

Fall Insider

2026-2027

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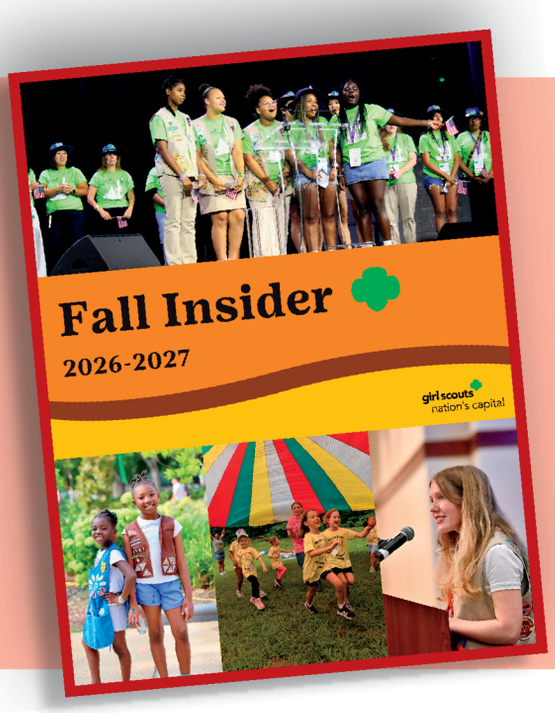

How to Use This Guide: Three Easy Steps

1. Start by reviewing this guide; program details begin on page 30.

2. Click the links provided to learn more about each program.

3. Register online! New programs and activities are added regularly, so be sure to check the website often.

*Sister, which we use inclusively to mean anyone who identifies with the Girl Scouting experience

Welcome to a New Girl Scout Year!

We are so excited about everything this year holds – including a streamlined Girl Scout experience, expanded resources for members and their families, and, of course, our continued commitment to sisterhood.*

As you turn the pages of this guide, you'll discover the ultimate Girl Scouts checklist, engaging events, powerful patch pathways, and updated resources designed to help you every step of the way.

As always, our work is rooted in our mission and our shared commitment to supporting Girl Scouts as they build confidence, courage, and character. As we build off the momentum of hosting the 2026 National Girl Scout Convention, we continue to strive to set the standard for the movement through expanding our program's reach. We are excited to highlight:

- Our ongoing commitment to making "Once a Girl Scout, Always a Girl Scout" a powerful reality by building out new ways to engage with GSCNC into and through adulthood, including the 1912 Society, Power Pair, and short-term volunteer opportunities.
- Our investments in the Girl Scout Promise Fund continue to grow, reflecting our commitment to ensuring the Girl Scout experience is accessible to all.

To our troop leaders and volunteers: thank you. You inspire our Girl Scouts to dream big, lead with confidence, and build a better future for us all. If you need support or have ideas along the way, our Council team is here for you. Reach out to us at customercare@gscnc.org.

Here's to an unforgettable year –
let's make it amazing together!



Kim R. Ford
Chief Executive Officer



2026 National Girl Scout Convention

This past summer, Girl Scouts Nation's Capital was honored to welcome Girl Scouts from around the world to Washington, D.C., where 10,000 young people, caregivers, volunteers, and special guests gathered to celebrate the future of the Girl Scout Movement.

From the 58th National Council Session to the Girl Scout Festival at Franklin Park, Convention week was filled with inspiring conversations, meaningful connections, and a whole lot of Girl Scout joy!



Building Community and Connection

One of the best parts of Convention is how it brings individuals together whose paths may otherwise never intersect—leading to lifelong cross-cultural and cross-generational connections. Seeing delegates from all over come together for the sake of the Girl Scout Movement was a true testament to the worldwide impact of Girl Scouting.

More than 5,000 registered to attend the Girl Scout Festival at Franklin Park. We had 6 full days of the festival, with over 21,000 people in attendance, highlighting core aspects of Girl Scouting, including cultural connections, public service, entrepreneurship, and experiencing adventure with our zipline and climbing wall.



Shaping the Future

The 58th National Council Session took place during the first three days of Convention and was filled with inspiring conversations and decision-making that will impact the future of Girl Scouts. We are so proud of our council's delegates who participated in this historic event!

GSCNC was honored to host the Girl Scouts Unite opening ceremony with special visits from Screech, George, and Abe of the Washington Nationals, as well as an amazing performance from the Friendship Public Charter School Tech Prep Marching Band. The theme of Girl Scouts Unite was "Girls Make History," and it was clear that this was not just a theme, but our reality. From the bridging Girl Scouts who are committed to making the world a better place to the special guests and Girl Scouts of all ages who shared how their Girl Scouting experiences led them to success in a variety of fields, Convention highlighted how Girl Scouts are shaping the future.

Once a Girl Scout, Always a Girl Scout

Girl Scouts doesn't leave you once you become an adult. Instead, it shapes who you become, provides guidance through all of life's challenges, and gives you a community to lean on.



Events such as the National Bridging Ceremony and the Girl Scout Reunion at Planet Word exemplify what "Once a Girl Scout, Always a Girl Scout" truly means. These youth don't leave behind the skills they've developed or forego their heart of service; rather, they promise to bring these assets into adulthood. And they know they will have their Girl Scout community with them!

Communication

Stay Informed with Rallyhood!

Looking for fresh event ideas, helpful resources, or a community of fellow Girl Scout volunteers? Join our Rallyhood communities today!

Rallyhood is more than just a space for Troop Leaders. It's for volunteers, caregivers, and IR Members (Juliettes), too! Discover exciting events, swap ideas, get support, and connect with others across the council.

Whether you're looking for your next adventure, a service project, or an activity to enjoy on your own, Rallyhood is your go-to place to find opportunities beyond your troop. Come see what's happening and join the fun!

Have questions or need help with Rallyhood? Reach out to Stephanie Budnicki at Sbudnicki@gscnc.org/202-274-3335

Stay in the know about volunteer-led and council-sponsored events for younger Girl Scouts in the **Daisy, Brownie, and Junior Events** rally. Get inspired, share your troop's adventures, and discover new opportunities for your Girl Scouts!

https://tinyurl.com/2vdwnbwy

Have a Cadette, Senior, or Ambassador? The **Teen Programs and Earned Awards** rally is the place to discuss programs, awards, and leadership opportunities. Connect with other volunteers to share tips, ask questions, and access new resources.

https://tinyurl.com/5n87jd9y

In the **Council Service Hours** rally you'll find service opportunities posted by staff— perfect for Girl Scouts and adult volunteers who want to give back and make a difference. From supporting events to helping with projects, there's something for everyone.

https://tinyurl.com/yc6nz3u8

Interested in exploring the great outdoors with your troop? Join our **Outdoor and High Adventure** rally! Each week, the program department posts a roundup of outdoor program opportunities happening across the council.

https://tinyurl.com/y6j7rxj5

Communication



Share Your Story

Have a Girl Scout "Mission Moment" that made a lasting impact on your life or community?

Share your story and help us showcase the power of the Girl Scout Movement!

https://tinyurl.com/4jb727jj

Troop Edition

Troop Edition is a weekly e-newsletter featuring upcoming council and program partner activities for troops and individuals. It also includes details on upcoming Girl Scout Days and volunteer opportunities.

Troop Edition emails are sent each Thursday to troop leaders, service unit managers, and other subscribers.

https://tinyurl.com/yc6nz3u8

Connect with us on socials!

@GSCNC



A Sister* to Every Girl Scout

Girl Scouts Nation's Capital is committed to living by the Girl Scout Promise and Law. This new Girl Scout Year, we are deepening the ways we show up as a sister* to every Girl Scout. We are proud to offer the **Girl Scout Promise Fund,** which provides flexible support for membership, uniforms, volunteer training, and so much more.

As the year progresses, be on the lookout for even more investments in our youth members, volunteers, and broader community. We cannot wait to show you what the year has in store!

Girl Scout Promise Fund

https://tinyurl.com/bdzzf5k8

**We use the term "sister" to refer to anyone who identifies with the Girl Scout experience.*

Salute to Service

Wherever a family's service journey takes them, Girl Scouts offers trusted programming and a strong, welcoming network. Through Girl Scouting, members at every level can continue developing leadership skills, make new friends, and find a sense of belonging.

Here are just a few of the ways our Salute to Service program supports Service-connected families:

- Salute to Service Advisory Board, providing opportunities for direct input into Council policies and programs
- Council-to-council transfer support, helping incoming youth make immediate friendships and connections
- Volunteer opportunities through partnerships with local military bases and service-connected nonprofits
- Special events that build connection and celebrate service

Scan the QR code below to learn more about our Salute to Service program.

https://tinyurl.com/27mjeytz

Represent Our Mission: Be on Call for Exclusive Community Appearances

Because Girl Scouts Nation's Capital is often right in the middle of the action, organizations regularly reach out looking for Girl Scouts to help with special events! It could be leading a flag ceremony, singing the National Anthem, sharing how Girl Scouts are entrepreneurs earning money to reach their goals, or simply showing up in uniform to represent the Movement.

The catch? These opportunities often pop up with very little notice, sometimes just a day or two before the event! If your Girl Scout loves trying new things, meeting new people, and stepping up when adventure calls, sign up for our Sudden Service list. When a last-minute opportunity comes along that may be a good fit, we'll contact members from the list. Opportunities are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Ready to answer the call? Complete the form by scanning the QR code today and be ready when the next Sudden Service adventure appears!

https://tinyurl.com/56xkb7ex

Please note: joining the list does not guarantee that your Girl Scout will be offered or selected for an opportunity.



Congressional Aide

Since 1974, the Congressional Aide program has built teens' civic knowledge and professional skills while inspiring a lifelong commitment to public service. Girl Scouts Nation's Capital works with participating offices to give as many Girl Scouts as possible the opportunity to work with and learn from members of Congress and their staff.

Application opens January 4.
Application closes April 9.
Program is for current 10th, 11th, and 12th graders.

Scan the QR code below to learn more about our Congressional Aide program.

https://tinyurl.com/4wn9w85e

Contact congressionalaide@gscnc.org with questions.

Girl Scouts Nation's Capital History Center



- Explore Girl Scout traditions and camp history.
- Discover vintage badges, uniforms and memorabilia.
- Uncover stories and photos from generations of Girl Scouts.
- See historic cookie prizes and other Girl Scout treasures.
- Take part in engaging history workshops and activities.
- Discover how yesterday's Girl Scouts helped shape Girl Scouting today!

Want to dig a little deeper?

The all-volunteer Council History Committee preserves the documents, photographs, uniforms, badges, and other treasures that tell the story of Girl Scouts Nation's Capital—and creates exhibits and programs that help today's Girl Scouts connect with our past.

Looking for a more casual visit? The History Center holds an Open House on the first Sunday of each month, 1–4 p.m. Council Historians also work at the Center every Thursday, 11 a.m.–3 p.m.

Help save today's history for tomorrow's youth!

Have an old uniform, badge, cookie prize, photo, or other Girl Scout treasure? It could be part of our story!



Scan the QR code to explore upcoming programs, tours, workshops, and more.

https://tinyurl.com/3y6spspd

Every badge has a story. Every Girl Scout leaves a legacy. Come discover yours!

Girl Scout Promise Fund

Inclusion has been at the heart of Girl Scouts since the very beginning. We are proud of our commitment to ensuring that everyone who wants to be a Girl Scout can be. The Girl Scout Promise Fund is available to support members with the following resources.

- Annual GSUSA Membership
- Uniforms and Books
- Program Participation
- Background Screening
- Volunteer Training
- And More!

To submit a request to the Girl Scout Promise Fund, scan the QR code below.

https://tinyurl.com/bdzzf5k8



The Girl Scout Promise Fund is made possible through the generous support of dedicated members like you. Every gift makes a difference.

Please consider making your contribution by scanning the QR code provided.

https://tinyurl.com/mrxvn5y5

Council DEIA Resources



Inclusion Resources

Girl Scouts Nation's Capital is committed to providing resources that support Girl Scouts by meeting them where they are.

With this in mind, our DEIA team has created a DEIA inclusion toolkit and a DEIA inclusion quick guide to address some of the most common areas where we receive feedback.

These resources are meant to complement the collaborative work between volunteers and the council. Please do not hesitate to reach out to our DEIA team directly with any questions.

Inclusion Resources

https://tinyurl.com/3hus9xcb

Inclusion Resources Quick Guide

https://tinyurl.com/4k79ns9t



Multilingual Resource Page

We are excited to share the launch of our new multilingual resources page! Located in the members section under “For Caregivers and Families,” this page features resources in six languages—Amharic, Arabic, French, Korean, Spanish, and Vietnamese—to better support our diverse community.

- New Leader and Family Passports
- Audio recordings of the Girl Scout Promise, Law, and “We Are the Girl Scouts” song, written by council volunteer Gale Bernatz
- "About Girl Scouts Nation’s Capital: videos with captions
- Information on accessing on-demand phone interpretation
- Instructions for requesting in-person and virtual American Sign Language (ASL) interpretation

Multilingual Resource Page

https://tinyurl.com/4nad6x8h

While not all materials have been translated yet, you can email us at deia@gscnc.org if you need a form or document translated.

We are committed to ensuring Girl Scouts remains welcoming, inclusive, and accessible for all.



Supporting Girl Scouts with Diverse Intellectual and Physical Abilities

Girl Scouts is committed to making reasonable accommodations for Girl Scouts with physical, cognitive, or developmental differences.

Volunteers are encouraged to communicate directly with Girl Scouts and/or their caregivers to understand individual needs and identify appropriate supports and accommodations.

Supporting Girl Scouts with Diverse Intellectual and Physical Abilities

https://tinyurl.com/khcubpsz



Multicultural and Religious Holiday Calendar 2026-2027

We encourage volunteers and staff to schedule events thoughtfully, with consideration for the religious and cultural holidays observed across our diverse council.

At the link to the right, you'll find a list of selected holidays for reference.

Please note that:

- Some holidays do not occur on the same date each year
- The list is not exhaustive
- Individual observances and practices may vary

Multicultural and Religious Holiday Calendar 2026-2027

https://tinyurl.com/ymx7vumk



Accessibility and Our Equipment Center

Members may rent camping equipment, flags, ceremonial bridges, and program kits through the equipment center.

To support accessibility, the equipment center currently offers wheelchair rickshaws and wheelchair-accessible tents.

We welcome your requests or recommendations for additional equipment that would help all Girl Scouts participate fully in our programs.

Accessibility and Our Equipment Center

https://tinyurl.com/fva2vjvs



Language/American Sign Language Interpretation

Language and American Sign Language (ASL) on-demand phone interpretation is available in more than 250 languages to support effective communication between volunteers, staff, and Girl Scout caregivers. American Sign Language (ASL) interpretation services are also available, both in person and virtually.

These services may be used to:

- Communicate with prospective families
- Assist with completing forms
- Share details about events and programs

For more information or to request services, contact customercare@gscnc.org

Language/ American Sign Language Interpretation

https://tinyurl.com/2zz589t4



Publication Revision Jotform

This Jotform invites members to help ensure the consistent use of inclusive language and accurate, up-to-date information across council web pages, publications, forms, trainings, and other materials. Your submissions help us identify materials that may be outdated, inaccurate, or no longer in use so they can be reviewed and updated.

All submissions are added to a review queue for correction.

While some updates may take time, please know that your feedback is valued and will be addressed as soon as possible. The form also includes an option to flag submissions that require immediate, time-sensitive attention.

Thank you for helping us keep our materials accurate, inclusive, and current!

Publication Revision Jotform

https://tinyurl.com/47mcuzud

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FALL PRODUCT PROGRAM

Important Dates

9/11: Fall Product Program begins
10/17: In-person order taking ends (11:59pm)
10/21: Online Girl Scout Delivered ends (11:59pm)
11/11: Online sales - magazines and Direct Ship end (11:59pm)
11/10-18: Product delivery

The Fall Product Program is a Council-sponsored program that combines educational activities with money-earning opportunities for the troops. The Fall Product Program is directed toward family and friends—those closest to Girl Scouting—and enables troops to earn start-up money by selling magazine subscriptions, nuts, candy, and more.

Personalized products, Bark Box, candles, and Tervis tumblers will be returning for the 2026 program.



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COOKIE PROGRAM

Important Dates

12/14: Initial Order taking begins
1/10: Online Girl Scout Delivered pauses in Digital Cookie (11:59pm)
1/16: Online Girl Scout Delivered turned back on in Digital Cookie
1/19: Association deliveries begin
2/1: Cupboards begin to open (all open by 2/10)
2/5: Booths begin
3/7: Online Girl Scout Delivered closes in Digital Cookie (11:59pm)
3/14: Cookie Program ends
3/15-21: Limited cupboards open
3/20: Direct Ship closes in Digital Cookie

When youth members participate in the Girl Scout Cookie Program, they get more than life-changing experiences and adventures. They also develop essential life skills—goal setting, decision making, money management, people skills, and business ethics—all while soaring in confidence and practicing leadership the Girl Scout way to lift one another up and change the world, together. Dream it, earn it, do it. That's the Girl Scout difference.



Volunteer Training

Start Your Troop Leader Training Now!



For the first time, our learning management system offers direct links to troop leader training—making it faster and easier to access the resources you need.

Click the links below, log in to your MyGS account, and begin training instantly on your phone or computer!

Daisy Troop Leader Training

https://tinyurl.com/47mcuzud

Brownie Troop Leader Training

https://tinyurl.com/47mcuzud

Junior Troop Leader Training

https://tinyurl.com/47mcuzud

Cadette Troop Advisor Training

https://tinyurl.com/47dtwpxr

Senior Troop Advisor Training

https://tinyurl.com/y3zjfz29

Ambassador Troop Advisor Training

https://tinyurl.com/yc3t6s73

If you have any questions, please contact us at AVDaa@gscnc.org!

Nominate Our Amazing Volunteers!

Every amazing troop experience starts with incredible volunteers — the troop leaders who plan the adventures, the cookie managers who make it all happen, and the mentors who keep the spirit of Girl Scouting alive.

Now's your chance to say thank you in a big way! Celebrate your troop leaders by nominating them for the Outstanding Leader Award, and recognize other troop volunteers for their dedication and impact with the Troop Service Award.



Adult Recognition System Nomination Form

https://tinyurl.com/muavzr39

Questions? Contact Stephanie Budnicki at Sbudnicki@gscnc.org or 202-274-3335

Teen Mental Health First Aid

Teen Mental Health First Aid is a certification designed for Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts, age 14 and up. High school is a time of critical change and development, when symptoms of mental health challenges may escalate and cause falling grades, problems with close relationships, and substance use.

Held in **six 45-minute virtual sessions** with independent coursework in between, this certification course gives teens the skills to have supportive conversations with their friends and teaches them how and when to get help from a responsible and trusted adult. Topics include how to open conversations about mental health and substance use challenges, recognizing common signs and symptoms, and understanding the impact of school violence and bullying on mental well-being.

Dates*: 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, and 10/19
Time: 6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.
Fee: $20 includes workbook
Location: Virtual with coursework in between sessions

Teen Mental Health First Aid Certification Sign Up Form

https://tinyurl.com/53b9rde5

*Take a look at the Events Calendar in December to register for the Spring Sessions.

Participants must be able to attend all sessions (Virtual/Independent) to be certified. A makeup session will be provided for Girl Scouts who are observing Yom Kippur.

Adventure Awaits!



Get Trained for Outdoor Adventures!

Want to help your Girl Scout experience campfires, cookouts, and outdoor adventures? Caregivers can play a key role in making those experiences possible!

By becoming Cookout/Campout Certified, you can help your troop enjoy everything from a simple evening around the campfire to an unforgettable overnight camping trip. Whether you're interested in learning the basics of outdoor cooking, becoming certified to take a troop camping, or building your skills through advanced camping training, there are opportunities available for every level of experience. You can also get certified to lead activities like archery, slingshot and, tomahawk throwing!

Every trained adult helps open the door to new adventures for Girl Scouts!

Our Upcoming Courses document is updated weekly with the latest training opportunities.

Scan the QR code or click the link to see what's available and take the first step toward helping your troop create amazing outdoor memories.

https://tinyurl.com/59ywbf4h

Spotlight Sessions

Do you have questions about organizing an encampment for your association? Maybe you're curious about Girl Scout travel opportunities but aren't sure where to start! Have you been challenged by behavior issues in your troop and want to hear some tips from experienced volunteers?

We're offering one-hour virtual spotlight sessions on these topics and more over the next few months.

To see what's currently scheduled, scan the QR code above labeled '2026-2027 Upcoming Live Session Courses' then click 'Spotlight Sessions' on the first page.

Contact Jennifer Greene at jgreene@gscnc.org for more information!



Get Started with Build-A-Bear

Make your Build-A-Bear as Unique as You



- **Troop Workshops available on Saturdays**
- **Two Event Packages**
  - Awesome Adventure Party - $40.00
    - Furry Friend/GS uniform vest/cub condo/fun patch/activity
  - Ultimate Experience Party - $58.00
    - Furry Friend/GS uniform vest/clothing-footwear-accessory item/cub condo/fun patch/activity

Bring the Build-A-Bear workshop home!

Our Build-A-Bear Home Party Kits are the perfect activity for troop meetings, special celebrations, or just for fun!

Order your kit today!*

*A minimum of 4 kits must be ordered.



For more info or to place an order, please contact the Main Shop at 202-274-3312 or email us at gsshop@gscnc.org

Ready to meet your new best friend with Build-A-Bear?

Walk-in and troop events are now available! Scan the QR code to see event packages and book your event!

https://tinyurl.com/yj572uzx

Girl Scout Starter Pack



Girl Scout Uniform with Insignia



+ A free kit bag with purchase of any youth uniform with insignia



GS Level Bracelet

Quilted Backpack





GS Tee Shirt

Adult Scarf





Adult Volunteer Uniform

Nation's Capital Starters

Tote Bag





Once and Always Magnet

Patch



Nation's Capital Tee Shirt



Pouch





Water Bottle



Notebook and Mug





Sisterhood Tee Shirt

Main Shop
4301 Connecticut Ave., NW, Suite M2,
Washington, D.C. 20008
202-274-3312

Centreville Shop
5946 Centreville Crest Ln
Centreville, VA 20121
703-266-4437

Martinsburg Shop
153 McMillian Court
Martinsburg, WV 25404
304-596-9932

Germantown Shop
20251 Century Blvd Ste 130
Germantown, MD 20874
301-987-8718

GSCNC Shop

https://tinyurl.com/yuajrj76

Adventure Starts Here!



When a young person sits around a campfire beneath a sky full of stars, paddles a canoe across the water, or takes a deep breath before sending an arrow toward its target, something begins to change.

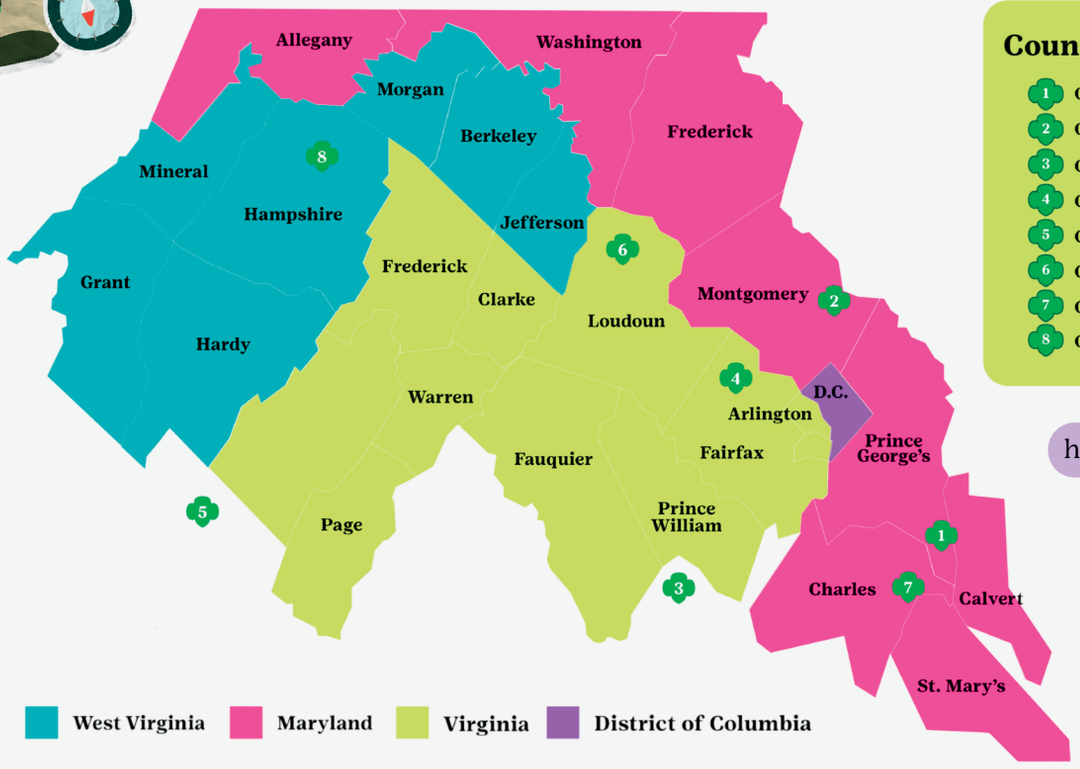
They discover they are capable of more than they imagined.

Through outdoor adventure, youth build confidence by facing challenges, develop new skills by trying something for the first time, and strengthen friendships through shared experiences. They learn to take healthy risks, solve problems, cheer one another on—and discover the incredible feeling of saying, "I did it!"

At the Girl Scout Council of the Nation's Capital, adventure is closer than you think. Our Council owns and/or operates eight beautiful outdoor properties throughout the region, giving youth countless opportunities to explore, unplug, get active, and connect with the outdoors.

From troop camping and outdoor adventures to summer day and evening camps and summer sleep-away camp, there is an adventure waiting for every age and interest.





Council Campsites:

1. Camp Aquasco
2. Camp Brighton Woods
3. Camp Coles Trip
4. Camp Crowell
5. Camp May Flather
6. Camp Potomac Woods
7. Camp Winona
8. Camp White Rock

https://tinyurl.com/6krkfy8j

GSCNC Camping

Registration for Summer Sleep-Away Camp and Summer Day and Evening Camps will open in **December (Sleep Away Camp)** and **Jan/Feb (Summer Day and Evening)**. Keep an eye on our website through the QR code above for registration dates, program details, and the latest camp information.

Not sure what to do when you go camping? Ready to try something new? Weekend camping is a great place to start!

With programs available for Girl Scouts of all levels, weekend programs truly are for everyone. Many weekend offerings either directly support badge requirements or count toward the Explore Camp Patch Program.

Weekend Program Types

- **High Adventure ➜** Archery, tomahawks, slingshots, and more! Our weekend facilitators offer a full suite of high-adventure activities at our camps.
- **Outdoor Programs ➜** From butterflies to animals at risk of extinction, these programs give Girl Scouts the chance to explore the woods and discover the beauty and wonder of nature.
- **Outdoor Skill Programs ➜** Whittling, fire building, and Leave No Trace are just some of the outdoor skills our weekend facilitators help Girl Scouts learn at camp.
- **Evening Programs ➜** The fun at camp doesn't end when the sun goes down! Evening programs offer troops a great way to make the most of their time at camp.
- **Activity Days ➜** Looking for a full or half day of camp adventures? Our activity days offer a variety of programs ranging from high-adventure fun to hands-on outdoor exploration.



Check out our programs below:

https://tinyurl.com/ytp2bpuh

Program Highlights

Badge Connections ➜ Most weekend programs align with one or more of the Girl Scout Badges/Patch Programs. The programs will have the badge/patch connections noted underneath the program description during registration.

If you are interested in connecting it to another badge reach out to jharris@gscnc.org to see if that could be possible.

Weekend Program Information

Dates of Weekend Programming	BW	CR	CT	PW	WI	WR
9/11-9/13						X
9/18-9/20				X	X	
9/25-9/27			X			X
10/2-10/4	X					X
10/9-10/11		X			X	
10/16-10/18			X			
10/23-10/25		X		X		
10/30-11/1	X	X		X		
11/5-11/8		X			X	
11/13-11/15	X		X			
11/20-11/22		X		X		
12/5-12/6					X	X
12/12-12/13		X				
1/9-1/10				X		
1/16-1/17	X					
1/23-1/24					X	
1/30-1/31		X				
2/6-2/7			X			
2/13-2/14		X				
2/20-2/21				X		
2/27-2/28	X					

Camp Location Key:

- BW - Brighton Woods
- CR: Crowell
- CT: Coles Trip
- PW: Potomac Woods
- WI: Winona
- WR: White Rock

Weekend Program Type Information

Program	Program Type	Level	Cost per Person	Program	Program Type	Level	Cost per Person
Slingshots	HA	Daisy and up	$12.50	Night Sky Navigators	E	Daisy and up	$5.00
Archery	HA	Brownie and up	$15.00	Night Hike	E	Daisy and up	$5.00
Tomahawks/ Knives	HA	Cadette and up	$12.50	Campfire Fun	E	Daisy and up	$5.00
Canoe	HA	Brownie and up*	$21.00	Dark Sky Discovery	E	Brownie and up	$5.00
Kayak	HA	Junior and up*	$21.00	Monarchs and Milkweed	OP	Daisy and up	$3.00
Low Ropes	HA	Brownie and up*	$18.00	Fantastic Fall	OP	Daisy and up	$3.00
Camp Survivor: Steps of Survival	OS	Daisy and up	$5.00	Awesome Opossum	OP	Daisy and up	$3.00
Camp Survivor: Fire and Fire Safety	OS	Brownie and up	$5.00	Herbology	OP	Junior and up	$3.00
Camp Survivor: Orienteering	OS	Junior and up	$5.00	Nuts, Nests, and Naps	OP	Daisy and up	$3.00
Camp Survivor: Knives and Tool Safety	OS	Cadette and up	$5.00	Going...going ...gone	OP	Daisy and up	$3.00

*Program ages can vary by location, check the specific camp for ages.

Program Type Key:

- HA - High Adventure
- OS - Outdoor Skills
- E - Evening
- OP - Outdoor Education

Book a Large Group Event on a GSCNC Property

If you'd like to a host an event serving more than 30 people, using 3 or more sites at once, you can make your request using the large group request form.

You can make these requests up to 6 months in advance!



This makes it easy to plan:

- Service Unit-level events, like Thinking Day or SHARE events
- Multi-troop camping weekends

Please make sure that your request:

- Is submitted 4-6 months ahead of time
- Is for an event serving 30+ people at once
- Prioritizes effective use of space

GSCNC Property Requests*

https://tinyurl.com/y2c5e7h2

*This form is NOT for troop camping reservations.

GSCNC Camp Properties for Exploration

Our council has eight fantastic properties for your troop to explore! Each camp has unique offerings and features.

Visit all eight and earn the Explore Camp Patch!

Scan to learn more about the Explore Camp Patch!

https://tinyurl.com/batzjdfj

Camp Name	Location	High Adventure	Types of Lodging	Activity Idea
Aquasco	Aquasco, MD	Slingshot, Tomahawk	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Tent Camping	Take a tour at the nearby Mudd House Museum for $3.00 per Girl Scout.
Brighton Woods	Brookeville, MD	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Tent Camping	Try the camp orienteering challenge!
Coles Trip	Stafford, VA	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk, Canoe, Kayak	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Tent Camping, Platform Tents, Covered Wagons	Enjoy the camp's private beach, with boating on Aquia Creek.
Crowell	Oakton, VA	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk, Low Ropes, High Ropes	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Tent Camping, Hammocks	The Cross County Trail runs by camp for a great hike!
May Flather	Mt. Solon, VA	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk, Low Ropes, Climbing Tower	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Platform Tents	Natural Chimney's Park is nearby to see caves.
Potomac Woods	Leesburg, VA	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Tent Camping, Hammocks	Try the special Priscilla's Trail Scavenger Hunt!
White Rock	Capon Bridge, WV	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk, Low Ropes, High Ropes, Canoe, Kayak	Lodge, Glen Shelter, Tent Camping, Hammocks, Treehouses, Covered Wagons	Schedule a tour of the nearby Ice Mountain to see ice year-round.
Winona	Hughesville, MD	Slingshot, Archery, Tomahawk, Canoe, Kayak	Lodge, Glen Shelter	Try the camp letterboxing challenge!

Girl Scout Awards

There's no better place to grow as a leader and earn awards than Girl Scouts! Award opportunities are available at every level, from Girl Scout Daisies in kindergarten to Girl Scout Ambassadors in high school. Find more information about available awards by scanning the QR code to the right.

Girl Scout Highest Awards

https://tinyurl.com/3jca9wzm

Highest Awards

Bronze Award

The Bronze Award is the highest award a Girl Scout Junior (grades 4-5) can earn. They can work with their troop, in a small group or as an individual to earn their Bronze Award once they have completed a Junior Journey.

Silver Award

Silver Award Girl Scouts have earned the highest award a Girl Scout Cadette (grades 6-8) can earn. A Girl Scout can work with their troop/group (a maximum of 4 per project is suggested) or as an individual to earn their Silver Award once they have completed either their Bronze Award or one Cadette level Leadership Award.

Silver Trefoil Award

The Silver Trefoil Award is unique to Girl Scouts Nation's Capital. The award honors Girl Scout Seniors and Ambassadors who make the world a better place through service in three categories: Girl Scout Community, National, and Global.

Gold Award

Gold Award Girl Scouts have earned the highest award a Girl Scout Senior (grades 9-10) or Ambassador (grades 11-12) can earn. A Girl Scout can earn this award as an individual once they have completed one of the following: a Senior/Ambassador level journey (completed before September 30th, 2026), earned their Silver Award, or earned a Leadership Award at the Senior/Ambassador Level. Journeys completed after 9/30/2026 will not be accepted as a pre-requisite. Girl Scouts track their progress using GSUSA's GoGold Platform and work with our local Gold Award Support Team.

Awards for All Girl Scout Levels



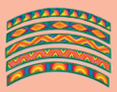
Journey Summit Award

This award is earned by completing three Journeys for your Girl Scout level.



Safety Award

This award is earned by completing three Journeys for your Girl Scout level.



Bridging Award

Bridging Girl Scouts earn this award by completing two steps: (1) Pass It On—to share what they've learned with younger Girl Scouts and (2) Look Ahead—to learn from older Girl Scouts about their next Girl Scout level.



My Promise, My Faith

Girl Scouts of all levels can earn one award each year as they explore the connection between Girl Scouts and their faith.

Questions? Contact higheraward@gscnc.org for more information.

Girl Scout Awards

Leadership Awards

Personal Leadership

True North Award

Girl Scouts will learn to stay true to themselves while pursuing goals.



Teaching Leadership

Junior Aide

Girl Scouts will know how to plan and lead a fun, inclusive activity for younger kids.



Program Aide

Girl Scouts will have planned and led multiple activities for a group of younger kids.



Volunteer in Training (VIT)

Girl Scouts will develop skills in creating supportive environments for younger kids.



Counselor in Training I

Girl Scouts will establish the leadership and outdoor skills needed to be a camp counselor.



Counselor in Training II

Girl Scouts will focus on skills needed to work with youth at camp, including behaviors of campers and how to manage them, working as a team with all staff, and learn about camp operations.



Peer Leadership

Gold Torch

Girl Scouts will learn how to lead a successful team.



Silver Torch

Girl Scouts will learn how to lead by being a great teammate.



Community Advocacy

Take Action Award

Girl Scouts will know how to address a community issue with a sustainable and measurable solution.



Global Action Award

Girl Scouts will know how to address a global issue with a sustainable and measurable solution.



Meritorious Service

Ethel G. Harvey President's Award



The President's Award in Honor of Ethel G. Harvey is the only Girl Scouts Nation's Capital honorary award for youth. Nominations are taken for Cadettes, Seniors or Ambassadors for the award given annually. A committee of Girl Scouts selects the winner.

Questions? Contact higheraward@gscnc.org for more information.

Girl Scout Travel

Troop Travel

You're going places, Girl Scout. When you plan your own Girl Scout trip—whether it's Brownies packing their first weekend bag or Seniors boarding a plane for an adventure abroad—you build courage, confidence, and lifelong skills like organization, time management, and teamwork.

You'll learn how to adapt when things don't go as planned, build connections beyond your own community, and create memories that last a lifetime. Wherever you dream of traveling, Girl Scouts can help get you there!

Join the Travel - GS Nation's Cap Rally! This rally is a discussion forum for travel information at Girl Scouts Nation's Capital. Share tips, ask questions, and post photos.

Travel Nation's Cap Rally

https://tinyurl.com/3h9573de

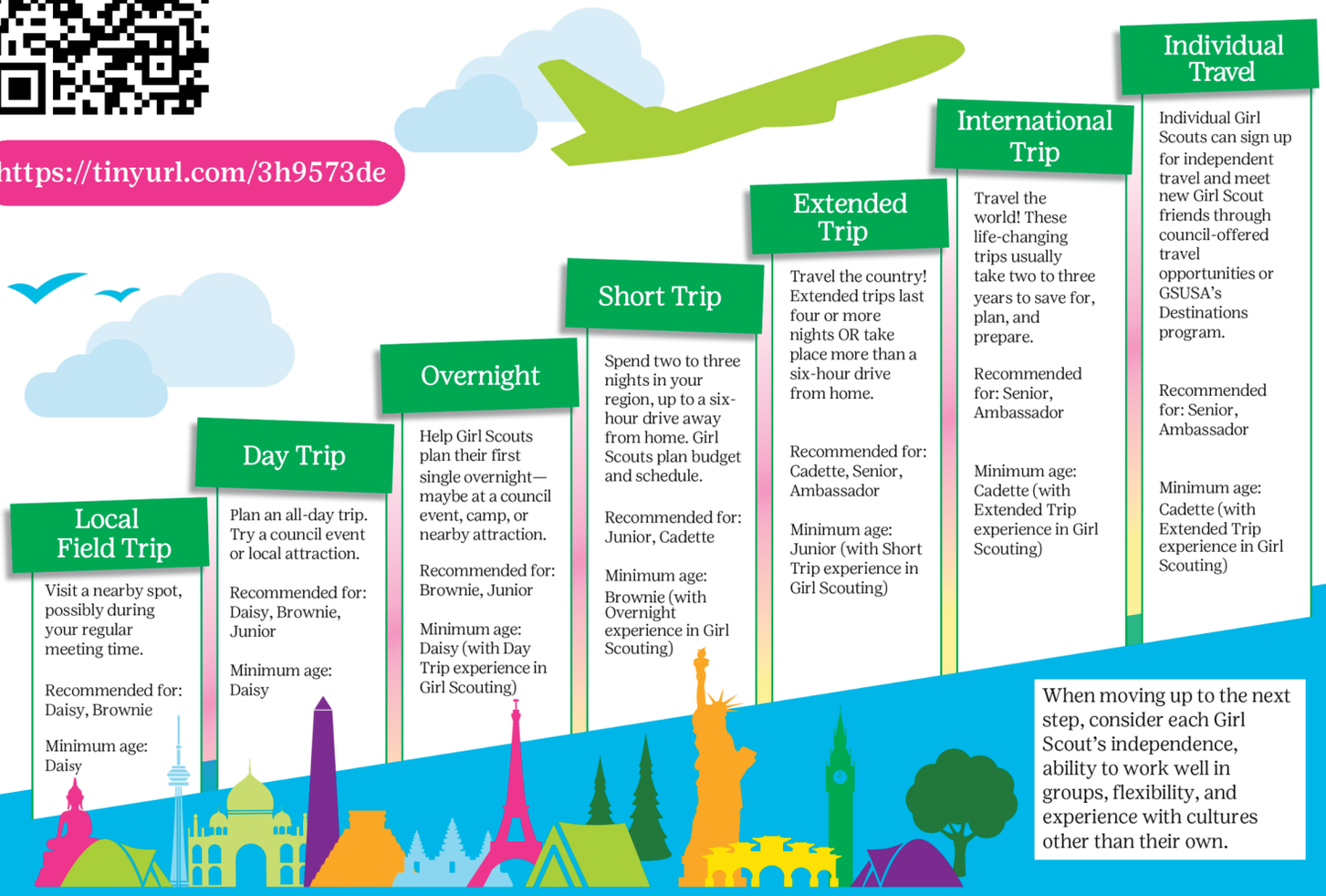
Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Travel

Has your troop followed the travel progression, and are now ready for extended or even international travel? We have resources to share with you.

Take Travel training on GS Learn. This training is required prior to planning a Girl Scout trip of 4 or more nights, or at a destination farther than 200 miles or a 3.5-hour drive from your regular meeting place. This includes all international destinations. Travel Training must be completed by the Adult-in-Charge before submitting the Travel Pre-Approval Form.

Travel Training

https://tinyurl.com/48rf4aut



Through progression, Girl Scouts build skills to become lifelong travelers and global citizens. Girl Scouts take the lead in planning a new adventure at every level.

Contact Mary Strauss, mstrauss@gscnc.org for more information!

Girl Scout Destinations

Are you ready for the ultimate adventure?



Girl Scout Destinations are the ultimate adventure for individual Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Girl Scouts. Push past your comfort zone by applying for a trip on your own, and make friends from all over the country as you travel with new Girl Scout friends.

There's a unique, life-changing experience for everyone!

Girl Scout Travel Destinations

https://tinyurl.com/3fr65ycn

Registration Timeline

August 1 ..... Destinations applications open!

November 15* ..... "Early decision" deadline. Apply by this date if there is a specific Destination you really want to join! Every application received between August 1st and November 15th will be reviewed at the same time after the November 15th deadline.

December 15 ..... Destination hosts send early decision notifications.

*After November 15th, most Destinations will still have some spaces remaining! Applications remain open on a rolling basis (first come, first served) until the trip is listed as "CLOSED" on the website.



Learn more at our Live Info Session Webinar on Wednesday, October 14, 2026 @ 6PM, RSVP below.

https://tinyurl.com/3bxbcft5

Contact Jessica Hadsell, jhadsell@gscnc.org for questions or more information.

Stress-Free Planning with Program Kits

Take the stress out of planning troop meetings or events with a Program Kit! Program Kits are fun, age-appropriate resources and are available for varied subjects such as STEM, Journeys, the environment, teamwork, and healthy living.

Each kit is designed to serve a troop of 10-16 Girl Scouts, but can be modified to accommodate larger groups. Nation's Capital program kits are available to borrow at minimal cost to leaders and can be delivered to any Council office for pickup (some are free). Many kits help Girl Scouts complete badge requirements!

Level Key

- Daisy
- Brownie
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Program Kit Title	D	B	J	C	S	A
Advanced Robotics Kit				●	●	●
American Flag	●	●	●	●	●	●
Animal Tracks	●	●	●	●	●	●
Brownie Bugs Badge		●				
Brownie Earth and Sky		●				
Brownie Money Manager Badge		●				
Brownie My Body		●				
Brownie Numbers and Shapes		●				
Brownie Philanthropist Badge		●				
Brownie Philantropist Badge		●				
Brownie Science in Action		●				
Brownie Science Wonders		●				
Brownie Senses		●				
Brownie Working It Out		●				
Cadette Budgeting Badge				●		
Cadette Financing My Dreams Badge				●		
Cadette Trees Badge				●		
Car Care					●	●
Classic Songbooks	●	●	●	●	●	●
Compass Games Kit			●	●	●	●
Compass Kit			●	●	●	●
Cooperative Games 1		●	●	●	●	●
Cooperative Games 1			●	●	●	●

Contact Emma DeRogatis-Frilingos, nederogat@gscnc.org with questions.

Program Kit Title	D	B	J	C	S	A
Craft Boards		●	●	●	●	●
Daisy Color Wonders	●					
Daisy Respecting Myself & Others	●					
Design Time: Girls Go Techbridge			●	●		
Earth Defender	●	●	●	●	●	●
Eco - Box	●	●	●	●	●	●
Emergency Preparedness	●	●	●	●	●	●
Enviroscape - Coastal		●	●	●	●	●
Enviroscape - Hazardous Materials		●	●	●	●	●
Enviroscape - Landfill		●	●	●	●	●
Enviroscape - Watershed/Non-Point Source		●	●	●	●	●
Get Moving! Journey			●			
Girl Scout Games & Dramatics		●	●			
Girl Scout Legacies and Traditions	●	●	●	●	●	●
Goggle Tub	●	●	●	●	●	●
Grow Strong Brownies/Juniors		●	●			
Grow Strong Cadettes/Seniors/Ambassadors				●	●	●
Grow Strong Daisies	●					
imagiCharms Coding Kit			●	●	●	●
Intermediate Robotics Kit			●	●	●	●
Introductory Robotics Kit		●	●	●	●	●
Junior Aerospace			●			
Junior Choice is Yours			●			
Junior Flowers Badge			●			
Junior Making it Matter			●			
Junior Rocks Rock			●			
Junior Savvy Shopper Badge			●			
Junior Science in Everyday Life			●			
Junior Science Sleuth			●			
Junior Weather Watch			●			
Knot Board	●	●	●	●	●	●
Leather Crafting Kit		●	●	●	●	●
Leave No Trace	●	●	●	●	●	●
Parachute Games	●	●	●	●	●	●
Real-World STEM Challenges	●					
Rockwood History Box			●	●	●	●

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Program Kit Title	D	B	J	C	S	A
Screen-Printing			●	●	●	●
Sport Equipment	●	●	●	●	●	●
Teen Build A Better Future				●	●	●
Teen Math, Maps and More				●	●	●
Teen Science Activities				●	●	●
Teen Space Exploration				●	●	●
Teen Stress and Anger Management Activities				●	●	●
Uniforms Through the Years: Uniform Sampler	●	●	●	●	●	●
WOW! Wonders of Water Journey	●	●	●	●	●	●
Yoga Mats	●	●	●	●	●	●
Zink the Zebra	●	●	●	●	●	●

Be on the lookout for updates to available kits coming soon!

Contact Emma DeRogatis-Frilingos, nederogat@gscnc.org with questions.



Patch Programs

Girl Scout Patch Programs offer youth opportunities to participate in special events where they can learn new skills, network, and have fun through programs hosted by Girl Scouts Nation's Capital and our partners. Patches may recognize troop activities or the completion of programs unique to Girl Scouts Nation's Capital.



Discover the Nation's Capital

Explore the rich history of Washington, D.C. and our surrounding areas by visiting landmarks, museums, governmental offices, gardens, statues, and memorials throughout D.C., Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia.





Water Drop

Learn about water quality and take action to protect and restore local water sources. This program includes a different patch for each Girl Scout level. This patch program was created in partnership with the United States EPA, NASA, and the Smithsonian Institution.



Cookie Entrepreneur

Make your cookie business stand out from the crowd by developing digital and in-person marketing techniques, learning about the fundamentals of the Girl Scout Cookie Program, and completing some steps for your cookie business badges!

Contact Emma DeRogatis-Frilingos, ederogat@gscnc.org with questions.

To see all other patches, scan the QR code provided. Patches are available for purchase in-store unless otherwise stated.

Patches

https://tinyurl.com/mumxtf87



Shark Day at the National Aquarium

Sharks are one of the most successful apex predators on the planet. Join the National Aquarium as we delve into the biology of sharks and their interesting adaptations that have helped them survive for nearly 400 million years. During our classroom event, Scouts will investigate sharks both past and present and learn about their vital role in keeping the ocean healthy.

All participating Scouts will receive a National Aquarium patch.

Tues. 12/15

Daisy, Brownie, Junior

Contact: Kyle Kraft-Culkin, kkraft@aqua.org, 410-576-3830

Girl Scouts and Gears [Off-Bike]

Join us for an off-bike bike safety event for Girl Scouts of all experience levels. Girl Scouts will learn important safety skills through interactive activities, including helmet fitting, bike visibility and weather safety, bike locking, and helmet decorating.

Whether your Girl Scout is just getting started or already riding, come spend the day outside with GSCNC and The Washington Area Bicyclist Association.

Sat. 10/24 - 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Daisies, Brownies

https://tinyurl.com/mrfp3abr

Contact: Emma DeRogatis-Frilingos, ederogat@gscnc.org



Juliette Gordon Lowe's Monster Birthday Bash

Celebrate Girl Scout founder, Juliette Gordon Lowe's birthday by joining us at camp for a Halloween themed party. Come boogie on the dance floor, put your aim to the test with target sports, and create a spooky-ish craft. Don't forget to take part in the camp wide trunk or treat where you can fill your bag with goodies fit for any Halloween celebration. Don't forget to wear your costume for an end of the night costume contest with prize!

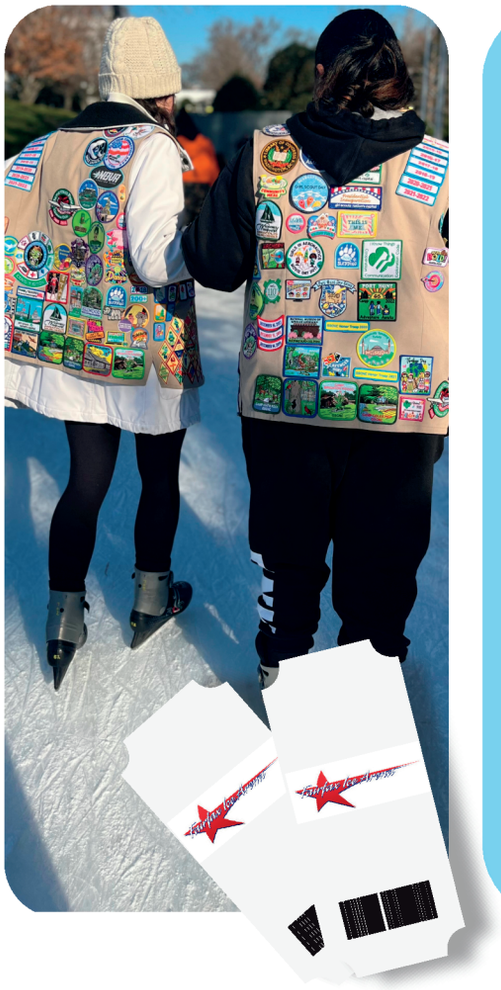
Sat. 10/31 - 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

All Levels

https://tinyurl.com/3bv9k3wu

Contact: Jade Harris, jharris@gscnc.org





Girl Scouts Open House Public Skate with Fairfax Ice Arena

Go Ice Skating with your troop!

Girl Scouts with reservations receive a reduced public skate admission rate during the Girl Scouts Open House event.

During the open house event, a one-time free 20-minute beginner group lesson for Girl Scouts is available with a reservation & a Girl Scouts reduced-admission purchase. Space is limited.

Call to Register

All Levels

Sat. 11/7, 11/14, 11/21, 11/28
12:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Contact: Todd Martin,
tmartin@fairfaxicearena.com, 703-323-1132



Girl Scout Day with the Washington Commanders

Join fellow Girl Scout Associations, Service Units, troops, and families with the Washington Commanders for Girl Scout Day against the Houston Texans!

With the purchase of a special ticket, fans will receive a limited-edition Commanders Girl Scout patch and get to enjoy a photo opportunity on the field! Access Code: GS2026

Sun. 12/13 - 1:00 p.m.

All Levels

https://tinyurl.com/32w8yxy5

Contact: Brianna Miller, brianna.miller@commanders.com, 301-276-6705

Cozy Maxing, Real Talk, Good Vibes

Join us for a chill, cozy day at camp talking about mental wellness and self-care.

We'll go totally screen-free for the day, cozying up with hot cocoa and blankets, and chilling out with crafts like journaling and scrapbooking. Cadettes will earn the Finding My Voice patch, and Seniors and Ambassadors will earn the Showing up for Me and You Badge. This special event is held in partnership with HCA Healthcare, and will be facilitated by professional social workers and mental health workers.

Sat. 11/14 - 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cadette, Senior, Ambassador

https://tinyurl.com/2v4f84pm

Contact: Leah Glicker, lglicker@gscnc.org



GSCNC's Step Showcase

Join Girl Scouts, families, and community members gathered for our annual Black History Month Step Showcase.

This event will feature step teams from all over our region, each bringing energy, creativity, and cultural pride to the stage. Through synchronized movements, chants, and powerful stomps, the performers honored the rich tradition of stepping while demonstrating the leadership values that are central to Girl Scouting.

Sat. 2/6

All Levels

Registration Coming Soon

Contact: Nicole Trimier, ntrimier@gscnc.org



Venice, Florence, and Rome Trip with EF Tours

Join us for a trip-of-a-lifetime with other fellow Girl Scouts from GSCNC to Italy! At one time or another, each of these cities we'll be visiting was among the most important in the world. Venice was a major naval power, and it still has a firm grip on the world's romantic imagination. Florence was the birthplace of the Renaissance, and that artistic tradition still thrives. In Rome, majestic sights like the Colosseum recall its long imperial reign. We're going to experience all the magic, enjoy all the food, learn about the history and culture, and bond as Girl Scouts, while gaining more confidence and independence as we go!

7/20/2027-7/27/2027

Junior, Cadette, Senior, Ambassador

Contact: Maggie Lenahan, maggie.lenahan@ef.com, 617-203-7529



GSCNC Led Events

Check out a preview of some of our amazing events run by the council! For more details, visit the event calendar through the link below.

GSCNC Events Calendar

https://tinyurl.com/ypjjdtr4

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October 2026

Dare to Dance	10/17	DBJ
Girl Scouts and Gears [Off Bike]	10/24	DBJ
Trail of Bones: Spooky Evening of Animal Science	10/24	DBJCSA + Adults
Juliette Gordon Lowe's Monster Birthday Bash	10/31	DBJCSA + Adults

November 2026

Be a Mad Scientist! Activity Day	11/7, 11/8	JCSA
How I Survived a Deserted Island Day	11/7, 11/8	JCSA
Gold Award Workshop	11/8	CSA
Cozy Maxing, Real Talk, Good Vibes	11/14	CSA
Art of Innovation: Science and Technology Skills Day	11/14	CSA
Board Game Maker Day	11/21, 11/22	DBJCSA + Adults



December 2026

Blast to the Past: Colonial Activity Day	12/5, 12/6	JCSA
Adulting 101 Workshop	12/19	CSA

January 2027

Making Waves: Japanese Printmaking	1/24	JCSA
Nature Journaling Book Binding	1/24	SA
Puzzle it Out: Mazes, Crosswords, Magic, and More!	1/30, 1/31	JCSA

February 2027

Step Showcase	2/6	DBJCSA
Seed Paper Making	2/20	BJCSA
Once Upon a Story: International Fairytale Day	2/27	DBJ

March 2027

Potomac Woods Badge Blitz	3/13	DBJ
Wonderful Outdoor Women: Women's History Month at Camp	3/30	BJCSA

April 2027

Delightful Dandelions: Plant Activity Day	4/3, 4/4	JCSA
Dark Sky Defenders evening at Camp	4/17	JCSA

May 2027

Spaced Out Night evening at camp	5/1	JCSA



Program Partner Events

Below, you'll find a preview of the incredible opportunities and offerings available from our program partners throughout the council. For more details, visit the event calendar through the link below.

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Mindful Beginnings

All Kids Welcome (Virtual) — advanced sitters, neurodivergent & special-needs care	10/12	CSA
Safe Sitter® Babysitting (Badge)	11/3	CSA
CHOOSE YOUR OWN DATE AND TIME FOR YOUR TROOP FOR ANY OF OUR COURSES — WE COME TO YOU	^	DBJCSA

Kid Create Studio Bethesda

Girl Scout Day: STEAM Amazing	11/4	DBJ
Girl Scout Day: STEAM Amazing	1/23	DBJ

Cupcakes and Lace

Fab Fall Mini Picnic Plushies: Sandwich & Candy Corn Hand Sewing + Crafting Class	10/12	BJCSA
Owl Plushie Machine Sewing + Ceramic Owl Figurine Painting Class	10/29	JCSA
Pumpkin Spice Latte Plushie & Pumpkin Spice Printed Pillow Machine Sewing Class	10/30	JCSA
Cozy Hedgehog Habitat House & Mushroom Plushie Hand Sewing + Crafting Class	11/2	BJCSA
Thanksgiving Food Plushies: Oversized Turkey Leg & Corn Cob Machine Sewing Class	11/3	JCSA
Holiday Gifts Making Machine Sewing Class: Scarf, Hat, Pillow & Ornaments	11/9	JCSA

Pink Space Theory

Badge Workshops	10/17	J

National Museum of the U.S. Army

Mechanical Engineering Badge - Make Your Own Fling Flyer	11/1, 11/14, 11/15, 11/21, 11/22, 1/2, 1/3, 1/9, 1/10, 1/23, 1/24, 1/30, 1/31	B

Adventure Theater MTC

Beatrice Likes the Dark	10/2-11/1	BJ
Frosty the Snow Man	11/21-1/3	DB
James and the Giant Peach	2/5-3/13	BJ
If You Give A Mouse A Cookie	4/9-5/23	DB
Bob Marley's Three Little Birds	6/25-8/22	DBJ



Yard Dramas

Garden and Tree Detectives: Discover Our Place	10/17	JCSA
Fairy Houses and Tree Stewardship: Every Tree Deserves a Friend	11/14	DBC
Garden Storytellers: Nature Has a Voice	12/12	BJ
Rain Garden Investigators: Follow the Water	1/17	JCSA
Our People: From Research to Story – World Thinking Day	2/14	BJCS
Garden Designers: Creating Positive Change	2/28	JCS

The Pawtectors Kindness Club

Trick or Treat for Animals	10/31	DBJCSA
Girl Scout Day for World Kindness Day	11/13	DBJCSA
25 Days of Petmas Service Project	12/1 - 12/25	DBJCSA

Day 1: "Show the Love"
Day 2: "Feed the Birds"
Day 3: "Animal Ornaments"
Day 4: "Random Acts of Paw-liday Kindness"
Day 5: "Create a Shelter Wishlist"
Day 6: "Letter to SantaPaws from a Shelter Pet"
Day 7: "Collect Spare Change for a Local Rescue"
Day 8: "Make & Donate Pet Treats"
Day 9: "Make Paw-liday Adoption Posters for Shelter Pets
Day 10: "Fill an Adoptable Pet Stocking"
Day 11: "Collect Towels for Animal Shelters"
Day 12: "Donate to a Local Pet Food Bank"
Day 13: "Fill an Adoptable Pet Stocking"
Day 14: "Sponsor an Adoptable Pet"
Day 15: "Make Edible Wildlife Ornaments"
Day 16: "Read to Shelter Pets"
Day 17: "Fill an Adoptable Pet Stocking"
Day 18: "Random Acts of Paw-liday Kindess"
Day 19: "Make a Care Package for a Homeless Animal
Day 20: "Foster a Rescue Animal for the Holidays"
Day 21: "Be a PawSquad Press Reporter!"
Day 22: "Make Toys for Shelter Pets"
Day 23: "Make a Bird Feeder"
Day 24: "Have a Play Date with your Pet"
Day 25: "Take Paw-liday Photos with your Favorite Animal(s)"



International Spy Museum

Operation Code Cracker: Detective Badge Workshop	^	J
Covert Clues - A Forensics Workshop: Special Agent Badge Workshop	^	C

Ficus Glassworks

Glassworking Badge Workshop	^	JCSA

National Children's Museum

Girl Scout Day	3/7	DBJ

Festival Ballet Virginia

The Nutcracker Ballet	12/18-12/20	DBJCSA
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	3/5-3/6	DBJCSA
danceMOSAIC	5/21-5/22	CSA



National Building Museum

Nice Neighbors	11/15, 2/6, 3/14, 5/23	D
Designing for Disaster	1/10, 3/6, 5/15	J
Craft and Tinker	10/25, 12/13, 1/17, 4/4	DB
Build Your Story	11/7, 12/5, 2/21, 4/17	JC

Office of Historic Alexandria

Mystery at the Museum Tavern Overnight	11/6-11/7 & 12/11-12/12	J
Citizen Firefighters in Alexandria	^	DBJ
Potions and Lotions	^	B (8 +) JCSA

Port Discovery Children's Museum

Overnight Adventure - Mix, Measure, Make!	3/6, 4/10, 4/17, 5/1, 5/22, 6/5	DBJ

Manassas Ballet Theatre

Jazz in Motion	10/23 & 10/24 @ 7:30 PM, 10/25 @ 3:00 PM	BJCSA
Nutcracker	12/16-12/20 @ 7:30 PM, 12/19-12/23 @ 3:00 PM	DBJCSA
Peter and The Wolf & Coppelia	3/12 & 3/13 @ 7:30 PM, 3/14 @ 3:00 PM	DBJCSA
Giselle	3/14 & 3/15 @ 7:30 PM, 3/15 & 3/16 @ 3:00 PM	DBJCSA

Academy of Russian Ballet

The Nutcracker Girl Scout Event	11/28 @ 2:00 PM	DBJCSA



Hill's Kitchen

"Simple Meals" Badge Class	10/17	J
"New Cuisines" Badge Class	10/24, 11/21	C
"Locavore" Badge Class	11/14	S

Education Empowers Inc.

STEM Badges - STEAM Career Exploration	11/14	DBJCSA
Virtual AI and Drones	12/12	DBJCSA

Breshna

Game Creation Workshop	10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11	BJCS

Metropolitan School of the Arts

The Nutcracker	12/12 & 12/13	DBJCSA
Beauty and the Beast	4/10 & 4/11	DBJCSA

Washington Commanders

Girl Scout Day	12/13	DBJCSA

FutureMakers

Playful Engineering for Leaders: Art Machines for Daisies and Brownies	10/13	DB
Playful Engineering for Leaders: Electric Vehicles for Juniors and Cadettes	11/10	JC
Playful Engineering for Leaders: Wind-up Vehicles for Daisies and Brownies	12/8	DB
Playful Engineering for Leaders: Scene Machines for Juniors and Cadettes	1/12	JC
Playful Engineering for Leaders: Engineering with Linkages for Daisies-Juniors	2/9	DBJ





National Aquarium

Sea Turtle Day	10/10	DBJ
Aquarium Career Exploration Day	11/7	CSA
Shark Day	12/5	DBJ
Ready! Rescue, Rehabilitate, & Release!	2/6	CSA

Fairfax Ice Arena

Girl Scouts Open House Public Skate	11/7, 11/14, 11/21, 11/28	DBJCSA
Girl Scouts Holiday Ice Skating	12/26	DBJCSA

Tudor Place Historic House and Garden

Garden Explorer	^	D
Outdoor Adventurer	^	B
Be the Architect	^	B
The Roaring Twenties	^	BJ
Garden Designer	^	J
Tudor Trees	^	C

United States of Kindness

US of Kindness	^	DBJCSA
Kindness Wednesday	12/2	DBJCSA
Girl Scout Kindness Patch Program	^	DBJCSA

C&O Canal Trust

Brownie Hiker Badge Workshop	10/17	B

Friends of the Mount Vernon Trail

Marina Towers Big Fall Trash Cleanup	10/17	DBJCSA
Gravelly Point Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	10/24	DBJCSA
Dyke Marsh North Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	10/31	DBJCSA
Old Stone Bridge Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	11/7	DBJCSA
Mount Vernon Estate Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	11/14	DBJCSA
Long Bridge Connector Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	11/21	DBJCSA
Beaver Moon Walk	11/22	DBJCSA
Memorial Bridge North Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	11/28	DBJCSA
MVT Alternate Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	12/12	DBJCSA
Daingerfield Island Vegetation and Trash Cleanup	12/19	DBJCSA

Women's Transportation Seminar International

Exploring Career Paths with Women in Transportation Seminar	10/25	BJ



Leadership Initiatives

Leadership Initiatives Summer Internship Informational Webinar	10/13 & 11/3 @ 7:00 PM VIRTUAL	CSA

EF Tours for Girls

Venice, Florence, Rome Trip	7/20/27-7/27/27	JCSA
Impressions of the Dominican Republic Trip	7/9/28-7/14/28	JCSA
Scotland and Ireland Trip	7/19/29-7/26/29	JCSA

Maryland Science Center

Brownie and Junior Robotics Workshop	10/11	BJ
Cadette and Senior Robotics Workshop	10/18	CS
Daisy Robotics Workshop	11/7	D
Brownie Mechanical Engineering Workshop	11/21	B
Cybersecurity Workshops	12/5, 12/6, 12/12, 12/13	DBJCSA

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Close to Home: Dog Sledding for Girl Scout Troops	Ongoing on weekends from October 2026 through March 2027	DBJCSA
Girl Scout Day: Dog Sledding for Individual Girl Scouts	12/13	DBJCSA

FARE (Food and Allergy Research Education)

Teal Pumpkin Project Patch	9/1 - 10/31	DBJCSA

Yeleen Beauty

Cosmetic Chemisty Class	10/17, 10/24, 11/7, 11,21	DBJCSA



Washington Area Frisbee Club

Middle School Indoor League	1/17, 1/24, 1/31, 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/7, 3/14, 3/21, 3/28	C

Monroe Street Studio

Spooky Hand Sewing Workshop	10/20	BJ
One-Day Art Camp	11/3, 2/1, 4/20	DBJCSA
Stuffed Fabric Pumpkin - 3D Home Decor	11/17	BJC
Candle Holder - Seasonal Home Decor	12/1, 12/15	JC SA
Crochet a Scarf Workshop	1/26	JC
Glazing on Bisque Pottery	2/23	JCS
Design Your Own Tote Bag	3/16	BJ
Air-Dry Clay Hand Sculpting	4/6	DB

Hillwood Estate, Museum and Gardens

Craft and Tinker Badge Workshop	11/7 & 11/8	DBJ
Guided Troop Program: Craft and Tinker	^	DBJ
Guided Troop Program: Garden Journeys	^	J
Bridging Ceremony	^	DBJCSA

Lincoln Taverns, Inc.

Ghosts & Goblins w/ Explore More Patch	10/17, 10/18	CSA
Going Batty Patch & Letterboxer Badge w/ optional Eco-Friend Badge	11/7, 11/8	B
Animal Habitats Badge & Geology Rocks Patch w/ optional Jr. Cave Explorer Patch	11/14, 11/15	J
Directions Matter & Going Batty Patches	11/20, 11/21, 11/22	CSA
Geology Rocks & Going Batty Patches	2/19, 2/20, 2/21	CSA
Eco-Friend Badge & Rocks Rock Patch w/ optional Fossil Fun Patch	4/3, 4/4	B
Geocacher Badge & Going Batty Patch w/ optional Geology Rocks Patch	4/10, 4/11	J
Going Batty Patch for Brownies OR Animal Habitats for Juniors	4/17	BJ
Explore More & Directions Matter Patches	4/23, 4/24, 2/25	CSA
Letterboxer Badge & Junior Cave Explorer Patch w/ optional Eco-Friend Badge	5/1, 5/2	B
Letterboxer Badge for Brownies OR Geocacher Badge for Juniors	5/8	BJ
Animal Habitats Badge & Junior Cave Explorer Patch w/ optional Geocacher Badge	5/15, 5/16	J
Eco-Friend & Going Batty Patch w/ optional Letterboxer Badge	6/5, 6/6	B

MATHCOUNTS Foundation

Build Your Money Habits	11/01-1/3	C
Make a Mathy Movie	12/1-4/1	C
Celebrate Engineers Month	2/1-2/28	C

The Fairfax Ballet

The Nutcracker	11/28	DBJCSA

GS History Program at Riley's Lockhouse

Volunteer for Tour Guide Service (12:30 PM - 4:30 PM)	10/11, 10/17, 10/18, 10/25, 10/31, 11/1, 11/14, 11/15, 11/21, 11/22, 11/28, 11/29, 12/5, 12/6, 12/12	BJCSA



Chesapeake Children's Museum

Gift-Making Workshop	11/29	DBJC
Animal Party	12/5	DBJ
First Aid Badge	1/3	BJ
Eating For You (Zoom)	1/9	C
The Skin You Live In	1/18	BJC
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Sky Badge (Zoom)	2/27	S

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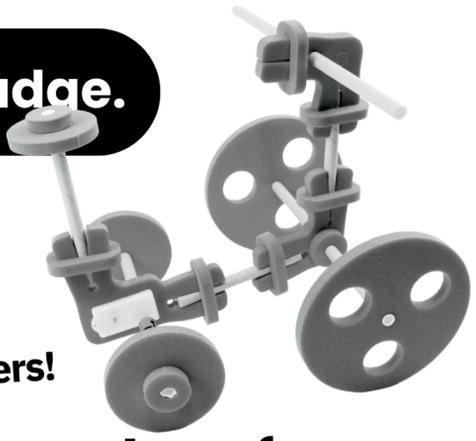

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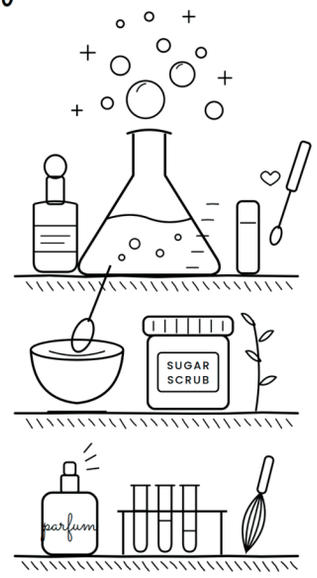

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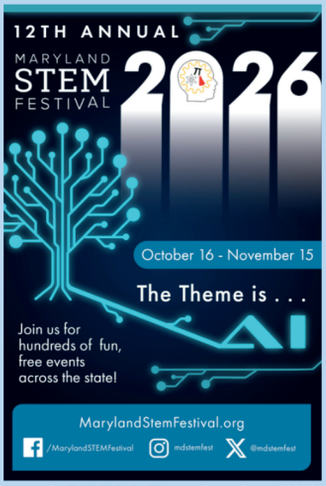

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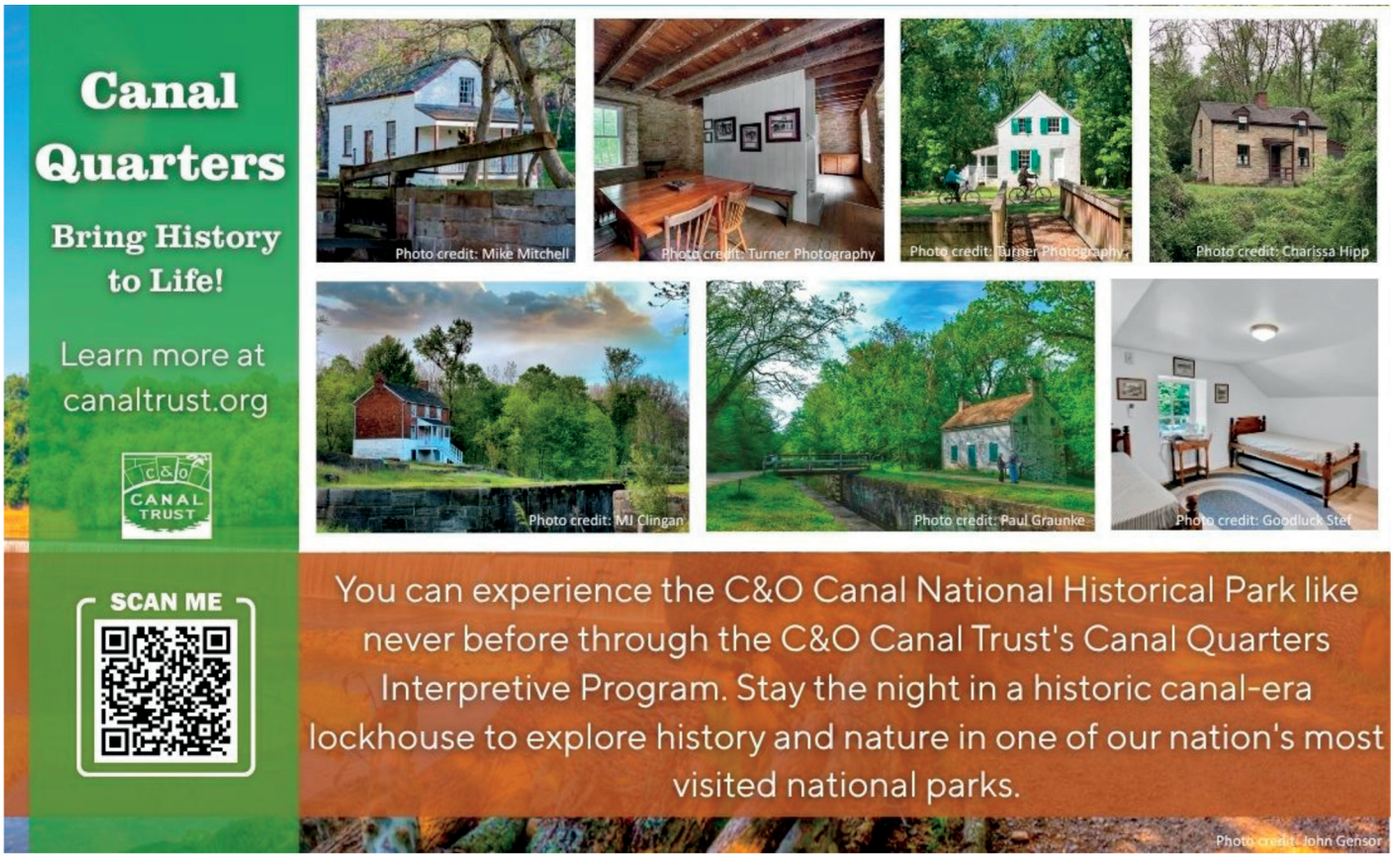

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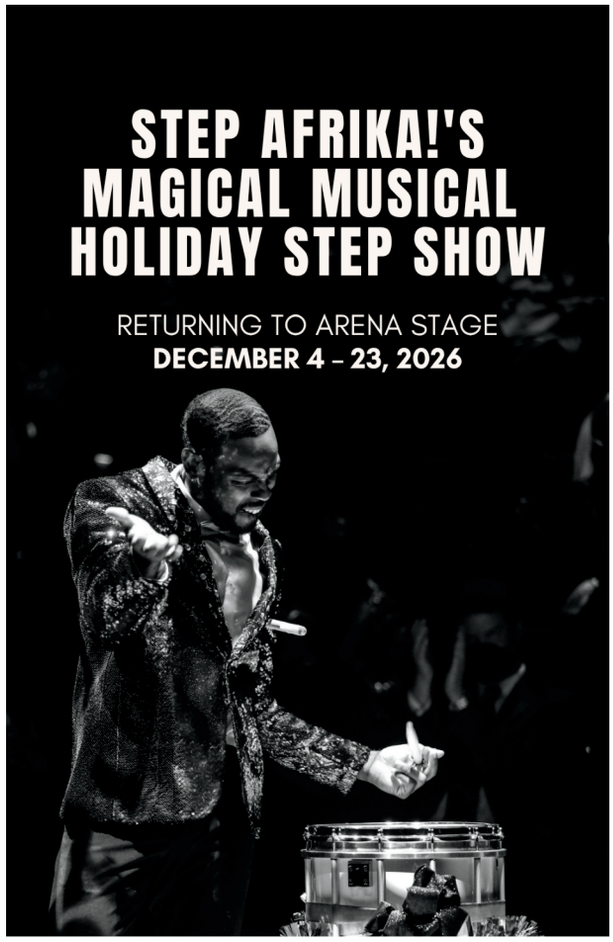

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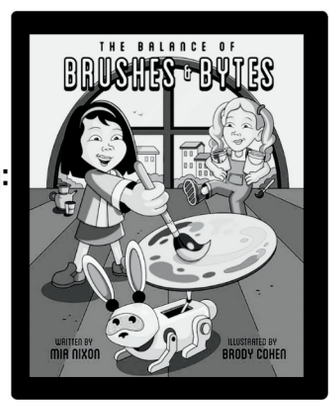

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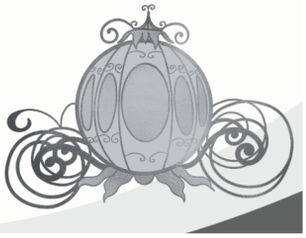

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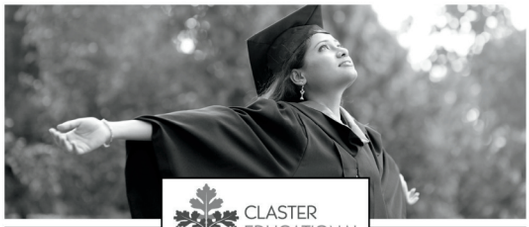

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Dec. 1 (Tue)	Seasonal Home Décor	Juniors & Cadettes	5:00–6:00 PM	$45
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Jan. 26 (Tue)	Crochet a Scarf Workshop	Juniors & Cadettes	5:00–6:00 PM	$40
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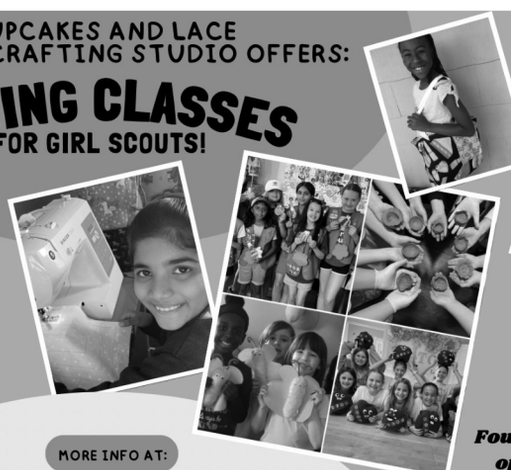

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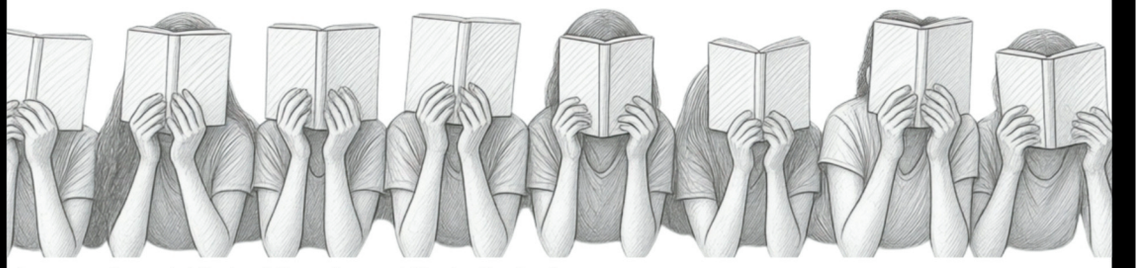

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