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Two young girls are smiling and looking at the camera. They are standing in a garden with large green leaves and yellow flowers in the background. The girl on the left is holding a yellow flower stem. The girl on the right is wearing a white glove and holding a small object. Both girls are wearing pink shirts.

**Program &
Event Guide**
Fall 2014

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Girl Scouts of Nassau County turns today's girls into tomorrow's leaders... and it's **FUN**, too!

The Girl Scout Mission

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

The Girl Scout Promise

On my honor, I will try:

To Serve God and my country,
To help people at all times
And to live by the Girl Scout Law.

The Girl Scout Law

I will do my best to be

honest and fair,
friendly and helpful,
considerate and caring,
courageous and strong, and
responsible for what I say and do,

and to,

respect myself and others,
respect authority,
use resources wisely,
make the world a better place, and
be a sister to every Girl Scout.

Girl Scout Misión

Girl Scouts ayuda a las niñas a desarrollar el valor, la confianza en sí mismas y los principios para hacer del mundo un mejor lugar.

La Promesa de Girl Scouts

Por mi honor, yo trataré:

De servir a Dios y a mi patria,
ayudar a las personas en todo momento,
y vivir conforme a la Ley de Girl Scouts.

La Ley de Girl Scouts

Yo me esforzaré por:

Ser honrada y justa
cordial y servicial,
considerada y compasiva,
valiente y fuerte, y
responsable de lo que digo y hago,

y por

respetarme a mí misma y a los demás
respetar la autoridad
usar los recursos de manera prudente,
hacer del mundo un lugar mejor, y
ser hermana de cada una de las Girl Scouts.

How to Use This Guide

In an effort to make it easier to find programs specifically tailored for your girls, programs are listed by program age level, then alphabetically.

- 1 When you meet with your Troop, use *Possibilities* as a tool to help plan your year.
- 2 Find programs that match a Girl's age level and indicate what activities are of interest to her.
- 3 Registered Girl Scouts can attend events with their Troop, or on their own, unless indicated otherwise.
- 4 Your Troop should develop a budget, incorporating dues, family partnership rebates, and goals for rebates earned in the Mags&Munchies and Cookie Programs.
- 5 Please read the complete event description and registration instructions carefully at www.gsnc.org, as not all events are registered though GSNC e-Council.

What Do These Icons Mean?

You will find these symbols throughout the program guide to determine the Girl Scout grade levels and who can participate in a program.



Daisy
Grades K-1



Senior
Grades 9-10



Brownie
Grades 2-3



Ambassador
Grades 11-12



Junior
Grades 4-5



Volunteer



Cadette
Grades 6-8



All/Adult

Placement Request Information

Who Can Participate in an Event or Program?

Program opportunities in *Possibilities* are offered for registered Girl Scouts in Nassau County. All registered Girl Scouts can participate in level appropriate events and programs listed in this guide either as an individual, or as a member of a Troop. Registered Girl Scouts can attend any events with a non-registered participant. Non-registered participants would need to include the \$30 Girl Scout membership fee along with the program registration fee. Girl Scouts from other Councils may attend GSNC events for an additional \$5 fee per girl (space permitting). ***Placement in programs/events/trainings is on a first-come, first-served basis.***

Individual Girls

It is the ***parent/guardian's*** responsibility to ensure proper adult supervision to all programs. GSNC will provide proper supervision for all GSNC run programs.

Troops

A Troop attends with chaperoning adults meeting ratio and Safety Activity Checkpoints. At drop off events, GSNC will provide appropriate supervision. A permission form will be needed for each girl.

Tag-Alongs

See individual program listings to determine if Tag-Alongs are permitted and if there is a Tag-Along fee associated with the program.

How to Request Placement for GSNC Programs

You are NOT "registered" until you receive a confirmation letter. Credit cards will NOT be charged unless placed in program.

Online

Visit www.gsnc.org, click on "Programs & Events" link located on the navigation bar. Click on "Register for Girl Scout Programs" and follow the instructions.

By Mail

Download Registration form at www.gsnc.org and mail with payment to:

Attn: Program Placement Request

Girl Scouts of Nassau County
110 Ring Road West
Garden City, NY 11530

OR: Bring the completed form with payment to the GSNC Service Center.

Please Note: We DO NOT accept Placement Requests by telephone.

Payment

Payment must be made at the time of registration. Fees may be paid with the following types of payment:

- ▶ Cash
(With paper registrations turned in to Service Center only)
- ▶ Checks or Troop Checks
(Payable to Girl Scouts of Nassau County)
- ▶ Credit Cards
(MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Discover)
Credit cards will ONLY be charged when placement occurs
- ▶ Cookie Credits
(see below)

Cookie Credits

Earned by individual girls who sell 300 or more boxes of Cookies. Cookie Credits can be used for all GSNC Council activities listed in this book.

To Redeem Cookie Credit Gift Cards

Individuals may fill out the requested information on the Individual Girl Scout Program Registration Form. Or you may attach the Cookie Credit Redemption Form downloadable at www.gsnc.org/forms/documents/CookieCreditRedemption-Form.pdf with your program registration.

If placement in a program does not occur and you paid in cash or with a check your payment will be returned.

Refunds

- ▶ ***Once placed, placement request fees are not refundable*** unless Girl Scouts of Nassau County cancels the program.
- ▶ ***Refunds are not available*** for no-shows, late arrivals or early departures. Unless specifically stated in the listing, patches or badges are not provided at the event/program.

Confirmation Email/Letter

Once you are placed in the event, you will receive a confirmation via e-mail or regular mail within 7 business days. ***Please wait for your confirmation to arrive*** before calling with questions.

How to Register for Non-Council Programs

- ▶ Contact the person listed in the advertisement in order to arrange your program.
- ▶ Payment, refund, and registration procedures may differ for different providers. It is the Troop Leader's responsibility to be aware of these policies.
- ▶ Please have an idea of the dates/times you prefer and of the number of girls/adults in your group when you call.

Programs

Financial Literacy



By planning and participating in money-earning projects, girls build real-world skills that benefit their Troop, councils, communities, and most importantly, themselves

Healthy Living



The Healthy Living Initiatives bring a unique perspective to keeping girls healthy as girls define health in their own terms, placing as much emphasis on emotional and social well-being as physical health, nutrition and physical fitness. In addition to healthy eating and physical fitness, the Healthy Living Initiatives focus on increasing girls' self-esteem and developing healthy relationships. These programs provide girls with the courage, confidence, and character to not only make the world a better place, but their own lives more healthful and balanced.

STEM

(Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math)



Girl Scouts introduces girls of every age to science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) experiences relevant to everyday life. Whether they are discovering how a car's engine runs, how to manage finances, building and programming robots or exploring careers in STEM fields, girls are fast-forwarding into the future.

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Mags & Munchies
... and Memories

Bowling Bash Rally

Saturday, September 20, 2014

Choose one session to attend:

Daisy: 9:00am–10:30am or

Brownie: 11:00am–12:30pm or

Junior: 1:00pm–2:30pm or

Cadette, Senior, Ambassador: 3:00pm–4:30pm

Sheridan AMF Bowling Center, 199 East Jericho Turnpike, Mineola, NY 11501

\$5 per Girl Scout (Includes Rally patch, welcome gift and game prize)

No Tag-Alongs

Start off your Girl Scout year with this fun event. Girls will have a blast - bowling for an hour, doing a scavenger hunt and dancing to music and videos in between.

This event helps girls develop Goal Setting, People and Decision Making skills while discovering the 2014 theme of "Dive In! Be Active" with Mags&Munchies.

Advance registration by Friday, September 12, 2014 required.

Fran McAllister, mcallisterf@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 249



Mags&Munchies Regional Trainings



(Troop Mags&Munchies Managers and/or Troop Leaders)

Choose one session to attend:

Tuesday, September 16, 2014

7:00pm–8:30pm

Town of Oyster Bay, Hicksville Computer Resource Center

Or

Date TBD

Town of Hempstead, location TBD

Or

Monday, September 15, 2014

6:45pm–7:45pm

Town of North Hempstead, TD Bank, Glen Head

No Tag-Alongs

There's a whole lot of new things going on this year. There are loads of new products, new ways to order them, great new girl rewards and even more...

Start off your year by attending a Regional Troop Manager training. If your Association doesn't have a Chair or you can't make it to the scheduled training, you can attend one of the three regional trainings (held in the Towns of Hempstead, North Hempstead or Oyster Bay). Find out first-hand about the online nut/snack store and a memorable new product that parents are sure to love. All materials will be available for pick-up.

Note: This program is a broad overview, intended for repeat Troop Managers or those who cannot make it to their own Association training session. For more in-depth training, especially for first time Troop Mags&Munchies Managers or new Troop Leaders, please consider attending the "New to Mags&Munchies Dive In" training on September 22 or 23, 2014.

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New to Mags&Munchies



(Troop Mags&Munchies Managers and Leaders)

Choose one session to attend:

Monday, September 22, 2014 or Tuesday, September 23, 2014

7:00pm–8:30pm

GSNC Service Center, 110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$5 per person (Includes light refreshments and take home "toolkit")

No Tag-Alongs

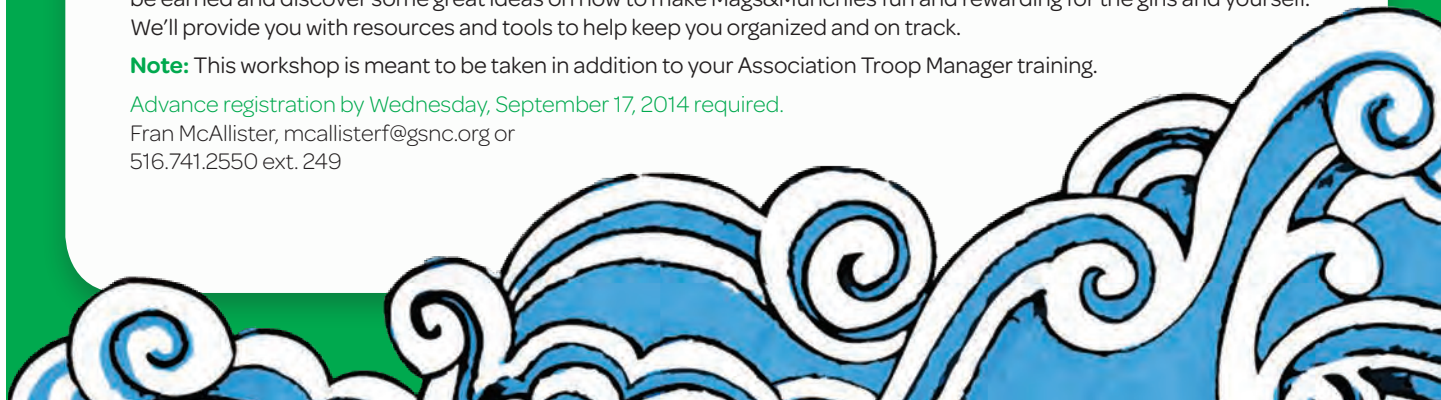
If you're a new Leader or recently volunteered to be the Troop Mags&Munchies Manager, this interactive workshop is for you. Dive in, to get an overview of the Program and tips on how to make it work for your Troop.

We'll review the basics of the Mags&Munchies Program including the 5 Skills, booth sales, patches and badges that can be earned and discover some great ideas on how to make Mags&Munchies fun and rewarding for the girls and yourself. We'll provide you with resources and tools to help keep you organized and on track.

Note: This workshop is meant to be taken in addition to your Association Troop Manager training.

Advance registration by Wednesday, September 17, 2014 required.

Fran McAllister, mcallisterf@gsnc.org or
516.741.2550 ext. 249



Science in Action

Friday, November 7, 2014

Choose one session:

5:00pm–6:00pm or 6:00pm–7:00pm

**Hofstra University, Chemistry & Physics Bldg,
Room 207, Berliner Hall, at the corner of California Avenue**

**(Hofstra Blvd.) and Huntington Place
\$5 per registered Girl Scout (Includes National
Chemistry Week Fun Patch)**

Enrollment is limited to 20 girls per session

At this workshop you'll do fun hands-on chemistry experiments. See how cool science can be when you are the Scientist!

Patty Donohue-Brown, brownp@gsnc.org or
516.741.2550 ext. 273

Shadow Boxes – Celebrating The Day of the Dead/ El Día de los Muertos

Saturday, October 25, 2014

12:00noon–3:00pm

GSNC Service Center

110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$10 per registered Girl Scout

No Tag-Alongs

Come and celebrate The Day of the Dead/El Día de los Muertos!

This is a Mexican holiday celebrated throughout Mexico and around the world in other cultures. The holiday focuses on gatherings of family and friends to celebrate and remember friends, family members and animals who have passed. We will be making traditional "Nichos" or shadow boxes to celebrate their lives. They will include "Calacas" (skeleton figures), pictures, flowers, glass beads, painted bottle caps, tin charms and other traditional crafts and sweets.

Yahira DeLeón, deleony@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 272

Entrepreneurial Envoys

Wednesday, October 1, 2014

Thursday, December 11, 2014

and Thursday, March 5, 2015

7:00pm–8:00pm

GSNC Service Center

110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

**Free for registered Girl Scouts who have had Cookie
sales of 300+ boxes (Includes a light snack)**

No Tag-Alongs

Join the Entrepreneurial Envoys and become a member of the exclusive group of Girl Scouts who have excelled in using the *5 Skills* of the Cookie Program. The Entrepreneurial Envoys team up with our Girl Scout Council staff and volunteers to:

- Help select the girl rewards for both the Mags&Munchies and Cookie Programs
- Get a sneak peek at new products and themes of each Program
- Share your successes and tips with other Girl Scouts and adult volunteers.
- Help plan, set-up and possibly run Cookie Celebration activities.
- Help plan and run a Council Cookie activity in March.

Fran McAllister, mcallisterf@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 249.

A Day in the Life of a News 12 Reporter and Camera Person

Sunday, November 16, 2014

Juniors and Cadettes: 10:00am–12:30pm

Seniors and Ambassadors: 9:15am–12:30pm

Lynbrook Recreation Center, 55 Wilbur Street, Lynbrook, NY 11563

\$5 per registered Girl Scout

Have you ever wondered what it's like to be a reporter or camera person? Or how a news story is put together? Meet with a News 12 reporter and camera person and you'll see how reporters research stories, how news segments are produced, and what it takes to become a reporter or camera person.

Seniors and Ambassadors are invited to arrive early, help work with younger girls, and hear the reporters' presentation.

Program link: aMUSE Journey for Juniors and MEdia Journey for Cadettes

aMUSE and MEdia awards will not be earned during this program.

Space is limited. To maximize space for girls who want to participate in this program, parents are asked to carpool and bring necessary adult coverage if possible.

Girls are encouraged to submit questions for the reporter and camera person ahead of time.

Questions can be submitted by November 9, 2014 to zipper@gsnc.org.

Eliza Zipper, zipper@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 254

Scouting Out Time For **YOU**

A Program for Girls and “Their Adult” **j c s a**

Girls and their parent, guardian, aunt or caregiver, etc., are invited to join Girl Scouts of Nassau County and The Katz Institute for Women’s Health at North Shore-LIJ Health System for a fun-filled morning!

- Learn tips on how to reduce stress, get fit, eat healthy and laugh
- Separate workshops for Girls and Adults. (Adults are urged to bring their questions for NS-LIJ experts on pediatric and adolescent physical health and emotional development)
- Activities may complete portions of Girl Scout badges and/or Journey award
- Includes a participation patch



Keynote speaker:
Cara Castranuova,
from The Biggest Loser

Saturday, November 22, 2014

8:30am Registration

9:00am to 1:00pm Program and Lunch

North Shore University Hospital, Rust Auditorium

300 Community Drive, Manhasset, NY 11030

(Rust Auditorium is before the MRI reception area)

\$15 per Girl Scout

\$10 per Leader/Adult

Lunch will be served

Suggested Attire: Work-out clothes and shoes

For more information contact: Jan Figueira, MVP Director, Program at Tel 516.741.2550 ext. 217 or figueiraj@gsnc.org


girl scouts
of nassau county

 **North
Shore LIJ** The Katz Institute for
Women’s Health

GSNC *Theatri-Gals*

Are you a Girl Scout Junior or Cadette who enjoys acting, dancing, singing, or writing? Do you have an outgoing or creative personality? Do you like to be a leader? Are you a drama queen? If so, it's time to show us what you got!

2014-2015 AUDITIONS

Tuesday
OCTOBER 7

OR

Wednesday
OCTOBER 15

Between

4:00PM
and
6:00PM

Audition time will be assigned; walk-ins will be seen only if time allows.

GSNC SERVICE CENTER
110 RING ROAD WEST
GARDEN CITY NY 11530

\$35**

PER REGISTERED GIRL SCOUT

To be paid **only if accepted into the Program
Includes a T-shirt and Theatri-Gals patch upon completion.

TO SIGN UP FOR AN AUDITION TIME CONTACT
MELANIE TRAINOR-GOMEZ

IMPORTANT: No experience is necessary to audition for this program. If selected, rehearsals will take place once a week until the performance dates, from October 2014 through mid April 2015. There will be a performance in April 2015. Girls will be expected to attend at least 80% of weekly rehearsals to remain in this program.

**PROGRAM
LINK:
IT'S YOUR
STORY,
TELL IT!
JOURNEY**

trainorm@gsnc.org

TEL

516.741.2550

EXT

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Astronomy at Hofstra

Choose one date:

Friday, October 10, 2014 or

Friday, November 7, 2014

8:15pm–9:30pm

Hofstra University, Chemistry & Physics Bldg, Berliner Hall, at the corner of California Avenue (Hofstra Blvd.) and Huntington Place

\$10 per registered Girl Scout

Enrollment is limited to 20 Girl Scouts per date

Night time and the stars have captured human imagination since the beginning of time. Explore the mysteries and beauty of the universe after the sun goes down. Come step out into the night, grow your imagination and expand what you know about our solar system.

Dress accordingly for the outdoors!

Patty Donohue-Brown, brownp@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 273

Girl Speak

Monthly Thursday meetings:

***October 23, 2014 (Includes parent meeting from 8:00pm–8:30pm), November 20, 2014, *December 11, 2014, January 15, 2015, *February 26, 2015, March 19, 2015, April 16, 2015, May 21, 2015**

Most meetings take place on the 3rd Thursday of the month.

**Indicates meetings on the 2nd or 4th Thursday of the month.*

7:00pm–8:30pm

GSNC Service Center

110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$15 per registered girls

\$45 per non Girl Scout

(includes membership fee)

Join us to talk about issues that you are passionate about and help design projects to inspire change. Topics may include bullying, body image, relationships, or other issues.

- Girls must attend a minimum of 5 out of 8 meetings and at least one additional opportunity to mentor a younger girl Troop in order to participate in this group.
- After registration, please complete the Participation Agreement at gsnc.org. This form must be returned by November 20, 2014.
- Optional end-of-year party and trip to Albany partially subsidized by GSNC.

Eliza Zipper, zipper@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 254

Take Action for the Silver Award

Choose one session to attend:

Monday, October 20, 2014 or

Wednesday, November 5, 2014

Levittown Hall

201 Levittown Parkway, Hicksville, NY 11801 (Between Beech Lane and Blueberry Lane)

7:00pm–8:30pm (all dates)

\$10 per registered Girl Scout (includes Take Action Patch)

\$5 per adult

No Tag-Alongs

If you are planning to earn the Silver Award, this workshop is for you. Learn the award guidelines, participate in activities that show what it means to do a Take Action project, learn how to map your community, and discover how you can make the world a better place.

Patte Conway, conwayp@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 219

Voices: Girls in Governance

Tuesday, February 3, 2015

7:00pm–8:30pm

GSNC Service Center

110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$3 per registered Girl Scout

No Tag-Alongs

Did you know that girls 14 and older can serve as delegates for their Association? Spend an evening learning what governance is all about – and receive a Go Girl, Govern patch! Discover how women in government are making a difference, and participate in a mock delegate meeting. Girl Scouts of Nassau County Delegates and Board Members will share how you can make an impact within our Council and your local Association.

Joyce Wagner, wagnerj@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 225



Imagine *your* Possibilities

This one-day conference will give 7th and 8th grade girls an opportunity to see and interact with STEM professionals. Each girl will participate in two one-hour hands-on workshops led by women working in the STEM field.

In addition, parents/guardians will have the opportunity to meet with educators, counselors and financial aid professionals. The adults will have two workshops: one STEM related and the other about assisting the girl's educational pursuits in STEM.

Saturday, October 25, 2014 | 8:30am–2:00pm

Hofstra University

\$30 per registered Girl Scout

Enrollment is limited to 100 girls

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Financial Literacy Program: Women of Wall Street

Tuesday, November 11, 2014

10:30am–2:30pm

Museum of American Finance

48 Wall Street

New York, NY 10005

\$25 per Registered Girl Scout Senior and Ambassador

\$25 per Adult (including Leaders)

Individual Girls and Troops

No Tag-Alongs

Limit adults as per Safety Activity Check Points

Bold, beautiful, and influential...discover the female power brokers who have shaped the history of Wall Street. This program will shine a light on the women who pioneered entry into this male-dominated industry, and we'll also learn a few lessons about money, values and success. The walking tour is expected to stop at the following landmarks: Federal Hall, NY Stock Exchange, The Bull, Trump Building, US Customs House, Stone Street, Fraunces Tavern and the Merchants Exchange. After lunch, we'll go to the Museum of American Finance for a program that will demonstrate why being financially savvy helps gain a competitive edge in the workplace and in life. Afterwards, there will be an opportunity to tour the museum.

Please note that the costs of transportation and lunch are not included in the program fee.

Elements of this program can be used towards the Financing my Future and On My Own badges.

Lucy Effron, effronl@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 265

Real Life: Science & Technology

Tuesday, November 11, 2014

10:00am–12:30pm (Please arrive 10 minutes early)

Pall Corporation

25 Harbor Park Drive

Port Washington, NY 11050

Enrollment limited to 16 girls

Free (This special opportunity is generously funded by the Pall Corporation at no cost to the participants.)

This unique and exciting opportunity comes along infrequently. Are you interested in science or technology? How can you turn this interest into a career? Come see real life laboratories in action, help conduct an experiment, meet women in the field of science and technology, and hear how people in the varied scientific and tech career fields at PALL Corporation found their science niche.

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Run an Activity Table at the *Girls Go the Distance* Walkathon and Activity Fair



Senior and Ambassador Girl Scout Troops are needed to run activity tables at *Girls Go the Distance* Walkathon and Activity Fair. The girls can create an activity that ties in with the Healthy Living Initiative or they can tie their activity to a Journey.

Running a table at Girls Go the Distance Walkathon and Activity Fair can qualify for service hours!

Sunday, April 26, 2015

Old Bethpage Village Restoration

Free

(There is no fee to host a table and Troops can apply for a \$50 grant to help cover supply costs for approximately 800 guests)

To register contact: **Denise Voda**,
dvodagirlscout@gmail.com or
516.729.3368 with your table idea



Oktoberfest 2014

Vintage TV



Are you looking for a chance to get away from the hustle and bustle of work and school? Would you enjoy spending a weekend making new friends, reuniting with old ones, sharing ideas and exploring your inner creativity? At GSNC's Oktoberfest, there will be plenty of time for fun and relaxation! You can take workshops covering everything from Council programs and outdoor training to crafts, yoga and self-improvement. You may even have a chance to take a walk on the beach or make s'mores and sing songs by the campfire. Whether you want to stay the whole weekend or just for a day, GSNC's Oktoberfest 2014 at Camp Blue Bay in East Hampton is sure to be a blast.

Join us for the day or the weekend
October 10-12, 2014

Camp Blue Bay
East Hampton, NY

This year's theme is "Vintage TV"

We have games and activities related to old and new TV shows!

How much will it cost?

The entire weekend is \$75 per person (\$85 non Girl Scouts) and includes; sleeping accommodations for Friday and Saturday, four workshops, four meals, two snacks and a variety of activities throughout the weekend.

If you would prefer to only come for the day...

the Saturday Day rate is \$55 per person (\$65 non Girl Scouts) and includes; four workshops, one meal, one snack and special program activities for the day.

Go online to view the workshop list and register for Oktoberfest at
www.gsnc.org/oktoberfest/index.asp

If you have any questions about Oktoberfest 2014 please contact Joan Bompane, Oktoberfest staff liaison bompanej@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550, ext. 245



Take Action for the Gold Award

If you are planning to earn the Gold Award, this workshop is for you! Learn the guidelines for the award, what it means to do a Take Action project, important deadlines, the approval process, and what your interview will be like. You will also hear how to make a lasting impact on your community as you live the Girl Scout Law: To make the world a better place!



Troops, Individual Girls and interested adults

Choose one session to attend:

Tuesday, October 7, 2014 or
Monday, October 10, 2014

Levittown Hall
201 Levittown Parkway
Hicksville, NY 11801
(Between Beech Lane and Blueberry Lane)

7:00pm-8:30pm (all dates)
\$10 per registered Girl Scout
(includes Take Action Patch)
\$5 per adult
No Tag-Alongs

For more information contact:
Patte Conway
conwayp@gsnc.org or
516.741.2550 ext. 219



Go Gold at girlscouts.org/goldaward

SAVE THE DATE



Girls Go the Distance Walkathon and Activity Fair

Sunday, April 26, 2015
Old Bethpage Village Restoration

Adult Volunteers Needed!

Saturday, April 25, 2015
Set Up: 9:00am–1:00pm

And/Or

Sunday, April 26, 2015
Event day: 7:00am–2:30pm (rain or shine)

Volunteers Please contact:
Lorna de Bellegarde at
debellegardeL@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 207

Visit www.gsnc.org/walk.

GIRL SCOUTS OF NASSAU COUNTY **CAMP**

Council Camp Programs all Year Long

Programs that are offered throughout the year give girls and adults the opportunity to explore their skills and interests while enjoying the great outdoors. Programs are designed and delivered with assistance of many experienced and dedicated volunteers. Some are offered to individual Girl Scouts, others by Troop and still others for a Girl Scout and her parent. All are designed for a specific level of Girl Scout with a special theme, badge or Journey in mind.



Be sure to visit
www.gsnc.org/camp
often for the most up to date list of
and registration information for
Council camp programs.

Camp Blue Bay Fall Festival



September 19-21, 2014

Join us for a fun-filled Fall Festival at Camp Blue Bay.

Take time to relax, enjoy the sounds of nature, and make new friends.

Take part in a variety of traditional camp activities:

crafts, games, swaps, campfire, singing, s'mores and more!

Choose to arrive Friday night or Saturday morning.

Event includes: Accommodations, Friday evening snack, Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner, evening snack, and Sunday breakfast.

No training is required for adults, but we ask that you limit the number of adults attending with the group as per *Safety Activity Checkpoints*, to allow as many girls to attend as possible. Indoor space and tents will be assigned based on the number of people in your group; Troops will be expected to share sites.

Cost \$45 per person

Download registration form at www.gsnc.org/camp



Would you like to learn “*What it Takes*” to go Troop Camping?

Join us for an evening of pictures, stories and interactive discussions with a group of experienced Troop Campers.

Our panel discussion topics will include:

- Camp Blue Bay – All it has to offer
- Progression in Girl Scouts - How to decide if your Troop is ready to camp
- Training – What is needed to take a Troop camping
- How to work with the girls to prepare them for the outdoor experience
- Tips & Techniques from the experts

Tuesday, October 14, 2014 or Wednesday, January 7, 2015, 7:00pm-8:30pm
Girl Scout Service Center, 110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530
Register at www.gsnc.org/camp.



Outdoor Training

Trip Training

What is a Girl Scout Trip and how do you get ready for it? The Trip Training course will prepare Leaders and trip coordinators to bring their Troops/Groups on any Girl Scout trip or activity. Participants will become familiar with GSUSA Safety Activity Checkpoints, GSNC Policies, Standards and Guidelines, budgeting, timing, transportation and other topics, so that the event is fun and safe for all. Please Note: Trip Training is a pre-requisite for Outdoor Camp Training

Outdoor Education

Girl Scouts of Nassau County provides Outdoor Education courses to help Girl Scout volunteers prepare themselves to help girls enjoy outdoor experiences together. Training will introduce progression in the out-of-doors, review camp facilities and provide basic skills for outdoor program. Under the guidance of trained and enthusiastic adults, girls may take their first hike, build their first campfire and sleep under the stars for the first time.

Two ways to participate:

Option 1

(Two evening sessions and one overnight at camp)
Register for:

Trip Training, Overnight Pre-plan & Mandatory Overnight

Individual classes must be taken in sequence

Cost: Mandatory Overnight Training Fee to cover cost of food and program supplies is \$20 per adult

Daycare for your school-age children will be available during the Mandatory Overnight. All children attending will take part in a specially designed camp program during the day, while the adults participate in training. Parents and children will enjoy an evening program and overnight accommodations together. Cost per child is \$15, and includes lunch and program fee. If you are interested in taking advantage of this opportunity, be sure to include the children's names, ages and program fee with your registration form. Space for children is limited and will be assigned on a first-come first-served basis.

Option 2

(All in one weekend Friday through Sunday at Camp)

Register for: All in One Camp Training

Please note this course will include Trip Training.

Overnight Pre-plan and Mandatory Overnight has a fee of \$25 per person.

Daycare is not available during this weekend.

Camp Update

Camp guidelines, procedures and program change. Your camping skills must be updated every three years to enable you to take girls camping. The Camp Update course will review skills, provide up-to-date information on camp materials used, ecology and environmental guidelines. (Required every three years to keep certification current.)

Register online now at
www.gsnc.org/training/outdoor.asp

Trip Training

October 20, 2014, 7:15pm-10:00pm
November 10, 2014, 7:15pm-10:00pm
January 28, 2015, 7:15pm-10:00pm
February 10, 2015, 7:15pm-10:00pm
March 16, 2015, 7:15pm-10:00pm

Outdoor Education

Option 1

Overnight Pre-plan

April 1, 2015, 7:00pm-10:00pm
April 21, 2015, 7:00pm-10:00pm
April 23, 2015, 7:00pm-10:00pm

Mandatory Overnight

May 2/3, 2015, 8:00am Saturday
through 1:00pm Sunday

Option 2

All in One Training

September 26-28, 2015, 6:00pm
Friday through 1:00pm Sunday



Camp Update

October 9, 2014, 7:30pm-9:00pm
January 12, 2015, 7:30pm-9:00pm
March 3, 2015, 7:30pm-9:00pm
May 5, 2015, 7:30pm-9:00pm



Every girl deserves her own starter kit!

daisies	brownies	juniors	cadettes	seniors	ambassadors
☐ Choose 1 Journey	☐ Choose 1 Journey	☐ Choose 1 Journey	☐ Choose 1 Journey	☐ Choose 1 Journey	☐ Choose 1 Journey
☐ The Girl's Guide To Girl Scouting Binder	☐ The Girl's Guide To Girl Scouting Binder	☐ The Girl's Guide To Girl Scouting Binder	☐ The Girl's Guide To Girl Scouting Binder	☐ The Girl's Guide To Girl Scouting Binder	☐ The Girl's Guide To Girl Scouting Binder
☐ Vest or Tunic	☐ Vest or Sash	☐ Vest or Sash	☐ Vest or Sash	☐ Vest or Sash	☐ Vest or Sash
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☐ Insignia Tab ☐ Girls Guide to Scouting ☐ Journey Leader Guide ☐ Position Bar ☐ Name Plate ID (optional)

PRICE STARTS AT \$35.00 *(Based on selections)*

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Samoas® BASH

WHAT: Samoas® Birthday Bash

WHEN: January 10, 2015

WHERE: Visit www.gsnc.org after Oct. 1st for details

The biggest Girl Scout cookie party ever!


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of nassau county

Financial Literacy & Cookies: It's Your (Cookie) Business - Run it!



First Meeting: Monday, November 24, 2014*

Second Meeting: Wednesday, February 11, 2015*

Third Meeting: Tuesday, April 28, 2015*

7:00pm

GSNC Service Center, 110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

Senior, Ambassador, Individual Girls and Girls in Troops

No Tag-Alongs

Wouldn't it be cool to be in high school and be able to say you have proven experience running a \$1000+ business, coordinating sales people and marketing a product? You'll be able to add data analysis and supply chain management to that list, too. All very impressive skills to put on a college application and to discuss during a job interview! Seniors and Ambassadors can claim those skills by becoming a Troop Cookie Manager, and your only investment is time.

***Monday, November 24, 2014:**

Discover - Explanation of the responsibilities of a Troop Cookie Manager, and the skill set that can be learned.

***Wednesday, February 11, 2015:**

Connect - During the Cookie season, discuss successes and challenges with other Cookie Managers and Council Entrepreneurial Programs staff.

***Tuesday, April 28, 2015:**

Take Action - Review how to incorporate being a Troop Cookie Manager as part of your personal brand and resumé.



Note: After the first meeting, all girls who become Troop Cookie Managers will need to have a permission slip signed by a parent/guardian as well as their Troop Leader acknowledging their role in the GSNC Girl Scout Cookie Program before December 15, 2014.

Program Link: Financial Literacy Cookie Activity Pin; R&D, P&L, My Portfolio and Customer Loyalty Badges

Lucy M. Efron, efronl@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 265

Cookie Celebration Volunteer Training

Choose one session to attend:

Wednesday, December 17, 2014 or Thursday, December 18, 2014

7:00pm-8:30pm

GSNC Service Center, 110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

Free for Cadette, Senior and Ambassador Girl Scouts

No Tag-Alongs

2015 is the 40th birthday of the Samoa cookie, so naturally we're planning a Cookie Celebration - Happy 40th Birthday Samoa! But, to make it all happen, we need your help. Register for the big birthday bash workshop. You will help prepare craft activities and samples, then on the big day, January 10, 2015, you'll run an activity table and teach a craft to younger Girl Scouts. Your volunteer service hours can be used toward leadership/community service and may even guide you in discovering a Take Action project.

Fran McAllister, mcallisterf@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 249



Build a Better Booth Sale

(Troop Cookie or Mags&Munchies Manager
or Troop Leader)

Thursday, February 5, 2015

7:00pm–8:30pm

GSNC Service Center, 110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$5 per adult (Includes light refreshments and take home “tool-kit”)

No Tag-Alongs

Successful, experienced Girl Scout Volunteers will be offering their tips and techniques on how to maximize your Cookie and Mags&Munchies proceeds by holding booth sales. We'll cover everything from booth displays and donation boxes to girl's sales pitches and smiles.

Fran McAllister, mcallisterf@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 249



Cookies 101

Choose one session to attend:

Wednesday, November 12, 2014

10:00am–11:30am

Or

Thursday, November 13, 2014

7:00pm–8:30pm

Or

Thursday, December 4, 2014

7:00am–11:30am or 7:00pm–8:30pm

GSNC Service Center

110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$5 per Troop Cookie Manager or Troop Leader

(Includes light refreshments and take home “tool-kit”)

No Tag-Alongs

Join us for an interactive, hands-on workshop for new (or relatively new) Cookie volunteers. This is a great opportunity for Leaders and Troop Cookie Managers to learn the ins and outs of the Cookie Program. From a brief history to the latest technological resources, you'll learn everything that you need to know to make the Cookie Program fun and rewarding for everyone in the Troop. We'll talk about how to incorporate the 5 Skills, the benefits of different types of booth sales, and how to put it all together and help the girls earn Business and Financial literacy badges. You'll go home with the knowledge, resources and tools to help make the upcoming Cookie season a piece of cake!

Note: This workshop should be taken in *addition* to your Association Troop Manager training.

Advance registration by

Monday, November 10, 2014 required.

Fran McAllister, mcallisterf@gsnc.org or

516.741.2550 ext. 249

Cookies 102:

eBudde is your Friend!

Thursday, December 18, 2014

8:00pm–9:30pm

Or

Friday, December 19, 2014

10:00am–11:30am

GSNC Service Center

110 Ring Road West, Garden City, NY 11530

\$5 per adult Troop Cookie Manager or Troop Leader

So...you're no longer a Cookie Rookie...and you've got a year or two of being a Troop Cookie Manager “under your belt”...but, eBudde is not yet your buddy! And, you've noticed your girls are getting older.... they've been asking about doing more in-person selling... but you remain a little afraid of the Big Bad Booth. On top of it all, this year you'll need to share information with your Troop about the exciting new Digital Cookie Program. Never fear, you are on your way to adding “Experienced Sales and Supply Chain Manager” to your resume!

At this session, veteran Troop Cookie managers and staff will share their tips for success. A take-home tool kit and refreshments will be provided. Please note: this program is for Troop Volunteers who have been involved with the Cookie Program for at least 1 year. This program does NOT take the place of your Association Cookie Manager training.

Lucy M. Effron, effronl@gsnc.org or 516.741.2550 ext. 265

THERE'S SOMETHING Amazing INSIDE!

New Online Program

Customers can order Cookies online through the Digital Order Card.

New Cookies

Rah Rah Raisin (a raisin oatmeal cookie with greek yogurt chips) and a gluten-free Girl Scout Cookie.

New Start Date

In-person and online ordering begins December 13, 2014.

Visit the GSNC website and Facebook page throughout the Fall for more details about the Amazing 2015 Cookie Program!



Save the Date!

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Cookie Weekend!

Feb. 27-Mar.1, 2015



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October 11 & 12
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Design an OnLine Community (OLC) House Contest

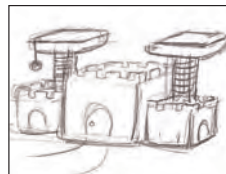
Communities are made up of different kinds of people and places that make them unique. The GSNC OnLine Community is a community made up of Girl Scouts of all ages, parents, and Troop Leaders, and has different kinds of houses for you and your Troop.

Now it's your turn to be creative, and let out your inner designer! We want you to design a house for the community. You can design any kind of house you like, whether it is a tree house perched high in the sky, or one made out of a Girl Scout cookie. You can make a house that's only for your pet, or show us the place that you call home. Whatever the design is, just let your creativity shine!

The winning design of the Design a House contest will be featured in the GSNC OnLine Community, and will be available for everyone in the community to call home. See the rules below, and start designing!

HOW TO DESIGN AN ONLINE COMMUNITY HOUSE

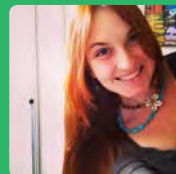
1. Decide on a theme. An OLC house can look like almost anything, but no matter what design you create it should look like a place where you would live. Whether it's a traditional house, pyramid, castle, or ship. We even have some houses in the valley that are meant to look like Girl Scout Cookie boxes or have Girl Scout sashes around them. Let your imagination run wild! A good way to pick a theme is just to think of something that you like and create a house around that. I like cats, so I'll show you an example of how I would create a cat themed house!
2. You could choose to make the house look like a cat, or look like the kind of place a cat would like to live, or it could just have kitty themed things on and around it. Here are a few of my first sketches. You'll want to try out different things to decide what you like best!
3. The last design is definitely the best suited to be a part of the OLC. It looks like someplace you could live, but it has a kitty theme. You can choose any kind of theme you want. Get creative with it!
4. When in doubt, do more designs! The more you draw the more options you'll have to choose from. And in my experience, the more you draw the better your drawings become! Good luck!



All designs become the property of Girl Scouts of Nassau County, Inc. GSNC reserves the right to alter, combine or eliminate elements of the design.

Deadline for entries: November 15, 2014
Submit your work only electronically, visit
www.gsnc.org/olc for details on how to upload your digital work or scanned version.

Download contest form at www.gsnc.org/olc



Hello Everyone! My name is Sarah Pacetti. I'm a comic book artist and a designer here at Kin Valley. I was a girl scout like you from age five until I was 14! I loved my years as a Girl Scout, and I learned a LOT while I was a part of troop 436. My favorite part about scouts was camping with all my friends. I can still sing every word of lots of the camping songs and nobody else I know can make a four course meal using only tin foil and a fire poker for tools. Girl Scouts taught me how to ride horses, how to build camp fires, how to read a map, how to be an entrepreneurial expert (seriously I think we sold thousands of cookie boxes) and how to change an entire outfit of clothes without ever getting undressed. Have fun with your scouting years, learn lots of things, but above all, love your sisters!

Welcome to the GSNC OnLine Comm

Imagine a place where you can connect with other Girl Scouts, Parents and Volunteers just like you. **A place to connect** and ask advice about how to make “kick the can” Ice Cream, where to put your Daisy petals on your uniform, or get started on your Gold Award project, and any other important questions. **A place to share** your stories and photos of your experiences such as building a fire, making the biggest s’more ever, the outcome of your most recent experiment, meeting your Cookie sale goal, how to dress for an outdoor booth sale in February or how to build the world’s largest Cokie tower and post the pictures to prove it.

Only those volunteers, girls and parents/guardians of girls who are registered will be included and have access to the OLC. Please make sure your registration forms have been submitted.

→ View the onDemand training and reference, materials at:

www.gsnc.org/olc/

→ Log in at: <http://member.gsnc.org>

Volunteers

The GSNC OLC gives volunteers a way to connect with each other, the girls and parents in their Troop and other GSNC volunteers.

The houses represent the groups in your GSNC role. The types of groups in your Association, Leadership Level, Troop, etc. are the people that should be in that group.



LET'S GET STARTED BY VISITING YOUR HOUSE

Your Profile

Start here to customize your profile, visit your house to update your personal information and decide what you want to share with others and what you want to remain private. Don't forget to add a profile picture so we know who you are.

☒ It is easy to stay informed! Just check off the box in your profile that says “send me email notifications when I get news on the GSNC Community.” You will be sent an email notification whenever there is activity in a group to which you belong.

GSNC Council House

Visit the Council house to discover unique opportunities, program information, and Council wide events.

Leadership Level House

Visit the leadership level house to connect with other Troop leaders specific to your level. Level Specific resources are available and you will have access to other leaders across the Council.

Volunteer Association House

Volunteers can visit here and connect with other volunteers within their Association. Here you can exchange ideas, announce events, and share information.



Community (OLC)

Pull page out 

Girls and Parents /Guardians

Girls can connect with their Troop, play games and decorate their own house. Parents/Guardians can stay up to date with their girl's Troop, local Association news & events, and Council wide opportunities.

*valley. Your valley will only have the groups relevant
include a house for the GSNC Council, Volunteers in your
c. Each group is pre-populated with the appropriate*



Association Parent House

Visit this house to stay up to date on local news, events and opportunities outside of your Troop.



Troop House

Visit your Troop house and connect with the girls, parents, and Leaders that make up your Troop. This house is your go-to place to ask questions, share photos, ideas, information and find news relevant to your Troop.



Parental Controls

You can have peace of mind knowing that GSNC exceeds the standards of the Child Online Protection and Privacy Act (COPPA). These standards and our Parental Control feature ensure that your daughter will always have fun, safely while on the OLC. The Parental Control feature is an easy to use tool that allows you to grant permission to the features you decide your daughter is allowed to use and the people she is allowed to connect with.

KEY FEATURES



Messaging

Communicate with anyone in your Girl Scout Group. You can directly message one person, or message an entire group, through the pre-populated list of members in a corresponding group. Through the messaging feature on the navigation tab you can easily access your inbox and create new messages.



Calendars

Create your own personal Girl Scout Calendar, and calendars for other Girl Scout groups. You can create events and invite other members, attach flyers, as well as track who is coming.



File Sharing

Save and share files with your different groups. You can save files so that everyone in that house can see them, or save them privately in the convenient location of your profile, so that only you can see them.



Groups

Create your own groups and invite the people you would like to join. These groups can be specific to your Troop, cookie sale, or event.

Gizmos

Find all of the features offered on the OLC, as well as other fun and useful links.



Photo Albums

Post, share, and comment on key Girl Scout happenings in your many groups through photos.



Blog Posts

Post details and tell your Troop about particular events or other blog worthy happenings.



Toolbox

Find forms and other resources that are essential to your Girl Scout experience in the GSNC Toolbox.



3 People



Download on the App Store

Design an OnLine Community (OLC) Video Game Contest

Did you know that you can be a game designer? The GSNC's Design an Online Game Contest, wants you to create your own online game for everybody to play on the OnLine Community. It's easy, every game has a story, and we want to hear your story for a game. To be a game designer follow the directions below, draw us a picture, and tell us the story of your game, and we'll do the rest. You can create any kind of game, just make sure that it's one that you think others would have fun playing. Have fun creating!

WHAT TO SUBMIT FOR A ONLINE COMMUNITY GAME IDEA!

1. Come up with an idea. Is your game a board game? Is it a side-scrolling game? Do you pop bubbles to win points, or is it a maze? Decide what kind of game you're designing and tell us the object of the game. In other words: how do you win? Also be sure to tell us how you think you might control the game using the computer. Do you use the mouse to click and drag pieces into place? Or maybe you use the spacebar to make a character jump or the arrow keys to move a game piece from side to side. Tell us all of this in a typed document and submit it with a scanned hand drawing of your idea.
2. Draw a picture for us! Show us what your game will look like. It has to be clear to the judges what sort of game it is, and how it is played. Create a basic drawing of how the game screen will look. Include sketches of any characters that are involved and be sure to point out if you have points displayed on the game, or if you get extra lives. Here are some examples of some clear game illustrations and descriptions.

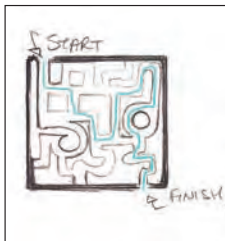


Illustration A is a maze game called A-Maze-ing Game! It has only one start and finish and is played by moving the arrow keys in any of the four directions. The object of the game is to get from the beginning of the maze to the end of the maze without choosing any wrong paths. A colored trail will show up in the maze behind you wherever you move to show where you are in the maze. You can only go forward in the maze, never back in a direction that you've already come from. If you fail the maze you must start again at the beginning of the level. Once a level is completed, you get to do a new, more complicated maze. There are a total of 100 levels.

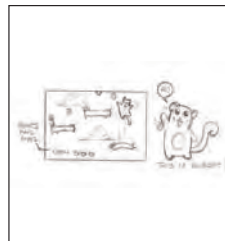


Illustration B is a jumping game called Albert's Allowance. The character's name is Albert and he has lost all of his allowance money and wants to get it back! When the game begins your character automatically begins jumping and you must use the left and right arrow keys to land on new platforms and climb higher and higher, collecting as many coins as you can on the way. If Albert does not land on a platform when he jumps, he will fall down and you get a "Game Over." You have 3 lives each time you play. The object of the game is to get as many coins as you can to earn back Albert's allowance.



Illustration C is a side scrolling game called Adventure Time. You are a world traveler. Your character is running from the left of the screen to the right. As you run, you encounter obstacles that you must hit the spacebar to jump and avoid! You will also encounter helpful gear like water bottles and granola bars which will give you a boost of energy (you can jump higher) or extra lives! As you run and collect items, you gain points. With every 1000 points the background and terrain change because you are traveling to a new part of the world. There are 7 levels in the game: one for each continent. The object of the game is to explore them all!

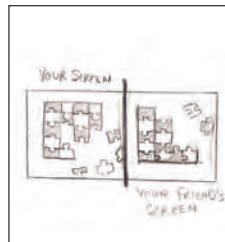


Illustration D is a puzzle game called Puzzle Challenge. This is a game where you can challenge a friend to see who can put together a puzzle the fastest. You each begin the game with the same number of scrambled puzzle pieces and whoever completes their puzzle first wins! This game can be modified for more experienced players to play with beginners (if you choose the beginner setting you will have only 6 or 10 pieces in your puzzle whereas an expert might have 25 or even 50). This way players of all ages can play the game together.

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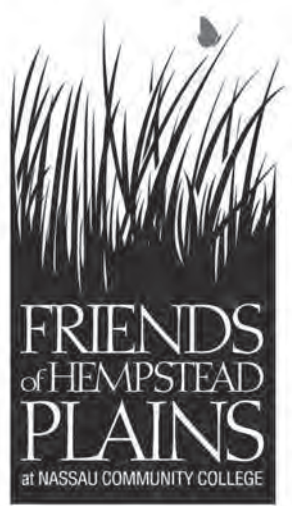
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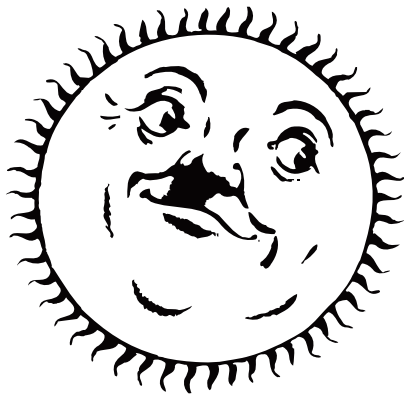
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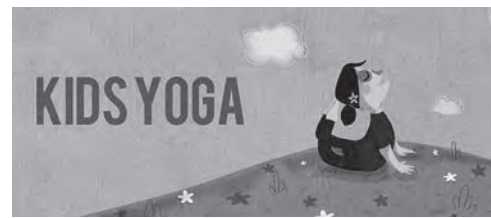
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The WaterFront Center

Marine Education Courses for Girl Scouts
Education & Recreation

Who:  Tag-Alongs (call for specifics)

Place: The WaterFront Center, 1 West End Avenue, Oyster Bay, NY 11771

When: By arrangement. (see programs for specific details)

Register: Contact Cameron @ 516-922-7245 ext. 24 or email Cameron@thewfc.org

Daisy: From Sea Shells to Sea Creatures- While reading a wonderful rhyming and count story a collection of shells is created. This helps Daisies begin the identification process before going "shelling" in large tubs filled with soft sand and a variety of shells. Connections are made from the non-living to the living as Daisies explore a touch tank of marine organisms found locally. Weather and time permitting, programs done at our facility will end with a beach walk.

Time: 1.5 Hours, Offered Year Round

Cost: \$8 per child, Minimum \$120.00
Maximum girls 22

Brownie Programs: Water Everywhere: Brownies learn about the water cycle and the important of water conservation. Through hands-on experiments brownies investigate the difference between salt water and fresh water. The program ends with a beach cleanup walk on the beach to gain a heightened understanding of the importance of being good stewards of our earth.

Time: 2 Hours, Offered Year Round

Cost: \$10 per child, Minimum \$120
Maximum girls 22

Oceanography: Ocean water covers about ¾ of our planet. How does the ocean circulate? How does the ocean affect our weather? What kind of life does a north shore L.I Sound estuary support? Brownies will find the answers to these and other questions through experimentation and hands on habitat studies.

Time: 1.5 Hours, Offered Year Round

Cost: \$8 per child, Minimum \$120
Maximum girls 22

Junior Programs: Water Wonders- Where does drinking water come from? What is brackish water? What organisms are at the bottom of the food chain? Juniors investigate these questions and other by collecting water samples conducting tests and examining the contents under microscopes.

Time: 2 Hours, March-November

Cost: \$10 per child, Minimum \$120
Maximum girls 22

Water Fun: Enjoy a sail on the historic Oyster Sloop Christeen. While onboard juniors become crew to raise the sails and help the captain. They are introduced to the history of Christeen, Oyster Bay and oyster farming. They will participate in Marlin Spike seamanship, a sensory exercise to increase marine awareness and discovery of what organisms live at the bottom of the Bay. Juniors may also participate in the help and huddle rescue positions if temperature and water permitting.

Time: 2 Hours, May-October

Cost: \$375, maximum of 24 passengers
(Including chaperones)

Small Craft: welcome to the sport of sailing! Using 19'-23' keelboats, juniors will participate in a Three-hour introductory sailing lessons on beautiful Oyster Bay. Learning the parts of the boat, nautical terms, sailing handling, steering, wind awareness and safety producers. 3-4 girls per boat with an instructor, 1 adult allowed per boat n/c.

Time: 3 Hours; May-October

Cost: \$150 per boat (3-4 girls per boat)

Cadette / Senior / Ambassador: Paddle, Poll and Roll – In Kayaks, under supervision of an experienced instructor, girls will complete the category of skill Builders and its activities for this Interest Project. They also enjoy a kayak tour of the harbor while taking on leadership roles in the group paddle.

Time: 2 Hours June- October

Cost: \$30 per child, Minimum \$240, Maximum 16
No Tag-alongs (1 leader N/C)

Smooth Sailing: Girls will participate in a three-hour introductory sailing lesson on beautiful Oyster Bay. Girls will complete the category of skill Builders and 2 optional activities for "smooth Sailing". Arrangements can be made to complete the remaining requirements at a later date. 3-4 girls per boat with an instructor onboard. 1 adult allowed per boat n/c.

Time: 3 hours May- October

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Name of Program/Event

Date(s)

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If Applicable:

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Name of Adult in Charge

Address

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Cost Per Girl \$ _____ x # of Girls _____ = \$ _____

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Name of Program/Event _____

Date(s) _____

Time(s) _____

If Applicable: _____

2nd Choice _____

3rd Choice _____

Name of Attendee _____

☐ Girl ☐ Adult

Troop Number _____

Date of Birth (girl's) _____

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