring different places and cultures, then check out these travel opportunities!

Troop travel

With your troop's proceeds from the Girl Scout Fall Product and Cookie Programs, your group may decide on local, national or international travel opportunities.

Getaways

If your troop is looking for all of the adventure of a trip but wants to have the details taken care of for you, getaways are the answer! To see all Troop Getaway opportunities visit http://forgirls.girlscouts.org/travel/take-a-trip/getaways/

GSUSA International Events

Girl Scouts go global! International events for troops hosted by global scouting organizations and information about how to visit our amazing WAGGGS centers. To see all Troop GSUSA International Travel opportunities visit http://forgirls.girlscouts.org/travel/take-a-trip/international-events/

Destinations

Cadettes and older, you can be whisked away to the far corners of the world where you will meet other remarkable go-getters, develop leadership skills, gain confidence, and enjoy valuable opportunities to take action. For a current list of destinations and applications, visit http://forgirls.girlscouts.org/travel/take-a-trip/destinations.

GSCWM Girl Scouts Go Domestic Travel

GSCWM is expanding our domestic troop travel. We will be offering extended day long trips and short trips of two – five -days. Trips are open to either troops or girls with an adult. Look for more info after October 2022 regarding the trips listed below.

NYC Day Trip: April 2023

Four Day Savannah Trip: May 2023

GSCWM Girl Scouts Go International Travel

Girl Scouting has taught you valuable skills such as goal setting, decision making, money management, people skills, and challenging yourself. Now sharpen these skills as you travel the world. Be a real go-getter and start planning now for trips through Summer 2027.

Summer 2023 Adventure in Peru

Summer 2024 London, Paris, Barcelona

Summer 2025 Incredible India
Summer 2026 London to Lucerne

Summer 2027 Japan- Land of the Rising Sun

The world is your oyster for summer 2023 and beyond! Attend an informational meeting to learn about Getaway, Destinations or GSCWM Girl Scout Go Travel programs with GSCWM Travel Staff, and our GSCWM International Travel Coordinator to get all of your questions answered. Have a question now? Email travel@gscwm.org. Check out www.gscwm.org/travel for travel information meeting dates and more details on any of our travel opportunities.

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For more than a century, camping has been a cornerstone of the Girl Scout experience. When girls get outdoors they create memories, make new discoveries, develop friendships, and learn new skills. Girls become lifelong learners, take on new challenges, think outside the box, find creative ways to get things done, and embrace the unfamiliar. Camping is in our Girl Scout DNA!

GSCWM owns four camps which were developed and are maintained for the express purpose of providing Girl Scout programs in the outdoors and to inspire girls to develop a love of nature, as well as a lasting commitment to the environment. Camps are located throughout central and western Massachusetts and each offers a unique experience.

Service Unit Encampments: Reserve up to 9 months prior to your date.

Troop Camping: Reserve up to 6 months prior to your date.

Camp to Troop: Calling all curious campers! GSCWM's Camp to Troop program is the perfect way to give your troop a first look at all the activities summer camp has to offer. Our program staff will visit your troop meeting, where girls can discover what a day at summer camp is like, learn valuable camp skills, and explore all the exciting program offerings coming to camp this year. Email emercier@gscwm.org if you would like to schedule a Camp to Troop visit, or if you have any questions.

Service Projects: Pre-arrange a project with GSCWM. Some ideas include: painting, cleaning fire circles, cleaning camp sites, and landscaping.

Borrow Equipment: to borrow or rent equipment, complete the Loanable Resources Form found online: www.gscwm.org/forms.html.

Find out more at www.gscwm.org and click on Camp. Confirm availability by looking at the appropriate site calendar. If there is a site noted on a date, this signifies a reservation is in place. "Exclusive" signifies the entire camp has been reserved.

Girl Scout Summer Camp

Girl Scout Camp is a key benefit of being a Girl Scout and provides access to our beautiful camps. In addition, no Girl Scout experience is required to attend our summer camp. In a girl-led, girl-friendly environment, girls challenge themselves to take healthy risks, surrounded by supportive friends and camp staff. When girls spend quality time outdoors and increase their exposure to nature, they thrive physically, emotionally, and intellectually. That's great news!

Questions about specific camp programs email camp@gscwm.org Questions about registering or processing payments email info@gscwm.org

Camp positively impacts girls, and there is something amazing about being outdoors where you make new friends, try new things, and laugh until you cry! Come explore camp with your family during our open house session, learn a few camp songs, and eat some s'mores. This is a great way to see what camp looks like before the summer begins! Open houses and Meet the Staff days take place rain or shine. While registration is not required to attend, it does allow us to be better prepared. RSVP to camp@gscwm.org

GSCWM is excited to be offering both virtual and in person camp open houses for girls and their families to learn about camp opportunities. Watch our Facebook page and GSCWM Program Express newsletter for more information coming soon.

Camp Financial Assistance

Camp fosters lifelong learning, an appreciation for the outdoors, and helps build the next generation of girl leaders - we don't want financial need to be a barrier to your Girl Scout attending camp. This optional orientation is open to parents/guardians who are interested in learning more about GSCWM Camp Financial Assistance. We'll review the application process step-by-step, go over timelines, processes and paperwork, and have plenty of time for questions. Join us to learn more about how you can provide an invaluable summer experience for your girl.

Learn more about these upcoming orientations in our GSCWM Program Express newsletter coming soon.

Exciting New Program Offerings

Summer 2022 is quickly approaching and here at GSCWM we are readily preparing for a summer full of memories, laughter, exploration, and campfires. Our team has been hard at work creating program sessions that appeal to all girls and below we are sharing with you an exclusive sneak peak of our camp program offerings. Be on the lookout for more details coming soon in our 2022 Camp Guide and be sure to register for one of these exciting sessions when Camp registration opens in January 2022!

Day Camp - Coming Soon!

Wizarding World

Open to Grades 1-3

Discover the magical world of camp and the wonders of teamwork! You will have the chance to experience the house sorting ceremony, make your own magic in potions class, and play enchanted games like wizard chess and Quidditch. Once you've learned the ways of the wizarding world, you will work together to create your very own magical games!

Artist Adventure

Open to Grades 4-6

Express your artistic vision and explore a variety of artistic mediums this week at camp! You will have the opportunity to create to your heart's content by composing your own music, creating your own jewelry, practicing sketching and drawing, and even making art from the natural world.

Program Aide

Open to Grades 6-8

Once you have completed your council-led Program Aide (PA) Core Training, continue your leadership journey with a week at camp, where you will create and conduct six program activities for younger girls and earn your Program Aide award! PA Core Training is April 20 at our Holyoke Leadership Center, and April 21 at our Worcester Leadership Center. Can't make those dates? No problem! Join us for our two-week PA session, where you can complete your core training and your hands-on leadership experience at camp. During the first week, you will receive your Core Training, while still enjoying all the activities that camp has to offer, including archery, swimming, boating, and more! During the second week, you will have the opportunity to hone your outdoor and specialized skills for camp, including fire building, camp songs, and games. Finally, you will complete your PA Award and earn your PA pin by planning and executing six program activities for younger campers. To register for either the one-week or two-week Program Aide sessions, as well as the Program Aide Core Training at our Leadership Centers, girls must have previously earned their Leadership in Action (LiA) Award.

Resident Camp -Coming Soon!

Mermaids

Open to Grades 2-3

Do you like life under the sea? Come spend time at camp and explore the best of our water activities. Girls will spend extra time each day exploring swimming, boating, sand castle contests and so much more. Then end the week with an Under the Sea Party. This program includes swim lessons.

Go-Getters

Open to Grades 4-6

Go get the most you can out of a week at camp. Get adventurous on the challenge course and archery range. Get a taste of magic in the Enchanted Forest. Get creative while making sculptures and jewelry in the craft loft. Get cooled off while trying sand castle making and boating fun in big pond. Get extra time in the gaga ball pit. Are you a go-getter?



Potter's Express

Open to Grades 6-8

Explore the magical side of camp as you get sorted into houses. You'll make your own wand and explore making potions and perfecting charms. Try a game of Quidditch and discover the mythical magical creatures around camp. Earn points towards the house cup awarded at the end of the week.

Water Divas

Open to Grades 9-12

Don't forget your swimsuit for these two weeks of water-packed fun! You'll perfect your kayaking skills and try your hand at paddle boarding. Explore your skills on a sailboat. Kick it up a notch with an exciting rafting trip with Zoar Outdoors, all before enjoying some time just hanging at the beach.

CIT I

Open to Grades 10-11

For girls entering grade 10 and up, this three-week program will start your camp leadership experience where you'll focus on the skills necessary to work with children at camp. Learn the importance of working as a team and what positions are needed to successfully run a camp program. Visit another camp's CIT program, shadow camp staff, and learn more about what to expect from campers. This is your opportunity to plan and implement an all-camp activity and spend time in another unit. Campers must go home between sessions. An application and interview are required.

Join our Camp Staff Team!

Summer 2022 is right around the corner and we need your help to hire enthusiastic, talented, and caring individuals to join our Camp Staff team. GSCWM recruits both regionally and internationally, and we carefully select staff based on maturity, program skills, experience, and their ability to serve as role models. All GSCWM camp staff must attend an intensive pre-camp training session to bond as a team and gain skills in camping, including safety, activity planning, camper care, teambuilding, and much more. Staff members who supervise high-adventure activities such as the pool, water sports, challenge course, archery, and other areas receive additional training and certifications. Many staff members return each year and travel from all around the world to ensure that our campers have an amazing camp experience.

To learn more about available positions at our camps and how you can join our team, visit www.gscwm.org and search Summer Camp.



PRODUCT PROGRAMS

Girl Scouts of Central and Western Massachusetts empowers the leaders of tomorrow by giving them the opportunity to participate in two very exciting programs that teach girls valuable life skills. The Fall Product Program runs primarily from September to October while the Girl Scout Cookie Program runs from December to March. Both programs consist of virtual as well as inperson options that embrace the five key business and leadership skills that will last a lifetime. Girl Scout Cookie Season is upon us – it's such an exciting time of year for Girl Scouts of all ages. Girls are able to take the skills they have learned during the Fall Product Program and put them into action. To continue to help girls with this program, we have some tips, tricks and themes to ensure that all girls have a fun and successful Cookie Program season.

Digital Cookie - Online Program - Dec 8, 2021 - March 13, 2022

While Digital Cookie is a great way for relatives out of state to support their Girl Scout, did you know that you can also use it for local friends and family with the added convenience of "Girl Delivery"? This way, local customers don't pay shipping, AND your Girl Scout can deliver the cookies at a time that is convenient for everyone and with contactless delivery. This is an easy way for your neighbors, friends, and community to safely support you.

Bling Your Virtual Booth Weekend - Jan 14-16, 2022

New this year, we are adding virtual cookie booths to our Bling Your Booth Weekend! Whether online or in person, a little bling always catches people's eye. Have fun creating your virtual booth décor that will encourage customers to shop and support your Girl Scout Cookie Program. Even something as simple as hanging a sheet on the wall behind you with pictures of the cookies can make a great virtual cookie booth.

Girls Have Heart Weekend - Feb 11-13, 2022

Show your support and pride for our local military troops and their families by decorating your drive-thru booth and front yard cookie stand during Valentine's Day Weekend. Promoting GSCWM's Project Care and Share program is another opportunity to increase your sales and to give back to those in our community. It's also a great way for customers who are on a New Year's diet or are unable to consume cookies to be able to support your troop while supporting the military troops located in our community.

Interested in additional ideas and suggestions for your cookie season? Check out www.littlebrownie.com for more tools and fun-filled activities all about cookies.

BIRTHDAY BASH - SAVE THE DATE - Sunday, March 6, 2022 Time: 11:30 AM-5:00 PM

We are turning 110! Help us celebrate by coming to our Railers event and participate in our cake contest. This cookie season gather your troop and come up with a one of a kind Cookie Birthday Cake. Create it, Bake it, and write a recipe card for it! We want to see all our yummy ideas and creations. The only rule is that it must contain Girl Scout Cookies. it can be a pie, cupcakes, cookie cake, etc. Whatever your heart desires. You will want to take a picture of it and submit that and the recipe card by February 25. We will be printing your pictures and displaying them at the event with the Railers. All attendees will be able to vote on which one is their favorite. The winning cake will get a Mystery Prize! All pictures should be submitted to prodprograms@gscqm.org no late entries will be accepted.

PRODUCT PROGRAMS

Cookie Program Dates:

Order Cards & Girl Delivery online orders: Direct Shipped Online Sales: December 8, 2021 - March 13, 2022 January 14 - March 13, 2022

Girls and their troops begin the planning process for the annual Cookie Program in December. The program kickoff begins on December 8 when girls begin selling using their order cards and online. On January 14, the Direct Sale aspect of the Cookie Program begins in full swing as girls start selling with cookies in hand! From virtual booths to drive-thru booth sales and online orders, the 5 Skills are put to work as girls and their troops set goals and determine how to achieve them.

Not in a Troop? Become a Cookie Boss!

As with many fun programs at GSCWM, girls do not have to be a member of a troop to participate in the Girl Scout Fall Product and Cookie Programs. Girls who are on the non-troop affiliated pathway can participate through their service units for the Fall Product Program and during the Cookie Season they can become a Cookie Boss!

Cookie Boss girls will sell cookies through the following platforms:

- **Digital Cookie:** Cookie Bosses create customized websites on their own Digital Order Card Platform, for a completely contactless sale.
- Order Taking: Using the paper cookie order cards, Cookie Bosses ask neighbors, friends, and family members to place orders for cookies.
- Booth Sales/Direct Sales: A Cookie Boss gets cookies and sells them directly to customers, often at booths in high-traffic areas such as grocery stores, malls or at sporting events.

As part of the Cookie Boss program, girls are eligible to earn Cookie Credits if they sell 125 boxes or more. Girls can use their cookie credits for exciting opportunities like camping and program events sponsored by GSCWM or Service Units, GSCWM Girl Scout Travel, Girl Scout sponsored Destinations, anything sold at GSCWM stores, or any Girl Scout activity. Girls will be able to work on the 5 Skills and help fund their Girl Scout experience while learning valuable life and business skills.

In early December, an email will be sent to all non-troop affiliated girls to welcome them to sign up for the Cookie Boss Program. Are you a new non-troop affiliated Girl Scout? If so, email Jessica, jgonzalez@gscwm.org to learn more and become a Cookie Boss!

What do the product programs fund?

The Girl Scout Fall Product and Cookie Programs are two of only a few youth-oriented programs in the country providing its participants the ability to decide how to direct the proceeds generated through their business activity. Some girls are using their proceeds for travel, big trips abroad, and local programs. Some girls use their cookie credits to help fund their way to summer camp or earning their Highest Awards, and many give back to the community by funding their service projects. Council-wide, most of our Girl Scout troops reinvest a portion of their proceeds in service projects that address specific community needs. Many of the troops also take part in Project Care & Share programs which make donations to local food pantries and to our military troops.

All proceeds from the sale of Girl Scout Fall Product and Cookie Programs remain in central and western Massachusetts and benefit girls in the community in which the products are sold. The local Girl Scout council uses product program revenue to supply essential services to troops and individual girls, providing program resources and support, training adult volunteers, conducting events, maintaining camps, and providing financial assistance to help make Girl Scouting possible for all girls.

FINANCIAL LITERACY FOR GIRLS

Open to Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors and Ambassadors throughout GSCWM.

TD Charitable Foundation is dedicated to providing girls with resources and knowledge about setting goals and becoming financially responsible when earning and managing money. Through their generous funding, GSCWM members (Daisies through Ambassadors) who earn any Financial Literacy or Cookie Business Badges will receive ONE award free of charge.

Financial Literacy and Cookie Business Badges



- After you have completed a badge, visit our survey at www.surveymonkey.com/r/FinancialLiteracy2022
- Upon completion of the survey, you will receive a certificate within six weeks which may be redeemed at our council shops.
- All rewards must be earned and claimed by June 1, 2022.
- We are limited to only 1500 badges and are on a first-come, first served basis. Girls can only redeem for one free badge.

Questions?

Email program@gscwm.org





ADDITIONAL GIRL SCOUT AWARDS AND PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for more Programs and Girl Scout Award Opportunities? Check these out:

Girl Scout Tree Promise: This spring, GSCWM is joining in on GSUSA's Girl Scout Tree Promise! Through the Tree Promise, GSUSA has pledged to protect, honor, and plant 1 million trees each year for five years. In addition to our Tree Promise programs, where girls can learn how to protect and honor trees and earn their Tree Promise badge, GSCWM is hosting a community tree planting event. Be on the lookout for more information in our March and April editions of Program Express, or register for our Girl Scout Tree Promise and Girl Scout Tree Conservation programs to learn more! If you have any questions, please email emercier@gscwm.org.

National Leadership Awards: We take pride in providing service to others and doing what we can to make the world a better place. To recognize older girls, Cadette through Ambassadors, for their dedication and commitment to both their Girl Scout community along with their own communities, girls are recognized with numerous awards. Find information about these awards at gscwm.org, on the about/our program tab.

Teen Mentoring Awards: When girls guide or teach others, they act as mentors. An exciting part of a Girl Scout's development, teen mentoring is a win-win proposition! Check them out at gscwm. org, on the about/our program tab.

Archery: GSCWM's archery programs are in full swing! Learn the steps of the shooting cycle and shoot an arrow just like an Olympian. Archery programs are based on levels and experience. Look for scheduled archery programs at gscwm.org on the events listing page.

Girl Leadership Board: Junior through Ambassador Girl Scouts, you've already signed on to make the world a better place; now here's your chance to do it for our council! We invite you to join the GLB for a year full of empowering moments that will enhance your leadership skills while sharing valuable views with GSCWM! You'll meet throughout the year with CEO Pattie Hallberg and other GSCWM staff members to vocalize ideas and give recommendations. Request more information or an application form from Brandi at BBarcomb@gscwm.org and join us today!

Religious Awards: My Promise, My Faith: Girls of all grade levels can earn the My Promise, My Faith pin, which helps girls make the connection between the Girl Scout Promise and Law and their religion. This pin can be earned each year. Information for each Girl Scout level can be found in *The Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting*.

High Adventure Group

Love everything extreme? Join our High Adventure Group, open to Girl Scout Cadettes through Ambassadors, and participate in programs like downhill skiing and rock climbing. Our High Adventure Group enjoys various trips and events throughout the year. You can attend one or attend them all! The girls of the High Adventure Group work together to decide on other events throughout the year as well. What do YOU want to do? Email gscwmhighadventure@gmail.com for more information.

ADDITIONAL GIRL SCOUT AWARDS AND PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES

Trailblazers

Can't get enough of the outdoors? Want to practice and hone your survival skills? Look no further than GSCWM's Trailblazers! We are a girl-led group for grades 6-12 focused on hiking, backpacking, camping, and more. GSCWM runs one Worcester group and one Holyoke group, which each meet monthly from September to June. Have more questions? Register for our Trailblazers Trail Map information session on May 3, 2022, or email emercier@gscwm.org. Registration for the Worcester and Holyoke Trailblazers will open in Fall 2022.

Robotics

Seeking go-getters, innovators, risk-takers and leaders to take on the challenge! FIRST LEGO League challenges kids to think like scientists and engineers. GSCWM Robotics needs your expertise for our next season of FIRST LEGO League Robotics. Program a robot, complete challenges, and solve real-world problems! Join with other girls to learn all about robotics when the FIRST LEGO League 2022 challenge is released. Teams meet in both the Worcester and Holyoke Leadership Centers, from September - December, watch for registration later this spring. We are looking for two adult volunteers to assist weekly at our meetings. All adults must be registered, CORIed, and available for each meeting, including the competition. Have more questions about GSCWM Robotics teams? Email jgonzalez@gscwm.org.



KEEP IN TOUCH

With Girl Scouts, you're a part of a community where there are always new and fun opportunities. Stay in touch!

Our Website: gscwm.org Visit gscwm.org often for the most current information on events and news including upcoming events and trainings, programs for girls, product program information and store closing announcements.

Volunteer Express For membership news our volunteers need - what's coming up, what's happening, things to make you a more confident and efficient leader - you'll love Volunteer Express. This electronic newsletter is distributed the first Sunday of each month, August through June. To begin receiving Volunteer Express, visit www.gscwm.org and click on the link at the top of the page (Electronic News) to sign up.

Program Express This short and sweet e-newsletter for parents and caring adults highlights the experiences and programs that comprise the Girl Scout Leadership Experience. To begin receiving Program Express, visit www.gscwm.org and click on the link at the top of the page (Electronic News) to sign up. Be sure to opt in to promotional information when you register or renew your registration. Program Express arrives in your inbox monthly, September through June.

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HOW DO I GET MY GIRLS FEATURED? Share with us all the super awesome things a troop, girl or volunteer has been up to and your story could be featured in our blog, social media, newsletters and more! On GSCWM's homepage click on About, Our Council, Share Your Story.



Volunteers make our mission possible.

Stand Up for a Better Tomorrow. Be a Girl Scout Volunteer.

Girl Scouts makes sure girls see and have opportunities to reach their potential—not just to ensure they'll earn better grades, make better decisions, and lead happier lives (though we help with those things too!).

And Girl Scout volunteers are the change-makers who make it all possible. They lead the sisterhood that provides comfort and inspiration in trying moments—giving girls the tools to solve problems and bounce back when faced with life's challenges.

In short, Girl Scout volunteers transform lives.

Bonus? The benefits of volunteering with Girl Scouts go both ways. As a volunteer, you'll:

- Unleash the confidence that comes with being a role mode
- Discover your leadership style as your girls discover theirs
- Network and meet new people in your community
- · Build new skills and have fun as you take on exciting activities with your girls

There's nothing like helping girls find their voices and use them to change the world. Contact us today to start the conversation. Your life will never be the same.





Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place.