

Community Collaborator Directory



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Send Us Your Photos

We'd LOVE to hear from you, so [send us photos and stories](#) for our [JG Magazine](#).

Become a Collaborator

Interested in Becoming a Community Collaborator? Contact KassyJo Novak [via email](#) or call 402.779.8209.

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The Amazing Pizza Machine

The Amazing Pizza Machine is a HUGE 60,000 square foot, all-indoor, award-winning Family Entertainment Center in Omaha, Nebraska, devoted to creating unforgettable memories. We provide safe, clean, family fun for all ages. Enjoy unlimited buffet dining, ride thrill rides, take in our feature attractions, and play our variety of more than 170 of the latest arcade games in our Amazing Arcade.

SCOUT GROUP SPECIALS

The perfect group rate package for Scouts wanting to come together in fellowship and fun any day of the year. Our Youth Group packages include a visit to our unlimited Amazing Buffet plus a BIG FUN arcade card loaded with PlayPoints or minutes of timed play to use in the Amazing Arcade.

When: Available any operating day of the year

Cost: Starting at \$16.99 per Girl Scout

Capacity: Minimum 10 guests

SCOUT SLEEPOVER 2022

Girl Scouts join us for our 2022 Scout Sleepover! Enjoy a special Scouts-only buffet and play package. Scouts get to play until 1 a.m. then spend the night camping out in the Amazing Arcade. Family and friends are welcome to join in the fun until close, and then it is Girl Scouts-only fun with their overnight chaperones from closing time to 1 a.m. Call our Group Sales hotline or check your [2021-22 Annual Program Book](#) for detailed information about the Sleepover package.

When: Friday, January 14, 2022

Cost: \$36.99 per person for the overnight package. Special pricing for chaperones and non-overnight guests too!

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

Where: The Amazing Pizza Machine, 13955 “S” Plaza, Omaha, NE 68137

Registration: Call our Group Sales hotline at 402.829.1785 weekdays. Advance registration and deposit required to secure your spot and group rate pricing.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

ABOUT US

Here at The Amazing Pizza Machine we offer over 60,000 square feet of weatherproof, all-indoor fun every day. We feature over 170 arcade games, thrill rides and attractions including Laser Tag, Bumper Cars, Frog Hopper, our Hologate Virtual Reality experience, our ALL-NEW go karts, and our ALL-NEW Mission Vortex spinning thrill ride.

Dining is effortless and unlimited at our Amazing Buffet. Choose from pizza, pasta, salad, breads, soups, tacos, baked potatoes, desserts, ice cream, slushies, and beverages. Dine in your choice of our four themed dining rooms or we'll reserve a private party room for you and your fellow Scouts.

Voted “Best of Omaha” every year and named a “Top Family Entertainment Center of the World” by the International Association for Amusement Parks and Attractions. Come party with us where we like to say “We Throw the Biggest Party in Town...every day!”

[Click here to visit the Amazing Pizza Machine's website.](#)

American History FILM PROJECT



American History Film Project

The American History Film Project (AHFP) is a fun way for Girl Scouts to earn badges and get additional recognition for “Celebrating Community/Playing with the Past/Truth Seeking” while making short 3-10 minute digital films. Girl Scouts can create short films as an individual, troop/group, or family multigenerational project that tells the story of a local event or legend. It can be a mini drama, re-enactment, interview with a historian or family member. All films will be archived representing your hometown on a [digital U.S. map found on our website](#).

In addition to Girl Scout badges, girls may earn medals and recognition from AHFP and local leaders. There is no cost to participate; [just email a link to your film](#). [Parent permission forms](#) are found on our website.

Troops are encouraged to host their own local film screening for parents and community at a Girl Scout meeting or local museum (either in person or virtual). Then AHFP holds annual and regional online exhibitions as well as show the film at the Angelika Film Center near Washington, DC. In previous years, students from Nebraska, California, New Jersey, Florida, and Illinois have traveled to the Washington DC area to get the “red carpet treatment” and watch their films on the big screen. We’ve also Skyped students from Arizona and Indiana to observe audience reactions, answer questions, and meet other junior historians. In 2020, we began film exhibitions and screenings via webcast and Zoom. [Watch Girl Scouts in action at exhibitions here](#).

While AHFP is not a competition, and all K-12 student work get posted to our site, your film may also qualify for National History Day (NHD) 2021 competition if done in a documentary format, citing research sources, and with “communication” as one of the themes.

Who: Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: The deadline for [submitting a film](#) is April 1 each year.

Cost: Free

Recognitions:

- Brownies: Celebrating Community badge
- Juniors: Playing With The Past badge
- Cadettes: Digital Movie Maker badge
- Seniors: Truth Seekers badge

Registration: Every girl who participates in the film must submit a [Parent Permission Form](#). Complete rules are included [on our website](#) and the deadline each year is April 1.

Chaperones: [Follow Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: [Contact Martha Barnes via email](#).

Note: Because the American History Film Project is not a competition, we encourage adults and families to have a role in the film. However, please list in your film credits everyone who helps with the film, including family members.

[Click here to visit the American History Film Project website.](#)

AMERICAN MIDWEST --- Ballet

American Midwest Ballet

GIRL SCOUTS AND THE BALLET

Through the Collaborator Program, American Midwest Ballet provides Girl Scouts with opportunities to experience and learn about dance. The ballet's Girl Scouts Collaboration helps support the mission of "building girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place." American Midwest Ballet's Girl Scout Collaboration is created for students of all ages and offers troops many options to experience dance through classes, workshops, and performances.

SEE A PERFORMANCE

Girl Scouts are invited to attend this season's dance performances presented by American Midwest Ballet, the region's professional ballet company, at special reduced ticket prices. Please use the code GSCOUT for a 15% discount on tickets. [Performance tickets are available online.](#)

THE NUTCRACKER

Always fresh, lively, and thoroughly entertaining, The Nutcracker returns with the visual splendor and charming story that make it a family favorite.

When and Where:

- Saturday, November 20, at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Hoff Center, 1001 S 6th St., Council Bluffs
- Sunday, November 21, at 2 p.m., Hoff Center, 1001 S 6th St., Council Bluffs
 - November 21 is a sensory-friendly performance, designed to increase accessibility for people on the autism spectrum.
- Saturday, December 4, at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Orpheum Theater, 409 S 16th St., Omaha
- Sunday, December 5, at 2 p.m., Orpheum Theater, 409 S 16th St., Omaha

MOMENTUM

American Midwest Ballet's award-winning mixed repertory program features an eclectic mix of ballets that showcase the exciting range of dance as an expressive art form.

When and Where:

- Saturday, February 26, at 7:30 p.m., Hoff Center, 1001 S 6th St., Council Bluffs
- Sunday, February 27, at 2 p.m., Hoff Center, 1001 S 6th St., Council Bluffs

SWING, SWING, SWING!

You'll be swept away as a guy, a girl, and their friends flirt, kick up their heels, fall in love, and most of all... Swing, Swing, Swing! Featuring live big band music.

When and Where:

- Saturday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m., Hoff Center, 1001 S 6th St., Council Bluffs
- Saturday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m., Orpheum Theater, 409 S 16th St., Omaha

ATTEND A DANCE CLASS

Girl Scouts' registration fees will be waived on all classes at American Midwest Ballet School. Register by phone at 712.890.5591 and reference SCOUTS DANCE. For class details, [visit our website](#).

DANCE WITH A PROFESSIONAL BALLERINA

Get up and dance with a professional ballet dancer and earn a ballet badge! American Midwest Ballet is hosting special dance workshops exclusively for currently registered and active Girl Scouts. In this hour-long workshop, scouts will meet a professional dancer from American Midwest Ballet, stretch together, and practice basic ballet steps before learning a short, fun dance to a popular song. The session will end with a question and answer session, so scouts can learn about the life of a professional dancer. No dance experience or special shoes required. Comfortable athletic-wear encouraged. For scheduling, have your troop co-leader [contact us](#) for more information.

When: Contact American Midwest Ballet to schedule.

Where: Hoff Family Arts & Culture Center, 1001 S 6th St., Council Bluffs. Virtual Workshops are also available. [Contact us](#) for more information.

Cost: Free

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Contact us [via email](#) or [visit our website](#).

Please Note: American Midwest Ballet follows CDC guidance re COVID-19. For the safety of all guests, masks are required at American Midwest Ballet events. Any public location where people are present provides an inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19, and AMB cannot guarantee that you will not be exposed during your visit. By attending, you assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

[Click here to visit American Midwest Ballet's website.](#)



Audubon

Iain Nicolson
Audubon Center
at Rowe Sanctuary

Audubon's Rowe Sanctuary

Iain Nicolson Audubon Center at Rowe Sanctuary focuses on conservation of the Platte River ecosystem and the birds that rely on it.

BROWNIES BUGS BADGE KIT

Girl Scout co-leaders or caregivers can check out a kit complete with supplies and an activity guide to help complete a portion of the badge requirements.

Who: Brownies

BROWNIES OUTDOOR ART BADGE KIT

Girl Scout co-leaders or caregivers can check out a kit complete with supplies and an activity guide to help complete a portion of the badge requirements.

Who: Brownies

JUNIORS ANIMAL HABITATS BADGE KIT

Girl Scout co-leaders or caregivers can check out a kit complete with supplies and an activity guide to help complete a portion of the badge requirements.

Who: Juniors

JUNIORS OUTDOOR ART BADGE KIT

Girl Scout co-leaders or caregivers can check out a kit complete with supplies and an activity guide to help complete a portion of the badge requirements.

Who: Juniors

JUNIORS FLOWERS BADGE KIT

Girl Scout co-leaders or caregivers can check out a kit complete with supplies and an activity guide to help complete a portion of the badge requirements.

Who: Juniors

When: At Request

Cost: Free

Where: Rowe Sanctuary, 44450 Elm Island Road, Gibbon, NE 68840

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Contact Beka Yates [via email](#) or call 308.468.5282.

Notes: Kits provide materials to help complete a portion of the badge requirements. Badges are not included but are available for purchase at your local Juliette's Boutique or the [online shop](#).

[Click here to visit the Audubon's Rowe Sanctuary website.](#)



The Durham Museum

There's a world of adventure awaiting Girl Scouts at The Durham Museum. From exploring our log cabin, to experiencing a Native American earth lodge, your Girl Scout troop is invited to tour the museum and experience history together!

SCOUTS-ONLY FAMILY NIGHT AT THE DURHAM MUSEUM

Scout families, enjoy the best of Christmas at Union Station complete with cookies, crafts and a scavenger hunt. Family-friendly, holiday-themed activities will make this a night to remember.

When: Monday, November 29, 2021, 4–7 p.m.

Cost: \$5/person (Girl Scout, sibling, or adult)

- Advanced registration is required.
- Payment is required upon registration.

Registration: Call 402.444.5027, [email](#), or visit [our website](#) to sign up!

GIRL SCOUTS

The Durham Museum is proud to offer several fun options for Girl Scouts of all ages. There's sure to be one that's a great fit for your troop. Book a tour (offered year-round) and provide a memorable, educational outing for your scout group! In addition, The Durham is proud to present the Celebrating our Community Badge for Brownies. There is no better place to complete these requirements than at The Durham Museum, Omaha's former Union Station and newest National Historic Landmark. Create a game to learn about Nebraska symbols, learn to march in a parade, and, of course, visit a historic landmark!

Tours

- \$5/Scout or chaperone

- Troop co-leaders are admitted free

Celebrating Our Community Badge

- \$200 for up to 25 guests

Questions/Reservations: Please call The Durham Museum Education Department at 402.444.5027, or [email us](#), to make a reservation or with any questions you may have.

[Click here to visit the Durham Museum's website.](#)



Figure Skating Club of Omaha

The Figure Skating Club of Omaha Learn to Skate class is the perfect way to combine fun and fitness. FSCO has over 80 years of skating excellence, teaching both recreational and competitive figure skating. This welcoming and safe environment is the perfect setting to introduce the girls to beginning skating skills. Whether you want to learn to skate for fun or beyond, we are the program for you!

LEARN TO ICE SKATE PROGRAM

This 1 hour program consists of a 30-minute instructed troop class, followed by a 30-minute supervised practice session.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

When:

- Mondays – 6:30-7:30 p.m. at McLean Arena
- Thursdays – 6-7 p.m. at Baxter Arena

Cost: \$15 per participant, skate rental included

Capacity: Minimum 5 skaters, maximum 10 skaters per instructor.

Where:

- McLean Ice Arena – 45th & P St.
- Baxter Arena – 67th & Center St.

Registration: [Email Andrea Williamson](#) to schedule your troop class.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Refunds: A 48-hour cancellation notice is required for refund.

Questions: Contact Andrea Williamson, FSCO Skating Director [via email](#).

Note: Helmets are recommended for all participants. Skaters should wear long pants/athletic wear, jackets and gloves. Masks must be worn by skaters and adults at all times while in the facility and on the ice. Social distancing practices are expected in the lobby areas.

[Click here to visit Figure Skating Club of Omaha's website.](#)



Go Fish Girls!

FISH ON! ... WOO HOO ! TEACHING GIRL SCOUTS HOW TO FISH SINCE 2006. GIRL SCOUT FISHING PATCH PROGRAM

Come enjoy this two-hour lakeside Girl Scout Fishing Patch Program! We start with the basics – safety, technique, and casting practice. Next, we head to the lake for “Worm Camp” and get those worms in the water. We won’t have to wait long for the thrill of the fish tugging on our line and seeing our bobber disappear under the water.

This isn’t your father’s fishing. We get loud, rowdy, and have lots of fun out on the pier! The first excited Girl Scout to catch a fish yells FISH ON! with a rally cry we all WOO HOO! ... and so the fun of fishing and celebrating catching begins!

Fishing is an exciting sport you will never outgrow. Come learn the basics and have lots of fun, too! Co-leaders, just sit back, and we will do the rest!

CUSTOMIZE YOUR FISHING ADVENTURE WITH ADD-ONS

Lakeside fishing craft (yes, a craft!) Decorate and customize your-own 17-compartment, plastic tackle box! We will fill them with hooks, weights, and a bobber after they have been decorated.

Cost: Additional \$3 per girl

- Conservation education
- Recycling event/park pick up
- Scavenger hunt
- Other requests

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: 5-7 p.m. during the week. Morning and evening times available on the weekends.

Cost: \$10 per Girl Scout (10 minimum) includes Fishing 101 class, take-home educational materials, Go Fish! casting game, use of rod/reel and tackle, bait, knot-tying card, State of Nebraska Fishing license for Girl Scouts 16 and under, guided fishing experience, and more.

Recognitions: Iron-on fishing fun patch available for additional \$1 per girl.

Capacity: Minimum 10, maximum 50

Where: Walnut Creek Lake, 96th Street and Highway 370, Papillion (will send maps with location/directions)

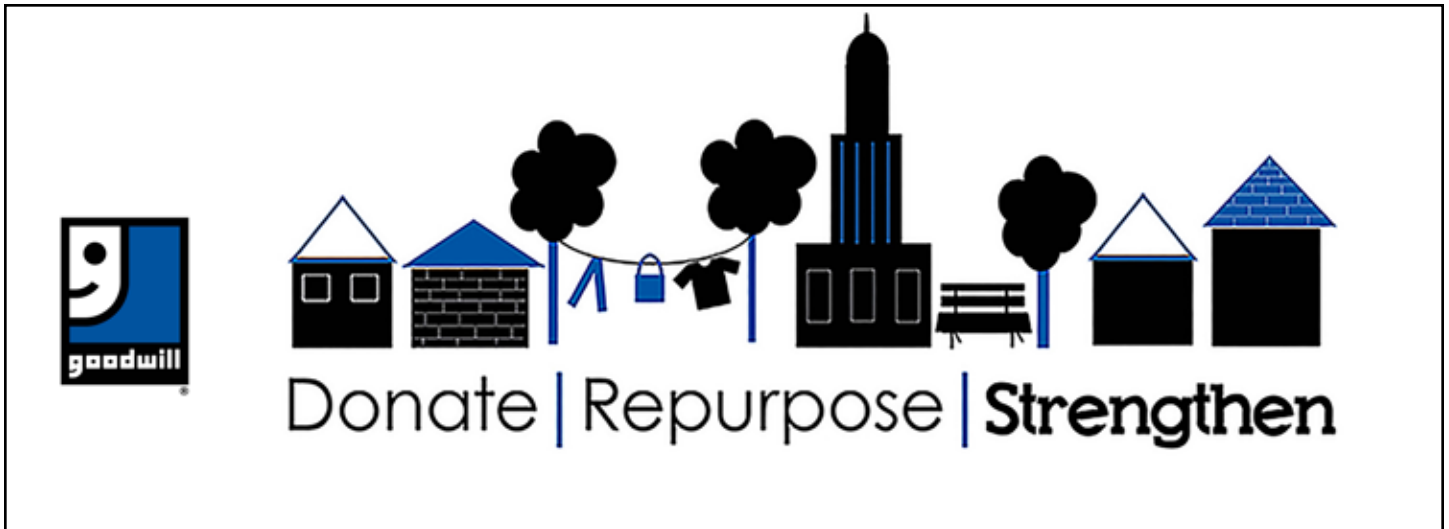
Registration: Please contact Angie Michaels, aka “The Fish Lady,” for reservations at 402.290.7714 [or by email](#).

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Refunds: Payment is due on the day of the event. Reminder, there is a 10-girl minimum for this program. Program can be customized with the addition of patches, tackle box craft, environmental emphasis, and games.

Questions: Please contact Angie at 402.290.7714 or [by email](#).

Thanks so much for getting your girls out on the water for a day of fishing they will never forget!



Goodwill Industries Serving Southeast Nebraska, Inc. (Goodwill Lincoln)

Goodwill Industries in Lincoln is a non-profit organization that maintains an effective Employment Services Program that offers job training and employment programs to people who face barriers to employment. Goodwill's client population includes people with physical, mental, and emotional disabilities, or dependence on public support. The sale of donated goods in their six retail locations remains the greatest source of funding for programs Goodwill provides. In 2020, Goodwill diverted 2.2 million pounds from the local landfill and helped almost 3,000 individuals with employment-related services.

GOOD TURN FOR GOODWILL

To earn the "Good Turn for Goodwill" patch, each girl will need to fill three bags with donations. Goodwill accepts clothing, home goods, and electronics. Donate to one of the Goodwill locations listed below during retail hours and take a photo of the donation. [Send Goodwill an email](#) with the photo attached, which store you donated to, and your mailing address. In return, they will send you the patch! For an entire troop, please send the number of girls with one photo and an address to send the patches. Due to changing COVID-19 guidelines, troops may also send one email with individual photos and addresses.

Locations Applicable for Donations:

- Apples Way – 6300 Apples Way, Lincoln, NE 68516
- Vine Street – 4555 Vine St., Lincoln, NE 68503
- 27th Street – 3190 N 27th St., Lincoln, NE 68521

- 17th and Sumner – 1700 S. 17th St., Lincoln, NE 68502
- Downtown – 1731 O St., Lincoln, NE 68508
- York – 512 Grant Ave, York, NE 68467

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

Recognitions:

- Good Turn for Goodwill Patch
- Daisy Petal — “Rosie” Pink: Make the World a Better Place
- Brownie Badge — Give Back

THE IMPORTANCE OF TEXTILE RECYCLING!

A representative of Goodwill will come to your troop meeting and speak about what happens to the textiles after you donate them to Goodwill with activities that teach girls about how many textiles are thrown away per person per year. This provides important knowledge on recycling beyond paper and aluminum. After, the representative will encourage the girls to donate materials or show them how to run a donation drive dependent on what the troop is interested in.

Who: Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

Recognitions:

- Good Turn for Goodwill Patch
- Girls attending this event will collect steps 3 and 5 of the Philanthropist Badge

When: Year Round

Cost: Free

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Please [contact Alana Sesow](#) or call 402.742.8456 with any questions or to make arrangements.

[Click here to visit Lincoln Goodwill’s website.](#)

Goodwill

Serving Eastern Nebraska and Southwest Iowa



Goodwill Industries, Inc. (Goodwill Omaha)

Many people know Goodwill Omaha as a place to donate used clothing and household items or find great bargains. But you might not know the mission at the heart of our organization: We provide job training and placement services to people with disabilities and other disadvantages.

Donating to and shopping at Goodwill retail stores support our mission programs. Here's how: People in the community donate gently used items to Goodwill. We sell those donated items in our retail stores. The proceeds from those sales subsidize our employment programs, giving thousands of individuals in the Omaha area the chance to earn a living, discover independence and succeed in life.

THE 35TH 'GOOD TURN FOR GOODWILL' GIRL SCOUT DONATION DRIVE

This annual community service project is open to all Girl Scouts in the Greater Omaha area, providing them a way to give back to the community by collecting material donations for local Goodwill stores, which subsidize Goodwill Omaha's employment training and placement programs and services.

Goodwill invites all Girl Scout troops from the Spirit of Nebraska council to participate in the "Good Turn for Goodwill" donation drive. To participate, collect clothing, books, household items, décor and more. Then, bring the donations to any [Goodwill Retail Store & Donation Center](#) location listed below to receive service patches and prizes! You may bring donations any time throughout the event, and you're welcome to make multiple trips.

Thank you for helping people in our community find the training and jobs they need to become independent and successful!

When: May 1 through May 31, 2022

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Adults

Cost: Free

Recognitions:

- Daisy Petal—"Rosie" Pink: Make the World a Better Place
- Brownie Badge—Give Back
- Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Adults—Good Turn patch

Registration: Register as a troop or an individual any time between March 22, 2022, and April 17, 2022. Make sure to include your troop number, so your troop gets credit for its donations. [Visit the Goodwill Omaha website](#) for more information.

Where to Donate: Any of the following Goodwill Retail Store & Donation Center locations:

- **Omaha:**
 - 14227 Hillsdale Circle, Omaha
 - 2221 North 109th Street
 - 4805 North 72nd Street
 - 8457 West Center Road
 - 201 N 78th St
 - 15455 Ruggles Street
 - 18125 R Plaza
- **Bellevue:**
 - 2303 Towne Centre Drive
- **Blair:**
 - 1364 Washington Street
- **Papillion:**
 - 704 Gold Coast Drive
 - 8507 Giles Road
- **Council Bluffs:**
 - 1850 Madison Avenue
- **Fremont:**
 - 3175 Elk Lane
- **Gretna:**
 - 11722 Standing Stone Drive
- **Attended Donation Centers (no retail store):**
 - 5411 S 96th Street
 - 5018 Grover Street
 - 1056 N 204th Street

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Contact Goodwill Omaha [by email](#).

Notes: Troops must have a minimum of five Girl Scouts to be eligible for donation quantity-based prizes. Individual Girl Scouts are welcome to participate independently.

[Click here to visit Goodwill Omaha's website.](#)



**GROUNDWATER
FOUNDATION**
Protect. Connect. Inspire.

Groundwater Foundation

The Groundwater Foundation is an educational, nonprofit organization with a mission to connect people, businesses, and communities through local groundwater education and action, making us all part of the solution for clean, sustainable groundwater.

The Foundation provides programs, projects, and tools that creatively involve individuals, communities, public, and private entities in groundwater education, conservation, and protection.

LET'S KEEP IT CLEAN! PATCH PROGRAM

Learn about groundwater, the water we drink and the water that grows our food. The “Let’s Keep It Clean!” patch program offers all levels of Girl Scouts the opportunity to earn two patches by taking action to protect groundwater and teaching others how to be water stewards.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

Cost: [Click here](#) to order patches and booklets. The cost of materials depends on which activities you choose. The average cost per Girl Scout (including booklet, patches, and estimated cost for materials) is \$5-\$10.

Recognitions: Complete two of the activities from the corresponding booklet to earn an “Ask Me About Groundwater!” patch. Earn the “Let’s Keep It Clean!” patch by doing more activities.

FREE, SEARCHABLE ONLINE RESOURCE LIBRARY

Find fun, educational activities and resources to use with your troop as they earn a “Let’s Keep It Clean!” patch using the Groundwater Foundation’s [online resource library](#). The library features over 70 hands-on activity instructions, curriculum guides, how-to videos, crosswords, word searches, coloring sheets, and more!

Search activities by multiple criteria, including:

- Age level
- Duration
- Key topic (irrigation, water quality, climate/weather, etc.)
- Category (outdoor, messy, arts and crafts, etc.)

Questions: Contact The Groundwater Foundation at 800.551.7379 or [by email](#).

[Visit the Groundwater Foundation's website](#) to find more ways Girl Scouts can protect groundwater.



Hastings Museum

Hastings Museum is the largest municipal museum between Chicago and Denver. Featuring a Theatre with a 70-foot wide screen and large full-domed Planetarium, we house dozens of animal species set in their natural habitats, allowing you to get an up-close look at many amazing creatures!

We also chronicle the history of the early inhabitants of the Nebraska plains while providing a look back at the creatures that used to roam this area and swim in the Cretaceous Sea. Of course you'll also discover how Kool-Aid, the famous soft drink invented in Hastings, came to be such a success.

Hastings Museum, accredited by the American Alliance of Museums, connects people to the world – and universe – through educational programs, exhibits and films. It inspires respect for, and understanding of, our past and future.

OVERNIGHTERS

When: Call to schedule

Cost: \$27 per person, plus security deposit. Cost includes badge activity stations, snacks, a 2D or 3D film, planetarium shows, games, and breakfast.

Capacity: Minimum 100 people

Chaperones: 1 adult to 5 Girl Scouts

DAY PROGRAMS

When: Call to schedule. Daisy and Brownie programs are 2 hours. Junior, Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador programs are 3 hours.

Cost:

- \$10 per Daisy and Brownie
- \$12 per Junior, Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador
- \$7 per adult

Capacity: Minimum 5 Girl Scouts, Maximum 25 Girl Scouts

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors

Where: Hastings Museum, 1330 N. Burlington Ave. Hastings, NE 68901

Recognitions:**Daisies**

- Board Game Design Challenge
- Design a Robot
- Good Neighbor
- How Robots Move
- Model Car Design Challenge
- Outdoor Art Maker
- Roller Coaster Design Challenge
- Space Science Explorer
- What Robots Do

Brownies

- Bugs
- Designing Robots
- Home Scientist
- Letterboxer
- Making Games
- Outdoor Adventurer
- Outdoor Art Creator
- Painting
- Potter
- Programming Robots
- Senses
- Space Science Adventurer

Juniors

- Animal Habitats
- Detective
- Designing Robots
- Drawing
- Flowers
- Gardner
- Jeweler
- Outdoor Art Explorer
- Playing the Past
- Programming Robots

- Space Science Investigator

Cadettes

- Night Owl
- Outdoor Art Apprentice
- Space Science Researcher
- Special Agent
- Trees

Seniors

- Collage Artist
- Game Visionary
- Outdoor Art Expert
- Sky
- Space Science Expert

Ambassadors

- Outdoor Art Master
- Space Science Master

Register: Contact Russanne Hoff at 402.461.2399 or [by email](#).

For more information, [visit our website](#).



It's Yours Pottery

Creating in Clay and More... we offer a creative experience for all Girl Scouts. It's Yours Pottery is here to assist your troop grow as Girl Scouts, offering workshops to help girls earn recognitions or "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" outings!

PAINT YOUR OWN POTTERY (CERAMICS)

Your girls learn basic painting techniques as they complete one of our many ceramic painting offerings. Learn the art of ceramic painting, plan for badge requirements or plan a fun field trip for the girls.

Recognitions: Junior Ceramics and Clay badge

PAINT YOUR OWN POTTERY (CERAMIC HOLIDAY ORNAMENT PARTIES)

Have the girls share some holiday cheer together, as they paint three ornaments per girl. PERFECT for gift making. \$16.00 per girl.

Recognitions: Junior Ceramics and Clay badge

HANDBUILDING WITH CLAY

Let the girls work with the real stuff...raw clay! We offer many projects using low fire earthenware. The girls will handbuild and learn beginning techniques of pinch, coil or slab, depending on age. Clay projects require additional time for processing. Please allow 14 days to return for pick up.

Recognitions:

- Junior Ceramics and Clay badge
- Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Interest Project: Artistic Crafts

GLASS FUSION

Glass Fusion is a hit! Let your girls learn the basics of warm glass art, as they create a night light, and magnet or jewelry pendent.

Recognitions:

- Junior Jeweler, Art to Wear, and Art in 3-D badges
- Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Interest Project: Folk Art, Just Jewelry

CELEBRATION CANDLES: (CHUNK CANDLES)

Let the girls experience something a forever favorite, candle making. Each girl will participate in the process of making their own chunk candle. From pouring and cutting wax shapes to designing and adding a favorite scent and wicks. A fun activity for your girls age 7 years plus.

WOOD DECOR

Painting on wood is a super fun and creative art form. Make memo boards and more. This is a great make and take project for girls age 8 years plus.

CANVAS PAINTING

Every girl wants to be an artist. This creative option is great for those wanting to make and take the same day. Have a theme in mind...let us know. We also have a number of patterns to choose from, making canvas painting a success for all levels. Let your girls become their own Picasso!

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

When: Date and time scheduled at your convenience. Classes will run approximately 1½ hours.

Where: It's Yours Pottery, "Creating in Clay and More," 2528 S 132 Ct. (N.W corner of 132nd and West Center Road, Orchard Plaza West) Omaha, NE 68144, 402.330.3470.

Cost: Costs will vary. Beginning projects start at \$13 per girl + tax.

Capacity: Minimum 8, maximum 40. Smaller troops are encouraged to combine.

Registration: Call 402.330.3470 to schedule your date. A 2-4 week advance reservation is recommended. Payment in full is due at the time of event.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Note: Troop co-leaders are encouraged to contact It's Yours Pottery for specific details and costs on all offerings. Check us out at our website below or like us on Facebook. Throughout COVID-19, IT'S YOURS POTTERY has adjusted pricing structure and sanitation procedures as noted:

- Masks are required until further notice.
- Contact the studio for specific badge requirement classes and pricing.
- We will accept classes of a minimum of 6 girls, and maximum of 15 including chaperones.
- 10% discount is offered for groups with a minimum of 6 for everyday fun creative experiences.

[Click here to visit It's Yours Pottery's website.](#)



Keep Omaha Beautiful

Keep Omaha Beautiful promotes environmental and community stewardship through service, education, and advocacy.

LITTER CLEANUP

Create a cleaner community and a better environment for us all. Help clean up litter from a local park, trail, stream, or neighborhood area.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Seasonal dates available spring through fall.

Capacity: Unlimited

ONLY RAIN DOWN THE STORM DRAIN

Help protect our local and global waterways. Volunteers receive a map of storm drains in a neighborhood, clean debris from the drains, and label them with a “no dumping” decal. Volunteers also pass out educational door hangers to surrounding neighbors letting them know how to prevent pollution.

Who: Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: April through October

Where: Different areas of Omaha

Capacity: Unlimited

Also, if you are interested in a unique (but unlisted) volunteer opportunity or partnership that aligns with our mission, please feel free to contact us to discuss your idea.

Cost: FREE

Registration: To sign up for a volunteer opportunity, please [complete the volunteer form](#).

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Call 402.444.7774 or [email us](#).

[Click here to visit Keep Omaha Beautiful's website](#).



LIED CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS

Lied Center for Performing Arts

Our mission is to educate, inspire, and entertain the people of Nebraska through the performing arts. We welcome Girl Scouts from all across Nebraska to experience Broadway, ballet, jazz, comedy – and everything in between! Enjoy the show!

GIRL SCOUTS NIGHT AT THE LIED: CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY

[Roald Dahl's amazing tale](#) is now Lincoln's golden ticket! It's the perfect recipe for a delectable treat: songs from the original film, including "Pure Imagination," "The Candy Man," and "I've Got a Golden Ticket," alongside a toe-tapping and ear-tickling new score from the songwriters of Hairspray. Get ready for Oompa-Loompas, incredible inventions, the great glass elevator, and more, more, more at this everlasting showstopper!

When: Saturday, January 29, 2022, at 2 p.m.

Cost: \$47.20 for adults and \$29.50 for youth for our Price Zone 3 seats. That's 20% OFF for adults and 50% OFF for youth. Fees apply to ticket orders for 1-9 tickets.

Capacity: While discounted tickets last.

Registration: [Purchase tickets online](#) for 1-9 tickets and use code SCOUTS for the discount; for 10+ tickets, call Michael Bomberger at 402.472.4734 and mention code SCOUTS.

BRING YOUR TROOP TO ANY LIED CENTER PERFORMANCE!

Outings with 10+ attendees access exclusive benefits, including:

- 20%-50% off ticket prices
- Free backstage tours on hold due to COVID-19; inquire about re-opening timeline for tours.
- Free bus or van parking
- Discounted fees

- Priority seating
- A single point of contact to guide you through the process, offer recommendations, and availability for questions on the day of the show
- A one-of-a-kind performance at Nebraska's Home for the Arts!

When: The Lied Center season usually runs from fall through spring. [Visit our website](#) for exact dates and times.

Cost: Varies by show; discounts range from 20%-50% off, along with discounted fees.

Capacity: Minimum of 10 attendees, while tickets last. Only Main Season productions are eligible. Ineligible productions include: Rental Productions (including *The Nutcracker*), the Nebraska Rep, Lincoln Symphony Orchestra, and select others – inquire to confirm a show's eligibility. [Visit our website](#) or inquire for more details.

Registration: Contact Group Sales Manager, Michael Bomberger at 402.472.4734 or [via email](#). Mention your troop number to access special discounts and opportunities.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

Where: Lied Center for Performing Arts, 301 N. 12th St., Lincoln

Recognitions: Patches may be available upon troop co-leader request.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Refunds: Purchased tickets are non-refundable. Inquire about our flexible booking policies.

Questions: Contact Group Sales Manager, Holden Meier at 402.472.4734 or [via email](#).

[Click here to visit the Lied Center for Performing Arts website.](#)



Infusing Etiquette • Instilling Philanthropy • Building Character.

Life Launch Academy

ETIQUETTE AND SOCIAL MANNERS CLASSES

Get your troop off to the right start by providing them the necessary tools of how to treat each other and YOU! Life Launch Academy provides the FUN in the fundamentals of etiquette and social skills for Daisy level through Ambassador Girl Scouts. These interactive programs can include tea parties, games, role-playing, table setting, dining, dancing and more - all while learning proper social and dining skills. A “Manners for Life” button and certificate are issued to each scout upon completion of a program.

DAISIES

E“tea”quette Party—Girl Scouts are introduced to the history of tea parties and how etiquette has evolved to modern times. Girls then make a ticket for a tea party, decorate a “tea” cup and prepare for their special “tea party,” where they learn table manners during story time. (Supplies and tea time snacks provided.)

BROWNIES

Building Friendships, Greetings, Introductions, Dining Etiquette—Girl Scouts learn about the importance of manners in life, especially in friendships; how to build them and how to keep them. They will learn the parts of a friendship by putting “Goldie” together – an interactive puzzle friend. Girls will also learn proper greetings and introductions through a variety of activities and make a bookmark to help them set the table for their “meal,” where they learn hands-on dining etiquette. (Supplies and snack provided.)

JUNIORS/CADETTES

Social Etiquette—With a focus upon personal communication skills and etiquette, scouts learn internet, cell phone and social media etiquette and safety, as well as everyday social manners. Through a mix of hands-on activities, they will learn to be stronger, more confident young women that are better prepared for LIFE! (Supplies and snack provided.)

SENIORS/AMBASSADORS

Life Skills—Young women learn basic financial literacy, resume building and interview etiquette skills. Teens will evaluate their skill sets, develop a resume outline, and participate in a recorded and critiqued mock interview. Leaders can call 402.651.1696 to make arrangements.

MULTI-LEVEL TROOPS

Etiquette for all ages—Combine age-appropriate programs to match the grade levels of your troop. Each level separates into groups to learn unique skills, then reunites for the dining portion of the class. (Supplies and snack provided.)

ALL PROGRAMS CAN BE CUSTOMIZED TO FIT YOUR TROOP'S NEEDS

Program lengths vary from 60 to 90 minutes. If a troop desires to do just a dining etiquette class, we can make dining arrangements for instructional space at The Roost Bed and Breakfast, Ashland, NE, or at one of our restaurant partners.

Cost: \$11 per Girl Scout, includes all supplies and snacks

Registration: Call 402.651.1696 or [email us](#).

Payment: Due upon completion of the program by either cash, check, or card

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#) and local COVID-19 safety guidelines.

Questions: Call 402.651.1696 or [email us](#).

Notes: All 2021-2022 classes will follow COVID-19 safety guidelines. If there is inaccessibility of schools or church locations, in-person programs are available at The Roost Bed and Breakfast, Ashland, NE, at co-leader's homes, or virtually through Zoom.

Visit the [Life Launch Academy website](#), like us [on Facebook](#), or follow us [on Instagram](#).



Lincoln Children's Museum

Lincoln Children's Museum invites children to create, discover and learn through the power of play. Our education team creates hands on informal learning experiences all year long!

BADGE EARNING WORKSHOPS & PROGRAMS

Be sure to check the Girl Scouts of Nebraska program calendar for all the fun workshops and programs that take place at the Lincoln Children's Museum. Workshops generally take place on Saturdays in the morning or afternoon.

These themed programs focus on activities that help your Girl Scout earn her next badge. The workshops and programs can be attended by an individual or whole troop.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors

When/Registration: Visit the [Girl Scouts Spirit of Nebraska Program Calendar](#)

Cost: Varies based on activity

Recognition: Badge

Capacity: 20 girls

CREATIVE HOLIDAY KITS – SCARY HOUSES & CANDY HOUSES

These kits are created by the Lincoln Children's Museum in both October and December and are packed with loads of creative fun! Each kit includes a cardboard house mounted on a sturdy base. You also receive a variety of colored frostings, cookies, candies, and other fun surprises to make a holiday masterpiece.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Families

When: October and December

Cost: \$20

Registration: [Purchase online.](#)

ROBOTICS DAY

Brownies or Juniors can earn all three robotics badges in one day with Lincoln Children's Museum!

Who: Brownies, Juniors

When: Visit the [Girl Scouts Spirit of Nebraska Program Calendar](#) or call 402.477.4000 x111 to schedule.

Cost: \$50 per girl. Includes all materials, badges, and snacks. Lunch from the Museum's Kazoo's U-STOP Café is available as an add-on option.

Recognition: All three Robotics badges for Juniors or Brownies.

Capacity: Minimum 12 girls

Where: Lincoln Children's Museum, 1420 P St, Lincoln, NE

Registration: Call 402.477.4000 x111 to schedule

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints.](#)

Refunds: With 72-hour notice.

Questions: Contact Mandy Haase-Thomas [via email](#) or call 402.477.4000 x111.

[Click here to visit the Lincoln Children's Museum website.](#)



Nebraska Sports Council

The Nebraska Sports Council offers opportunities for amateur athletes of all ages and abilities to showcase their athletic talents, participate for the fun of it, meet new friends, make family memories, test their mental and physical limits, and achieve healthier lifestyles. The NSC conducts the Cornhusker State Games, Pumpkin Run, Lincoln & Omaha Corporate Games, and WellPower Movement.

CORNHUSKER STATE GAMES

The Cornhusker State Games is Nebraska's largest amateur sports festival. The sports offered provide a broad appeal to athletes of all ages and abilities, ranging from highly competitive Olympic sports to those that are more recreational and geared to participation. There's something for everyone!

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: July 15-24, 2022

Where: Events are held in Lincoln, Omaha, and surrounding communities.

Cost: Varies based on sport.

Registration: [Register online](#).

PUMPKIN RUN

The Pumpkin Run is a 1-mile youth fun run, the largest of its kind in the nation!

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes

When: TBD 2022

Where: TBD

Cost: Varies. All participants will receive a Pumpkin Run T-shirt, finisher medal, along with other gifts and goodies from our sponsors.

Registration: [Register online](#).

Chaperones: [Follow Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Contact the Nebraska Sports Council office [via email](#) or call 402.471.2544.

[Click here to visit the Nebraska Sports Council website](#).



Nebraska Trucking Association Women's Council

TRUCKS ARE FOR GIRLS!

Did you ever wonder how that box of “Girl Scout Cookies” made it to you? Every pack of Twizzlers, every pair of socks, and every lightbulb has been brought to you by a truck. Trucks bring us lifesaving medicine and food to fill the grocery store shelves, for not just for our family, but even our pets. Truck drivers enjoy sunsets, beautiful trees, and freedom of driving our highways. Diesel technicians are in high demand and diagnose massive engines with diagnostic laptops, sensors, and probes. The Nebraska Trucking Association helps hundreds of trucking companies throughout the state of Nebraska with training, safety, compliance, promotion, laws, and benefits. So many women are joining the industry that they’ve formed their own NTA Women’s Council to speak to the next generation of ladies in the trucking industry.

TRUCKS ARE FOR GIRLS!

The Nebraska Trucking Association Women’s Council is excited to reach out to your Girl Scout group with tours of semi-trucks and conversation about the trucking industry. Women who are experts in the transportation and trucking field will be on hand to describe their own successful experiences and employment choices in the transportation field. These women include commercial truck drivers, owners of trucking companies, dispatchers, safety directors, and diesel technicians, just to name a few of their talents. If space allows, we will attempt to have a semi-truck on hand so that girls may experience first-hand what is like to sit at the controls and view the world from the seat of a truck cab. Girl Scouts who participate in this event will learn about an important segment of our economy while getting an up-close view of a tractor-trailer in a fun-filled day of learning. We are confident they will leave the event with a better understanding of what keeps America moving and know they can be part of it. Each girl will receive a custom Women In Trucking Association transportation patch.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Leaders should call to schedule a program. Event will be scheduled upon request in areas throughout Nebraska. We have women council members across Nebraska, and we can work with you to make arrangements to be in attendance at your location.

Cost: Free

Capacity: Minimum 5; no maximum.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: Contact Barb Aude [via email](#) or call 402.476.8504.

[Click here to visit the Nebraska Trucking Association website.](#)



Omaha Storm Chasers

We are the Triple-A Baseball Affiliate of the Kansas City Royals, located at Werner Park in Papillion, Nebraska.

2022

**GIRL SCOUT NIGHT**

Friday, June 24th vs. Columbus Clippers



GAME ONLY PACKAGE

- Ticket to the Game
- Hy-Vee Fireworks Show **BACK BY REQUEST!**
- Exclusive Team Store Discount Coupon
- Pre-Game Parade on the Field

SLEEPOVER PACKAGE

- Game Package Components
- Special Commemorative Patch
- Camp on the Field at Werner Park
- Campout Snacks
- Movie Shown on the Videoboard
- Private Autograph Session
- Check-In / Ticket Pickup Starts at 5:15PM

Limited to 1,000 Campers

CONTACT ZACH ZILER
402.738.5137 or zachz@omahastormchasers.com

DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS JUNE 17TH

OMAHA STORM CHASERS OVERNIGHT

Come out to Werner Park for Girl Scout Night with the Omaha Storm Chasers! Girl Scouts are encouraged to come to the Storm Chasers' game, enjoy a post-game fireworks show, post-game movie and campout on the field, and much more! This event is for everyone from Daisies to Ambassadors, including families

and friends! All Girl Scouts are invited to participate in our On-Field Pre-Game Parade, which will start at approximately 6:20 p.m. We encourage every troop in attendance to bring banners and signs! We hope to see you all there!

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Friday, June 24, 2022

Cost: \$19 for each person attending the game and camping out. This cost includes a game ticket, a commemorative fun patch, pre-game on the field, exclusive team store discount coupon, post-game fireworks show, movie shown on videoboard during the campout, and campout snacks. For anyone wishing to attend just the game, the cost is \$10.

Additional Options (subject to change):

- Gift cards which can be used towards concessions, merchandise and/or future tickets available to pre-order.
- All-You-Can-Play Centris Family Fun Zone: \$5 each.
- Discounted Parking Passes: \$4 each.

Recognitions: Pre-game parade on the field and a Girl Scout special commemorative fun patch (for those who have purchased \$19 Premium package).

Where: Werner Park, 12356 Ballpark Way, Papillion, NE 68046

Registration: Please [see our flier](#) for more information or to register or you may now also [sign up online](#).

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Refunds: There are NO refunds. In the event the game gets postponed and you cannot attend the makeup date, you may exchange your tickets for any other future game, excluding premium dates.

Questions: Please direct all questions to [Zach Ziler](#) or call 402.738.5137.

Notes: The Omaha Storm Chasers offer a variety of special events throughout the season. Please [visit our website](#) for additional information on family-related events and items such as our Family Membership, Lil Chasers Program and birthday parties.

[Click here to visit the Omaha Storm Chasers website.](#)



**OMAHA
SYMPHONY**

Omaha Symphony

Established in 1921, the Omaha Symphony's mission is to enrich people's lives through the exhilarating experience of live orchestral music. This is implemented through core values of passionate pursuit of excellence and integrity; a deep commitment to education; and collaboration.

SYMPHONY SPOOKTACULAR

Girl Scout Day at the Symphony is designed to provide an opportunity for girls to experience a live concert and participate in a workshop with the Omaha Symphony staff. Come early to make your own instrument before the orchestra takes you on a journey on the Night Bus through all your favorite creepy classics on Halloween for this not-to-be missed concert! Immediately following the concert, Junior Girl Scouts will meet the remaining requirements for the Musician badge in a workshop guided by Symphony staff and a musician.

Who: Juniors, Families

When: Sunday, October 31, 2021

Cost: \$10 per person (includes concert & workshop)

Recognitions: Junior Musician badge

Capacity: Minimum 10, maximum 40

Registration: [View our flier to register.](#)

PHYSICIANS MUTUAL OMAHA SYMPHONY CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

It's the merriest way to celebrate the season! Maestro Ernest Richardson, the Omaha Symphony, and a stellar cast of singers and dancers send your spirits soaring with festive favorites and Christmas

classics. Special group ticket pricing available.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Thursday, December 16—Sunday, December 19, 2021

Cost: Tickets starting at \$20 per person

Capacity: 2000 seats

A SYMPHONY OF SPORTS

Explore music inspired by sports played around the globe at the newly renovated Alan J. Levine Performing Arts Theater at the Jewish Community Center. Assistant Conductor Deanna Tham invites families to celebrate the Olympic Fanfare by John Williams, hear the excitement of races with Rossini's Overture to William Tell, try Tai Chi to Chen Yi's Romantic Dances, and tap along with Taiko drums.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Families

When: Sunday, January 30, 2022

Cost: \$15 per person

Capacity: 350 seats

MAESTRO'S MINI MIXTAPE

Get your passport and meet Omaha Symphony Music Director Ankush Kumar Bahl at the Joslyn Art Museum to explore music and art created all over the world. This concert includes repertoire from American composer Jessie Montgomery, Copland's Latin American Sketches, Debussy's Claire de Lune, and more. Come early to visit the galleries in search of painters from the same corners of the world.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Families

When: Sunday, March 20, 2022

Cost: \$15 per person

Capacity: 900 seats

Where: Holland Center, 1200 Douglas St., Omaha, NE 68002

Registration: [Online on our website.](#)

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints.](#)

Refunds: Through Ticket Omaha, only valid prior to concert day.

Questions: Contact Nicole Thoms at 402.661.8589 or [via email.](#)

Notes: A Symphony of Sports is at the Jewish Community Center and Maestro's Mini Mixtape is at the Joslyn Art Museum. Girl Scout workshop will follow Symphony Spooktacular only.

[Click here to visit the Omaha Sympony website.](#)



Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium and Wildlife Safari Park

OMAHA'S HENRY DOORLY ZOO & AQUARIUM

Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium's mission is to inspire, educate, and engage people to serve as lifelong stewards for animals, their habitats, and their conservation. With thousands of animals from around the globe and 160 acres, including seven acres of world-class indoor exhibits, the Zoo is a perfect place for Girl Scouts to learn and explore.

TROOP GIRL SCOUT CLASSES (ON ZOO GROUNDS)

What better way to work toward a badge than to go on an adventure at the Zoo? Join us on a quest to answer questions like: Why do we need animal helpers? How do animals adapt to habitat loss? And what can we do to make the world a better place?

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Families, Adults

When: [Check our website](#) for current class listings and registration.

Cost: \$18 per person. Includes admission to the Zoo.

Recognitions: Complete all or most requirements for badges such as Bugs, Animal Habitats, Trees, and Make the World a Better Place.

Capacity: Minimum 5 Girl Scouts (adult chaperones required). Reservations necessary.

VIRTUAL GIRL SCOUT CLASSES

Unable to travel to the Zoo, why not stay home and link in and learn. Classes are two hours in length and can be booked any evening of the week or weekend. Connection is easy. Girl Scouts learning from home only need a computer or mobile device, audio, and internet connection.

We offer private classes for troops to book with a 10 Girl Scout minimum at \$10 each, with a 2-week notice. Smaller troops may participate, but a \$100 fee will apply. We conduct our classes through Zoom and will send out the workbook, list of materials needed, and the link prior to the scheduled class time. The Zoom link will not be sent out more than a day in advance for security reasons.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Adults

When: [Check our website](#) for current class listings and registration.

Recognitions: Complete all or most badge requirements for badges such as Make the World a Better Place (Daisies); Wonders of Water (Brownies); Animal Habitats (Juniors); Animal Helpers and Trees (Cadettes).

Cost: \$12 per Girl Scout for public classes and \$10 per Girl Scout for private classes.

Capacity: Minimum of 10 Girl Scouts. Registration required.

SLEEPING BAG SAFARIS

Bring your Girl Scout troop to Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium for a WILD time! The program includes educational programming, overnight stay, Zoo admission, evening snack and drink. [See our website](#) for more information.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Any available night, year-round for large groups of 25 participants or more. Set dates and locations available for smaller groups.

Cost: Basic packages start from \$37–\$45 per person.

Capacity: Minimum 25 for large group campouts. Reservations are required and should be booked at least three weeks prior.

Where: Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium, 3701 S. 10th St., Omaha, NE (Nebraska's I-80, Exit 454)

Registration: [Visit our website](#) for registration information.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: [Email](#) or call 402.738.2092.

WILDLIFE SAFARI PARK

An accredited member of the Association of Zoos and Aquariums, Wildlife Safari Park invites visitors

to drive along a four-mile route through habitats populated by Native North American plant and animal species, including bison, elk, grey wolves, black bears, and many more. With 200 acres to explore and over two miles of trails to hike, Wildlife Safari Park is a perfect outdoor classroom for Girl Scouts.

TROOP GIRL SCOUT CLASSES

What better way to work toward a badge than to go on an adventure at Wildlife Safari Park? Join us on a quest to answer questions like: What are hiking essentials? How do animals adapt to habitat loss? And what can we do to make the world a better place?

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Families, Adults

When: Saturdays or Sundays, 10 a.m. to noon or 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Cost: \$15 per person. Includes admission to Wildlife Safari Park.

Recognitions: Complete all or most requirements for badges such as Bugs, Animal Habitats, Trees, Make the World a Better Place, Hiking.

Capacity: Minimum 5 Girl Scouts (adult chaperones required). Reservations necessary.

CAMPOUTS

Join us for a Wildlife Safari Park Campout and experience Nebraska like you never have before. During your stay, you'll learn about native Nebraska animals, eat s'mores around the campfire, and see the stars away from the city lights.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Any available night, April through October for large groups of 15 or more. Set dates and locations available for smaller groups.

Cost: \$40 per camper and includes admission to Wildlife Safari Park for the following day.

Capacity: Minimum 15 for large group campouts. Reservations are required and should be booked at least three weeks prior.

Where: Wildlife Safari Park, 16406 292 St., Ashland, NE 68003 (Nebraska's I-80, Exit 426)

Registration: [Visit our website](#) for registration information.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Questions: [Email](#) or call 402.738.2092.



Paint Paradise

We are a paint your own pottery studio and more! We have so much to choose from and we have something for everyone. We have lots of Girl Scouts come in to paint, and we would love to have your group too!

PAINT YOUR OWN POTTERY

Girl Scouts will learn basic painting techniques as they complete one of our many painting offerings. Learn the art of ceramic painting, plan for badge requirements, or plan an exciting field trip!

Cost: \$12-\$38 (depending on chosen pottery)

GLASS FUSION

Glass Fusion is so much fun! After girls each come up with a creative idea, they are going to glue colorful glass chips onto a tile. The tile will go into the kiln and all the glass chips will be melted onto the tile.

Cost: \$20-\$30 (depending on chosen tile size)

CANVAS PAINTING

Group co-leaders will pick a picture for all participants to paint. We will transfer a pattern onto each canvas which makes painting fun and easy!

Cost:

- \$22 for a 12" x 12" canvas
- \$32 for a 16" x 20" canvas

DOOR CHARMS

Paint a door hanger anyway you choose! We have so many to choose from!

Cost: \$20-\$30 (depending on size of chosen charm)

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Families, Adults

When: Monday through Saturday (with prior reservation).

Where: 2114 Central Ave., Kearney, NE 68847

Registration: Call 308.455.8300 to book or [send us a Facebook message](#). Please allow at least one week in advance for reservations. Payment due day of the event.

Capacity: Maximum 80 persons.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

Refunds: No refunds.

Questions: Call Ashely Wright at 308.455.8300.

[Click here to visit the Paint Paradise Facebook page.](#)



That Pottery Place

That Pottery Place

There are strict disinfecting procedures in place for IN-STUDIO painting and we are working with co-leaders to space children according to their preference. Also offering [POTTERY TO-GO KITS](#) for in-school activities and virtual learning. [Check out our website](#) for updates and hours. Call 402.392.1166 or [email us](#) for more information and to make reservations.

Paint your own Pottery and mosaics studio! Whether it's a field trip for fun or a workshop to fulfill or work towards badge requirements, 'That Pottery Place' offers a variety of creative options.

CERAMIC PAINTING

Paint your own pottery is a fun and easy way to create personalized treasures. We offer a selection of projects and provide all of the tools for the girls to design and paint a masterpiece. We will clear glaze and fire their food-safe pieces ready for pick-up in one week. Great for gift giving!

Who: Juniors

Recognitions: Junior Ceramics and Clay badge

Capacity: Minimum 6

CLAY HAND BUILDING

Total muddy fun! There will be instruction in hand building with wet clay. The girls will hand build and paint their original piece of art in one session. In 10 days, return to pick up your piece.

Who: Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

Recognitions:

- Junior Ceramics and Clay badge

- Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Interest Project: Artistic Crafts

Capacity: Minimum 8

MOSAIC WORKSHOP

In this no-grout mosaic workshop the girls will first paint their frame and then apply fun glass chips and gems in their own creative design. These colorful frames are taken home the same day.

Capacity: Minimum 8

GLASS FUSING

The girls will learn the basics in glass fusing. They will assemble a colorful pendant, sun catcher or magnet using bits of glass pieces in their own design. They will be ready for pick up in one week.

Who: Juniors*, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

**Girls must be 8 or older to participate.*

Recognitions:

- Junior Jeweler, Art to Wear, and Art in 3-D badge
- Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Interest Project: Folk Art, Just Jewelry

Capacity: Minimum 8

HOLIDAY ORNAMENT PARTIES JUST FOR FUN!

The girls will receive their choice of 1 or 2 Flat Ornaments to personalize. These make the perfect keepsake or gift for loved ones.

Who: Juniors

Cost: (Includes pottery, paint, glaze, and firing)

- 1 for \$9.00 + tax = \$9.63.
- 2 for \$15.00 + tax = \$16.05 (2 Ornament option are priced per person and cannot be shared.)

Recognitions: Junior Badge – Ceramics and Clay

Capacity: Minimum 6

Recognitions: Depending on the workshop chosen, girls may complete steps toward the following badges:

- Brownie: Potter or Painting
- Junior: Jeweler
- Senior: Collage
- All Levels: Make your own

When: Girl Scout workshops can be scheduled anytime during our regular studio hours, subject to availability. Workshops average 1½ hours.

Where: That Pottery Place, 7828 Dodge Street, Omaha

Cost: Workshop costs vary according to the workshop chosen. Please call for pricing.

Registration: Call 402.392.1166 or [email us](#) to register. Reservations are required.

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#).

[Click here to visit That Pottery Place's website](#) and “Like” us on [Facebook](#)!