Girl Scout Camps and Programs

Summer 2024









Dear Campers and Families,

I am excited to welcome back returning campers and make new memories with first time campers this summer! My name is Mac, and I'm returning to Pennyroyal for my second summer as Camp Director, and my fourth summer as resident camp staff. I grew up attending Camp Pennyroyal, making new friends, discovering independence, and connecting with the outdoors! My involvement with camp is driven by my passion for youth and giving them a unique opportunity to expand t heir courage, confidence, and character.

Girl Scout resident camps are a magical experience where campers can be exactly who they are. They discover new skills, strengths, and interests. From sailing aboard Bear Creek's Flying Scots to creating new cookout recipes, every camp session offers a new challenge and opportunity. Girl Scouts are able to lead their own journey this summer whether that's coasting down Pennyroyal's zipline, swapping friendship bracelets with their new besties, or paddling across Kentucky Lake. I can't wait for you to embark on your very own camp-tastic adventure this summer!

Love, Mac



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About Our Camps

Bear Creek Aquatic Camp

4736 Barge Island Road Benton, KY 42025

Nestled back in Girl Scout Bay on the banks of Kentucky Lake sits Bear Creek Aquatic Camp (a resident camp near Paducah). This sparkling shoreside camp offers aquatic adventures including sailing, stand-up paddleboarding, and a mega canoe that can seat 22 people.

Camp Pennyroyal

3095 Girl Scout Road Utica, KY 42736

A woodland wonderland awaits campers at Camp Pennyroyal (a resident camp near Owensboro). The adventures take many forms at the eight-acre Wishing Star Lake (home to amazing, harmless freshwater jellyfish). Stargaze on the dam, explore the hiking trails, or enjoy a campfire at the lakefront amphitheater. Camp Pennyroyal has peaceful escapes and outdoor adventures waiting around every bend.

Louisville Program and Learning Center (PLC)

2115 Lexington Road Louisville, KY 40206

Our main offices for the council are just a small part of an amazing facility: our Program and Learning Center (PLC). The PLC is a perfect place to spend summer days. There's an indoor rock climbing wall for Juniors and above, while younger Girl Scouts will try their skills on our bouldering wall. The Makers Space is ready for creative projects like woodworking, painting, STEM activities, and lots more. The PLC is so much more than the headquarters of the Girl Scouts fun. It houses a little bit of history and a whole lot of tech, imagination, and adventure!



Find answers to *Frequently Asked Questions* about registration, accommodations and more, at **gskcamps.org**.

Sweet Dreams at Camp

Cozy up in our rustic sleeping quarters. Rising 2nd and 3rd grade campers will be assigned airconditioned shared space cabins or bunk rooms. Rising 4th-12th grade campers will be assigned open air shared space cabins, shelters or platform tents with other campers in the same program unit. The counselors sleep in a separate cabin, tent, or space very close to, but not with campers. Decisions on what sleeping unit campers are placed is based on age, attendance, camp session, and availability.

Camp Properties

Camp Whippoorwill 6 Stem Adventure Center 2 **Camp Shantituck** 3 Camp Pennyroyal 4 Bear Creek Aquatic Camp 6 6 **Camp Barren Ridge** Houchens Program Center 0 Louisville Program and Learning Center (PLC) 7 6



Bear Creek Aquatic Camp and Camp Pennyroyal are accredited by the American Camp Association (ACA) indicating safe, high-quality programs that meet industry and government standards.

How to Register for Resident and PLC Day Camp

Registration opens on **Cyber Monday**, **November 27, 2023 at 8 am EST**. The last day to register is **Friday**, **May 17, 2024**. Registrations are processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

Visit **gskcamps.org** and follow the link that takes you to CampDoc, our registration hub for all camper documents. Follow the prompts on CampDoc to complete registration. New to Girl Scouts? Annual membership can be added during the check-out process.

A non-refundable deposit of \$60 per Girl Scout is due when you register. All remaining balances must be paid by **Friday, May 31, 2024**. Registrants with unpaid balances after that day will be removed from the session roster, and their deposit will be forfeited. Payments toward camp can be made in full at any time prior to May 31 or can be paid via installments. We know things happen and plans can change, so families are able to cancel a reserved session for a refund (minus the \$60 deposit) before Friday, May 31, 2024. In case of camp cancellations by GSK, all payments will be refunded.

Sessions fill very quickly. When sessions reach capacity, campers can join the waitlist. If additional capacity becomes available, new openings are offered via email on a first-come, first-served basis from our waitlist. Hopeful campers on our waitlist will have five business days to respond to our email notice to claim the new spot.

After you register, you will soon receive a confirmation email directly from CampDoc, our camp registration platform. This email will contain important information to guide you through the next steps of completing your health profile, payments, and accessing a camper's Welcome Guide. If this email is not received within 24 hours, check your junk/spam folder, then please contact Volunteer Care.

Financial Assistance

Every Girl Scout should be able to make lasting memories at summer camp! Financial aid is available to provide everyone with access to the same outdoor opportunities. In every instance the amount requested should reflect the true need of the family. Providing leadership opportunities through camp experiences is made possible by the Joyce Seymour Leadership Fund. Applications will open **November 13, 2023** with a deadline of **November 21, 2023 at 5 pm EST** to be pre-approved by Cyber Monday. All other applications must be received by **April 30, 2024**.

To apply, visit **gskentuckiana.org/jslf**.

Sign up by key dates for great savings!

25% Savings on Cyber Monday November 27, 2023

10% Savings November 28, 2023—March 31, 2024

Registration closes May 17, 2024.

*Discounts do not apply to Troop Adventure Camp.



Earn Your Way to Camp

Campers can use previously earned Kentuckiana Credits to pay towards camp costs. Kentuckiana Credits may be used to pay a portion or the entirety of camp costs, but plan ahead: 2022-2023 Kentuckiana Credits expire on December 12, 2023. To apply Kentuckiana Credits to camp, use the form at **bit.ly/kcform23**.

Looking ahead, the Girl Scout Cookie Program is a great way for campers to earn a cost-free summer adventure. When a Girl Scout sells 2,200+ boxes, they earn a free week of Resident or PLC Day Camp—along with a friend! If you have big cookie goals, reserve your camp spot early beginning November 27 using the code COOKIE2024 to waive the \$60 deposit. If you don't quite make it to your goal, you can still use another form of payment to pay your full tuition. All payments will be due Friday, May 31, 2024.

Transportation Available for 2024

Transportation is available for Bear Creek Aquatic Camp and Camp Pennyroyal from Louisville and Beaver Dam. Campers travel in comfort on airconditioned motor coach buses. Round-trip cost is \$100 and one-way is \$50. Bus transportation may be canceled if the required minimum number of riders is not reached. On May 24, the price shifts to \$125 for round-trip and \$80 for one-way and is subject to availability.

Including Every Girl Scout

Our goal is to provide a positive experience for all campers. Please help ensure your Girl Scout's successful camp experience. Contact us at least one month prior to the session to discuss any physical, behavioral, emotional, dietary, or other needs for your camper. Once we have reviewed your camper's needs, we will determine if we can safely accommodate those needs at camp.

We are inspired to provide communities of acceptance where you'll enjoy meeting new people from different backgrounds. At camp, we come together to challenge ourselves as we spend time in nature, try new things, and learn new skills. Our staff welcomes you to the magic of camp.

Health and Safety

The health and safety of our campers and staff is always a top priority. Trained First Aid staff are at camp sessions, and plans are established for medical intervention from local providers. For public health concerns, camp sessions operate based on current recommendations from the Center for Disease Control, American Camp Association, and local government.

For up-to-date information visit **gskcamps.org**.

Please contact Volunteer Care with any questions at **888-771-5170.**

For login or technical issues, contact CampDoc at **734-619-8300**.



Camp Pennyroyal

Session and Dates

Program Name, Grades (Fall 2024), Cost + KY Sales Tax

1	June 9-13 Sunday– Thursday	Cooking Creations Grades 2-3 \$316	Mermaids (Waitlist) Grades 2-4 \$316	Cast Away (Waitlist) Grades 4-5 \$316	Moonlight Adventurer Grades 4-5 \$316	
2	June 15-20 Saturday– Thursday	Outdoor Diva (Waitlist) Grades 2-3 \$395	Mermaids Grades 2-4 \$395	Outdoor DIY Grades 4-6 \$395	High Advent. (New) Grades 9-12 \$395	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free
3	June 23-27 Sunday– Thursday	Outdoor Diva Grades 2-3 \$316	Camp-a- Palooza Grades 3-4 \$316	Moonlight Mischief Grades 4-5 \$316	Campfire Cook Grades 4-6 \$316	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free
4	June 29-July 3 Saturday– Wednesday	Crafty Campers Grades 2-3 \$316	Splash Bash Grades 2-3 \$316	Moonlight Mischief Grades 4-5 \$316	Out of this World (Waitlist) Grade 4-6 \$316	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free
5	July 7-July 12 Sunday-Friday	Messy Monsters Grades 2-3 \$395	Artrageous Grades 3-4 \$395	Center Stage (Waitlist) Grades 4-5 \$395	High Adventure (Spots Added!) Grades 6-8 \$395	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free

July 17-21 Wednesday-Sunday July 24-28 Wednesday-Sunday

Troop Adventure Camp

\$45/day per person + KY Sales Tax Enjoy a customized experience with your troop. Learn more on pg. 15.



Bear Creek Aquatic Camp

Session and Dates

Program Name, Grades (Fall 2024), Cost + KY Sales Tax

	1	June 9-15 Sunday– Saturday	Self-Rescuing Paddler Grades 4-6 \$474	Sailing 1 Grades 6-9 \$474			
	2	June 17-22 Monday- Saturday	Beach Party (New) Grades 4-6 \$395	Media Magic Grades 6-8 \$395	International Traveler Grades 9-12 \$395	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free	
	3	June 24-July 3 Monday– Wednesday	Boater's Paradise (New) Grades 6-8 \$711	Outdoor DIY Grades 6-8 \$711	Sailing 3 Grades 9-12 \$711	Counselor in Training 2 Grade 11-12 \$711	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free
	4	July 6-11 Saturday– Thursday	Outdoor Artist Grades 4-5 \$395	Night Owl (Spots added!) Grades 6-9 \$395	Counselor in Training 1, Week 1 Grades 10-11 \$395	Junior Counselor Grade 12 Free	
	5	July 13-19 Saturday-Friday	Paddling Explorer Grades 4-5 \$474	Sailing 2 (Spots Added!) Grades 6-9 \$474	Counselor in Training 1, Week 2 Grades 10-11 \$474		
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Camp Pennyroyal

Session 1

June 9-13, Four Nights \$316 + KY Sales Tax

Cooking Creations

Rising 2nd and 3rd graders

Go behind the scenes with a tour of Camp Pennyroyal's kitchen to see where the magic happens. You'll create and serve a snack to all campers to show off your skills. You'll also get an introduction to outdoor cooking and enjoy traditional camp activities like swimming and games.

Mermaids (Waitlist)

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

Splash the week away in this water extravaganza! Get some extra time on the water slides and perfect your cannonball skills by challenging your new friends to a contest for the best splash. Adventure around Wishing Star Lake on funyaks and enjoy a water carnival.

Cast Away (Waitlist)

Rising 4th and 5th graders

Adventure beyond the dock and cast away for a week on the water! Splash, swim and learn new paddling skills. Play games to test those skills. Your weeklong adventure ends as you challenge others to a regatta around Wishing Star Lake.

Moonlight Adventurer

Rising 4th and 5th graders

Connect with the wonders of nature after everyone else has hit the hay! Throw a star party, look for nocturnal friends on a night hike, create craft projects under the stars, and jump in for a special dusk swim. Stay up late, sleep in, and make breakfast in your unit.

Session 2

June 15-20, Five Nights \$395 + KY Sales Tax

Outdoor Diva (Waitlist) Rising 2nd and 3rd graders

Every night is like a sleepover with your new friends! Pamper yourself camp-style and fill your evenings with music, giggles, and good times. Enjoy traditional camp activities like swimming, paddling, and hiking during the day.

Mermaids

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

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Outdoor DIY

Rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders

What's better than homemade? Campmade! Channel your inner maker and create your own sit-upon then use it to stay comfortable as you ponder your next invention. Also, learn how to build a fire and cook a meal over it for yourself and your new friends.

NEW High Adventure

Rising 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th graders

Reach for the sky and zip through the trees on the high ropes course. When you're not enjoying a bird's eye view of camp, learn survival skills and hit the water. You'll enjoy swimming and fishing at Wishing Star Lake. Campers must be 11 years old by the first day of the camp session.

Camp Pennyroyal

Session 3

June 23-27, Four Nights \$316 + KY Sales Tax

Outdoor Diva

Rising 2nd and 3rd graders

Every night is like a sleepover with your new friends! Pamper yourself camp-style and fill your evenings with music, giggles, and good times. Enjoy traditional camp activities like swimming, paddling, and hiking during the day.

Camp-a-Palooza

Rising 3rd and 4th graders

Design your own camp adventure and choose from a menu of fun activities! Do you want to focus on archery or spend more time on your outdoor skills? Maybe you want to pitch a tent or sleep under the stars. Girls will work together to plan a week full of fun.

Moonlight Mischief

Rising 4th and 5th graders

Enjoy all that camp has to offer by day and get into some mischief at night. Play tricks on your camp counselors and see camp from a new perspective as you learn about nightlife in nature. During the day enjoy swimming, paddling, and fun camp games.

Campfire Cook

Rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders

Spend a week learning new cooking techniques over a campfire! Try your hand at preparing different meals from the camp cookbook or see if a favorite recipe from home tastes different over the fire. Take a tour of the camp kitchen and see what goes into making a meal for the whole camp!

Session 4

June 29-July 3, Four Nights \$316 + KY Sales Tax

Crafty Campers

Rising 2nd and 3rd graders

Use your five senses and get your inspiration from the nature that surrounds you at camp. Everything from paint palettes and pipe cleaners to leaves and rocks can be used to create your art. When you aren't creating, enjoy swimming and games with your new friends.

Splash Bash

Rising 2nd and 3rd graders

A splash bash is the best way to beat the heat at camp! Spend your days swimming and paddling around Wishing Star Lake. Play fun water games with your new friends. Get crafty and learn about the importance of water and water conservation.

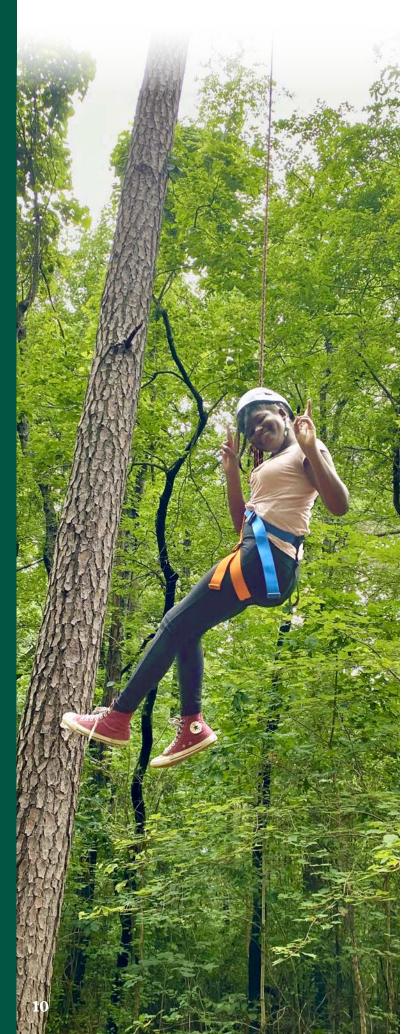
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Out of this World (Waitlist) Rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders

Look to the sky and see the stars like never before. Learn about constellations and reach for the stars with rockets built by you. Watch out for aliens who want to join in on earthling camp fun like swimming and campfires.



Camp Pennyroyal

Session 5

July 7-12, Five Nights \$395 + KY Sales Tax

Messy Monsters

Rising 2nd and 3rd graders

In this session, messy is the name of the game. Enjoy all of your favorite camp activities with an untidy twist. Swimming, hiking, and crafting may never be the same, but will always be fun.

Artrageous

Rising 3rd and 4th graders

Are you ready to take your creativity to the next level? Join us to create masterpieces using a variety of materials and techniques for an arttastic week! From traditional camp crafts like friendship bracelets and lanyards to upcycled art pieces and painting with everything but paintbrushes, you will get to choose what art projects you would like to create!

Center Stage (Waitlist)

Rising 4th and 5th graders

The curtain is up, and that's your cue to take center stage and shine! Practice new songs, skits, and jokes with your fellow cast mates. Then work together to put a creative twist on a classic story. Let your creativity shine as you improvise to spice up your hikes, swims, and meals.

High Adventure (Spots Added)

Rising 6th, 7th, and 8th graders

Reach for the sky and zip through the trees on the high ropes course. When you're not enjoying your bird's eye view of camp, learn survival skills and hit the water. You'll enjoy swimming and fishing at Wishing Star Lake. Campers must be 11 years old by the first day of the camp session.

Bear Creek Aquatic Camp

Session 1

June 9-15, Six Nights \$474 + KY Sales Tax

Self-Rescuing Paddler

Rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders

Adventure beyond the dock and cast away for a week on the water! Splash, swim and learn new paddling skills. Play games to test those skills. Your weeklong adventure ends as you challenge others to a regatta around Girl Scout Bay.

Sailing 1—Aqua Girls

Rising 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th graders

Aqua Girls are all about water sports, challenge, and adventure! Keep your paddling skills in shape with time to kayak and canoe. Also gain new skills learning how to sail the Aquafin sailboats. This session is appropriate for beginner sailors or those with some Aquafin experience.

Session 2

June 17-June 22, Five Nights \$395 + KY Sales Tax

NEW Beach Party

Rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders

Soak up a little bit of all that camp has to offer! Spend the week in the sun sailing, paddling and swimming with your friends. Learn to cook new meals over the campfire and tour the camp kitchen to see what goes into making meals for a whole camp. Plan a beach adventure with your new friends to cap off a wonderful week!

Media Magic

Rising 6th, 7th, and 8th graders

Today's Girl Scouts are surrounded by different forms of media: videos, ads, shows, and other carefully created content. But what does it take to deliver a *good* story? Discover how storytellers use techniques to craft messages for their audience. You'll dig into the skills of storytelling and experiment with technology to bring your ideas to life. While campers enjoy all the usual outdoor fun at camp, they might even create digital media to tell the story of their adventures!

International Traveler

Rising 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th graders

Get ready for an international extravaganza! Explore other cultures during this worldwide week at camp. Choose a new country to learn about every day. Create international-themed artwork and try new cuisines. Bon voyage!

Bear Creek Aquatic Camp

Session 3

June 24-July 3, Nine Nights \$711 + KY Sales Tax

NEW Boater's Paradise

Rising 6th, 7th, and 8th graders

Discover the magic of exploring via the water. Explore Girl Scout Bay by kayak as you refine new and familiar paddling strokes. Let the wind fill your sails as you take a day trip out on the lake. Practice your boating rescue skills and learn about lake safety and navigation before taking an overnight trip across the lake.

Outdoor DIY

Rising 6th, 7th, and 8th graders

It's time to let your creativity flow! Learn new techniques like upcycling and eco-cycling to become a resourceful maker using the world around you. Spend the week creating several projects of your choice like candle-making, decoupage, printmaking, jewelry-making, sewing, and more!

Sailing 3—Smooth Sailing Mariners

Rising 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th graders

In the pinnacle of Bear Creek sailing units you'll refine your crewmate skills and knowledge of rigging, knots, water safety, and boat rescues. You'll take day trips around the lake, learning sailing lore. Then study the weather and navigation charts of Kentucky Lake to plan your overnight sailing trip.

Session 4

July 6-11, Five Nights \$395 + KY Sales Tax

Outdoor Artist

Rising 4th and 5th graders

Get inspired by the beauty of camp and try out different types of visual art. Get creative and test your skills in nature by using natural materials collected by you. Enjoy other classic camp activities like swimming and games when you're not perfecting your skills as a master maker.

Night Owl (Spots Added)

Rising 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th graders

Look to the sky and see the stars like never before. Learn about constellations and reach for the stars with rockets built by you. Watch out for aliens who want to join in on earthling camp fun like swimming and campfires.

Session 5

July 13-19, Six Nights \$474 + KY Sales Tax

Paddling Explorer

Rising 4th and 5th graders

Adventure beyond the dock and cast away for a week on the water! Splash, swim and learn new paddling skills. Play games to test those skills. Your weeklong adventure ends as you challenge others to a regatta around Kentucky Lake.

Sailing 2—Mariner Sailors (Spots Added)

Rising 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th graders

Fine-tune your sailing skills by learning more about knots, boat rescues, map reading, and water safety. Take the sheet and the tiller and let the wind fill the sails of your Flying Scot sailboat as you cruise out of the bay for several day trips around the lake with your team.

Leadership Camp Programs

Counselor in Training (CIT) 1

Bear Creek Aquatic Camp

July 6-11 **AND** July 13-19, 11 Nights Total

Rising 10th and 11th graders

\$869 + KY Sales Tax

Polish your camping skills and learn basic counselor techniques during this two-week session! Learn about the characteristics of children at different ages, study human relations, and learn how to teach songs and games while you spend time observing staff working with younger campers. This program is for high school campers who are serious about becoming camp counselors. Transportation home and back to camp between weeks is included.



Counselor in Training (CIT) 2 Bear Creek Aquatic Camp and

Camp Pennyroyal June 24-July 3, Nine Nights

Rising 11th and 12th graders

\$711 + KY Sales Tax

Put your CIT I skills into practice while working on the intricacies of being a camp counselor! Improve your skills in archery, outdoor cooking, nature study, and the arts. Love the water? Spend additional time with the aquatic staff! Considering a career in camping or Girl Scouting? Spend time with the camp director's team and learn about camp administration! Round out your time at camp by spending a few days working directly with younger camper groups at Camp Pennyroyal (transportation provided).

Junior Counselor Intern

Sessions 2-5 at Camp Pennyroyal Sessions 2-4 at Bear Creek Aquatic Camp

Rising 12th graders

Free

There is no better way to get hands-on job experience than by being a Junior Counselor Intern at GSK resident camp. Beyond being an extremely rewarding experience, interning at Camp Pennyroyal or Bear Creek Aquatic Camp promises to give Junior Counselors an amazing skillset, reference letters for use in future applications, and community service volunteer hours.

Junior Counselors will shadow experienced counselors and step behind the scenes to assist camp directors while learning what it takes to create fun and successful camp experiences. Junior Counselor applicants must be rising 12th graders who have completed CIT I, CIT II, or have relevant experience. There is no charge to attend camp as a Junior Counselor Intern, and you can pick any week(s) that work with your schedule. The deadline to apply is April 1, 2024. To learn more and to apply, please visit **bit.ly/gskjc**.

Louisville PLC Day Camps

Enjoy fun new experiences, and make new friends at our Louisville PLC Day Camps.

Six weeks of day camps are offered at the Louisville Program and Learning Center. These fun and interactive day camps will be led by council staff members, with visits from community partners who are experts in their fields.

Learn more at **gskcamps.org/louisville-plc-day-camp**.

Heads UP!

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June 10-14, Five Days

\$265 + KY Sales Tax

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

We all know what goes up, must come down. Prove it! From science experiments to slingshots, you'll keep your eyes in the sky because this camp is all about keeping things in the air. Rise to the occasion for big fun!

GIRL (Scout) Power

June 17-21, Five Days

\$265 + KY Sales Tax

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

Every Girl Scout is gifted with their own curiosity, dreams, and talents. Learn about yourself and others in fun and interesting workshops led by older Girl Scouts. You'll discover new skills and have a blast while making new friends.

Camp Beyond Camp

June 24-28, Five Days

\$305 + KY Sales Tax

Rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders

Road trip! We're taking the show on the road, and Girl Scouts will escape to fascinating places across our community to learn, play, and grow. You'll use the PLC as your home base, but over the week campers trek to lots of Louisville landmarks. Transportation is included so all you need to bring is your spirit to explore.

Girl Boss

July 8-12, Five Days

\$265 + KY Sales Tax

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

Bring your best ideas to camp, and see if you have what it takes to be the next best business tycoon. Create a cool product or new service to offer in your own girl-led business. Learn about female business leaders around the world and work alongside your friends to build on your ideas. Showcase your creation at the end of this fun-filled week!

Creature Feature (Waitlist)

July 15-19, Five Days

\$265 + KY Sales Tax

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

Find out what it means to give different care to different animals. Animal care specialists will visit camp and give Girl Scouts a hands-on experience about what different household pets need for a healthy and happy life. You might even be surprised to encounter a "purrfect" pet that you never before considered! Campers will also care for our resident bunny. Things might get hairy, but things will definitely be fun!

Paws and Claws Waitlist) July 22-26, Five Days

\$265 + KY Sales Tax

Rising 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders

Gear up for a global safari to learn about fascinating animals from all over the world. How much time does a sloth spend upside down? How does a polar bear swim so well? Animals thrive in every corner of our wild world, from the coldest places to the driest. What stories can they tell us? Campers will dive in, dig deep, and blend into the inspiring world of animal behavior. You'll become a better human, too!

Troop Adventure Camp

July 17-21: Camp Pennyroyal July 21-28: Bear Creek Aquatic Camp July 24-28: Camp Pennyroyal

\$45 per day per person + KY Sales Tax

Troop leaders: Gather your troop and head to camp, together.

Our knowledgeable camp staff are ready to guide you through your outdoor experience and make sure participants come away with new skills and lots of fun memories. Whether Girl Scouts are first-time campers or seasoned veterans ready for a new outdoor challenge, there is something for everyone at Troop Adventure Camp!

Programs

Your Troop Adventure Camp experience is totally customizable to your Girl Scouts! Troops can stay for as many days as they like for each session. This allows your troop to be flexible and make the best choices based on their skills and readiness. Overnight stays are not required, but are encouraged. After registration, you will select an arrival time. You can choose to arrive any time after 5 pm the night prior to your program.

So that troops receive similar experiences no matter the length of their stay, your troop will rotate through camp activities like swimming, boating, hiking, adventure course, crafts, and more led by camp staff each day. Troops are welcome to bypass any of the council-led camp itinerary to work toward badges as a group. Badge packets specific to camp will be available upon request during registration.

Breakfast, lunch, and dinner for your troop are included for the dates listed above.

Troop Supervision Requirements

Adults are needed to satisfy ratio requirements during both council-led programming and troop overnights. Adults must be GSK members with a completed background check. Troops must have an adult who has taken GSK outdoor training appropriate for the lodging requested. Troops must have a First Aider.

Living at Camp

Troops will enjoy their camp adventure in either small lodges, open-air cabins, or tent units. The types of accommodation for troops will be honored on a first-come, first-served basis. For troops who have previous camp experience, we encourage you to venture out into open-air cabins or a tent unit.

Visit **gskcamps.org/troop-adventurecamp** to learn more!



Volunteer-Led Day Camps

Make new friends, paddle your own kayak, zoom down a zipline, or sing songs around a campfire. All of this and more is possible at Volunteer-Led Day Camps. Volunteer-Led Camps happen all around our council and are led by the amazing volunteers in your area! Whether it is your first camp as a Daisy or you're leading as a Senior Program Aide, these camps will bring adventure to your summer!

For the latest information, visit **gskcamps.org/volunteer-led-camps**.

Area	Dates	Location	
Area 2	June 6-8	Stem Adventure Center	
Area 5	June 10-13	Hardin County Fairgrounds	
Area 14	June 10-14	Camp Shantituck	
Areas 9 & 12	June 17-21	Camp Shantituck	
Area 1	June 18-22	Camp Whippoorwill	
Barren Ridge Day Camp	June 24-28	Camp Barren Ridge	
Area 10	June 24-28	Camp Shantituck	
Area 13	July 8-12	Camp Shantituck	
Area 8	July 15-19	Camp Shantituck	
Area 14B	July 22-26	Camp Shantituck	
Great Scoutdoors	August 2-4	Camp Pennyroyal	
Houchens Day Camp	TBD	Houchens Program Center	
Barren Ridge Camporee	TBD	Camp Barren Ridge	



Other Summer Programs

The following two pages are filled with fun and challenging events designed to help girls earn badges, meet other Girl Scouts, and try new things while being immersed in the Girl Scout Leadership Experience.

These events are offered by our program team. The online Events Calendar is your source for all the information about something to do as a troop, with a friend, or as a family.

Find the Events Calendar on our website, **gskentuckiana.org/events**.

Registering for Events

Log in to MyGS at mygs.girlscouts.org/my-

account for the most up-to-date information on events and for registration. Pre-registration is required at least two weeks ahead of time. Register for events online with a credit card, or make payments by cash, check, or *Kentuckiana Credits* using the Event Registration Form. Late registration cannot be accepted.

When plans change, event registrations may be canceled for a full refund, up to 14 days prior to the event.

Patch of the Month

Looking for some additional fun activities for your troop or just to do on your own? Each month, girls can Discover, Connect, and Take Action in a specific subject area. Hands-on activities are available for all Girl Scout levels and can be done at meetings, as a pre-meeting activity, or as an at-home project.

Patch of the Month programs provide Girl Scouts an opportunity to enjoy a variety of activities while earning a fun patch. Completing patch programs can help complete a Journey and may satisfy requirements for certain badges. It's not necessary to complete the patch programs in the months specified—they can be completed at any time! Find the packets at: **gskentuckiana.org**/ **patchofthemonth**.



June

Endangered Species Patch Program:

Do you want to protect wildlife, our environment, and make the world a better place? As you explore the importance of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, you will discover how to protect an endangered species and the habitat it depends on to survive.



July

Outrun the Sun Patch Program: Can YOU Outrun the Sun? Outrunning the sun means taking steps to be sun safe when you are outdoors. Make a commitment to outrun the sun while enjoying many fun activities and teaching others the importance of sun safety.



Healthy Habits Patch Program:

Explore FUNdamental habits for a strong foundation—a healthy body, meaningful and safe relationships, and positive emotional health.

Starting in September 2024, the Patch of the Month is getting revamped. These new programs are designed by Girl Scouts for Girl Scouts! Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors can reach out to **cstorm@gskentuckiana.org** to get involved in the creation of these new patch programs! Girl Scouts will earn service hours and the Service to Girl Scouting Bar.

Have questions?

Contact our friendly Volunteer Care team!

Summer Events and Outdoor Programs

June 2024–August 2024

Who Can Go? Activity Key

D Daisy Grades K-1
B Brownie Grades 2-3
Junior Grades 4-5

- C Cadette Grades 6-8
- S Senior Grades 9–10
- Ambassador Grades 11–12

Family Event

LGBTQ+ Family Day Celebration 🕖 🖸 🔕 📣

This program offers a safe space for GSK's LGBTQ+ Girl Scouts, families, staff, and allies to connect and raise awareness about diversity, challenges, and joys of LGBTQ+ families. Joined by community partners, workshop topics will cover identity, community, outreach, and respect. Learn, express yourself, and make a rainbow wand to wave in community at the Pride Walk/Run on June 9.

\$5 per girl | \$5 per tagalong | Free for adults Sat, June 1, 2024, 2:00 PM—4:00 PM Eastern Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana 2115 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40206

Outdoor Skills: Pocketknives 🕖 🖸 😣 \Lambda

Learn how to safely and skillfully use a pocketknife. Explore how pocketknives can be helpful while hiking and camping. Receive a fun patch. All Girl Scouts will receive a pocketknife to take home.

\$18 per girl

Sat, June 8, 2024, 10:00 AM—12:00 PM Eastern Camp Whippoorwill 3022 E. Geyman Hill Road, Madison, IN 47250

Family Event

Louisville Bats Girl Scout Night and Campout **B J C S A**

Take me out to the ballgame! Watch the Bats at Slugger Field. Enjoy fireworks and watch a movie under the stars with your Girl Scout friends and family. You don't want to miss this awesome annual event!

\$11 game only | \$16 game and campout Fri, June 14, 2024, 7:00 PM—Sat, June 15, 2024, 7:00 AM Eastern Louisville Slugger Field 401 East Main Street, Louisville, KY 40202

Find your fearlessness and climb among the tree canopies! Face the challenge on high ropes elements

and a zipline. Learn how to work together and support each other. Receive a fun patch. Participants must be 11 years old.

\$25 per girl Sat, June 22, 2024, 12:00 PM—4:00 PM Eastern Stem Adventure Center 2665 Crosier Road S.E., Laconia, IN 47135

High Ropes Adventure 🕖 🖸 🕓 \Lambda

Cave Crawl J C S \Lambda

Strap on a helmet, turn on your headlamp, and get ready to crawl through a wild cave! Learn about how caves form and marvel at the ancient cave formations. Receive a fun patch. \$15 per girl

Sun, June 23, 2024, 10:00 AM—2:00 PM Eastern Stem Adventure Center 2665 Crosier Road S.E., Laconia, IN 47135

First Aid for All Ages! B J 📀

First aid is an important skill for everyday life. Adults will get first aid and CPR certified from the American Red Cross while Girl Scouts will learn first-aid basics and put together their own emergency kit. You will receive your grade-level First-Aid badge. \$15 per girl | \$30 per adult

Tues, July 9, 2024, 4:00 PM—8:00 PM Eastern *Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana 2115 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40206*

Family Event

Girl Scout Day at Kentucky Kingdom

Get ready for the thrills, spills, and chills of Kentucky Kingdom and Hurricane Bay, with more than seventy rides and attractions. Learn as you go by taking place in the Education in Motion Program (optional). During the self-guided program you'll explore math, science, and physics experiments, as well as other projects, all focused on the rides and attractions at Kentucky Kingdom. Ticket price includes a lunch buffet with a special Girl Scout celebration!

\$48 per person Sat, July 13, 2024, 10:00 AM—10:00 PM Eastern Kentucky Kingdom 937 Phillips Lane, Louisville, KY 40209

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Family Event

Girl Scout Day on the Belle of Louisville **B J C S A**

Board the Belle of Louisville and experience one of the most popular means of travel for Juliette Gordon Low, who traveled to many cities and towns on steamboats. As the oldest operating Mississippi-style steamboat in the world, the Belle offers a hands-on view of the past and a history fully immersed in the steamboat era. Enjoy lunch with your fellow Girl Scouts, then complete a scavenger hunt while cruising the Ohio River. Cost includes a box lunch and a fun patch. \$27 per girl | \$40 per adult

August 2024, Date TBD, 11:30 AM—2:00 PM Eastern Belle of Louisville

401 West River Road, Louisville, KY 40202

Morning Movement and Meditation D B J

Start your day off right with your fellow Girl Scouts. Do some fun movements to get your heart pumping, and then cool down with some yoga and mindfulness. Finish up your morning with a healthy snack. Daisies will receive a fun patch, Brownies will receive their My Best Self badge, and Juniors will receive their Staying Fit badge.

\$8 per girl Sat, August 10, 2024, 9:00 AM-11:00 AM Eastern Camp Shantituck 3920 E. Hebron Lane, Shepherdsville, KY 40165

The Wonders of Camp Shantituck 🖸 🔕 📣

Experience all that Camp Shantituck has to offer for older girls! Complete a unique art project, compete in a camp-wide scavenger hunt, and explore the rich history of GSK's oldest camp property! Participants will receive a custom Camp Shantituck patch!

\$3 per girl Sat, August 10, 2024, 1:00 PM-3:00 PM Eastern Camp Shantituck 3920 E. Hebron Lane, Shepherdsville, KY 40165

Campfire Cuisine 🖪 J 🖸

Learn how to build a fire that can be used for cooking! Work together as a team to prepare and cook an entire meal over a campfire! Adults will get a campfire cookbook, and Girl Scouts will receive a fun patch. \$10 per girl | \$10 per adult

Sat, August 24, 2024, 3:00 PM-5:00 PM Central Camp Pennyroyal 3095 Girl Scout Road, Utica, KY 42376

Optional Overnight

High Ropes Adventure 🕖 🖸 🔇 \Lambda

Find your fearlessness and climb among the tree canopies! Face the challenge on high ropes elements and a zipline. Learn how to work together and support each other. Receive a fun patch. Participants must be 11 years old. An optional overnight at camp is available for troops that want to extend their fun! \$25 per girl | \$35 per girl for optional overnight **Sun, August 25, 2024, 10:00 AM–2:00 PM Central** *Camp Pennyroyal 3095 Girl Scout Road, Utica, KY 42376*

New for this Summer!

Schedule your own Girl Scout adventure! Below are some spectacular summer deals to make your summer sizzle.

Beech Bend Park D B J C S A

Ticket price includes unlimited rides, Gold Rush Golf, and Splash Lagoon Water Park. Contact Sherry Clouse at 270-779-5203 at least a week before you want to visit. Your tickets will be at will call when you arrive. \$22.99+ tax per person 798 Beech Bend Park Road, Bowling Green, KY 42101

Holiday World & Splashin' Safari D B J C S A

Ticket price includes one day admission, unlimited beverages, and sunscreen. Call Holiday World & Splashin' Safari at 800-467-2682 or visit **HolidayWorld.com/groups** for more information. Tickets start at \$29.99. Groups of 15 or more receive the best discounts.

452 E. Christmas Boulevard, Santa Claus, IN 47579

Racing Louisville Women's Soccer

Come to support Louisville's professional women's soccer club, Racing Louisville. Ticket links for summer discounts will be provided in February 2024. Tickets start at \$13 per person. *Lynn Family Stadium 350 Adams Street, Louisville, KY 40206*

Reid's Orchard **D B J C S A**

Explore the farm, play in the Reidland play area, visit the petting zoo, and ride the Apple Express train. Receive a free apple slushy. Tell ticketing agents you're a Girl Scout to receive the discounted price. \$10 per girl | \$5 per adult *4818 KY-144, Owensboro, KY 42303*



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Enjoy big Savings on 2024 camps:

November 27, Cyber Monday Registration for Summer Camp opens at 8:00 am, with a special one-day-only 25% savings. November 28—March 31 Advanced savings of 10%

* 2023 Kentuckiana Credits expire on December 12. Use credits toward the fun of camp! ** Discounts do not apply toward Troop Adventure Camp.



New for Summer 2024 Multi-Council Girl Scout Day at



Join hundreds of Girl Scout pals for a special day of rides, sisterhood, and a splashin' good time!

Save the Date: September 7, 2024