SUMMER CAMP 2017
HAVE THE BEST SUMMER EVER!

Experience the outdoors at Girl Scout camp! You’ll make new friends and try something brand new. Have a blast while roasting s’mores over a crackling fire, aiming for bullseyes at archery, or swimming under the open sky. You’ll develop real outdoor skills by pitching a tent, whittling, canoeing across a lake, or cooking a meal over a fire you build yourself. Girl Scout camp is the best place to unplug and explore the world around you. We believe in girl-led planning, which means that you get to help shape the activities you do! If you’ve already been to camp before, we’re excited to welcome you back for another summer of great adventures.

OUR LOCATIONS
Whether for a day, a week, or longer, Girl Scout camp gives girls an opportunity to develop confidence, build leadership skills, explore nature, and have fun under the guidance of caring, trained adults.

Our day camp programs typically run Monday through Friday and are for girls entering grades 1 – 12. Our overnight camp programs at Camp Hoffman typically run Sunday through Friday and are for girls entering grades 2 – 12. If you’re new to camp, we recommend trying out day camp first! Ready for more action-packed fun? Come to overnight camp at Hoffman! See the tan box on page 3 for information about each of our awesome camps.

REGISTER EARLY!
New year, new adventures! Camp registration opens January 3, 2017. If you register by March 31, you’ll score a cool Camp Early Bird fun patch! (one patch per camper)

CAMP OPEN HOUSE DAY
New to camp? Join us on Sunday, May 21 from 2 – 4 p.m. (rain or shine) at each of our day camps and at Camp Hoffman for an Open House. Take a tour of camp, meet some of our awesome summer camp staff, and get excited for an incredible summer. This event is drop-in style; stop by for just a short time or stay longer!
Cost: FREE! | Registration deadline: May 5

CAMP RENTALS
Get your Girl Scout group outside or turn your upcoming event into an outdoor adventure by renting one of our camps! You can rent one of our winterized lodges/buildings, tents/cabins, or even a primitive site for tent-based camping. Our camp rental fees offer affordable rates for Girl Scout troops, Girl Scout Service Units, and non-profit/for-profit groups. We can even provide fun activities such as swimming, archery, boating (Camp Cookie or Camp Hoffman), rock wall (Camp Hoffman), high ropes challenge course (Camp Hoffman), or low ropes challenge course (Camp Hoffman) for your group! Contact info@gssne.org for more information.

WE’RE ACCREDITED
All Girl Scouts of Southeastern New England camps are proudly accredited by the American Camp Association. This means that our camps comply with more than 300 industry-established standards in health, safety, and program. For more information about what accreditation means to you and your camper, visit www.campparents.org/funsafety.

Want to bring a friend who isn’t a Girl Scout yet? Not a problem! Camp is for ALL girls. Girls who are not registered as Girl Scouts just pay a $25 membership registration fee.
NEW THIS YEAR

Camp & Outdoor Badge Documentation Sheets
Want to know what camp activities check off certain badge requirements? All day camp and overnight camp attendees will now receive a sheet documenting any badge requirements completed during their camp session. This is a handy and easy reference guide that can also be shared with your troop leader, and campers can finish up any needed steps to earn multiple full badges!

Registration Deadlines
All camp registration deadlines are approximately 2 – 3 full weeks before the start of each camp session. Please check the specific listed registration deadline for your favorite camp session(s) and register early to make sure you reserve your spot!

Camp Paperwork
Physicals are no longer required to attend our Rhode Island day camp or overnight camp! We hope this makes the paperwork process a little bit easier for our families. A physical will still be required at Camp Promising Acres due to Massachusetts State Law. It can be dated within two years of the camper’s first day at camp.

All camp attendees (including adults at weekend camp opportunities) must have a completed “Required Forms for All Campers” packet. The packet is available online at www.gssne.org and includes a Transportation Release Form (youth only) and Health History Form (all campers). This packet is due to the GSSNE Office by the registration deadline for your camp session. Please note that for safety and accreditation reasons, we cannot have campers on site without these completed documents.

*Please note that all camp activities are dependent on the age level of the camper, staffing expertise, and weather conditions. Campers entering grades 2+ can reach new heights on our rock wall, and campers entering grades 4+ can aim for bullseyes at archery.

Camp Hoffman (Overnight Camp)
2850 Ministerial Road, West Kingston, RI 02892
Founded in 1921, Camp Hoffman is a 403-acre property on Larkin Pond with an emphasis on high adventure and waterfront activities. Camp Hoffman is where you’ll meet our incredible international camp counselors. General camp activities may include: archery, rock wall, swimming (lessons and free swim), boating, team building activities, high and low ropes challenge courses, GaGa Ball, sports and games, arts & crafts, hiking, singing, and cookouts.* We hope to see you in 2021 for our 100th birthday party!

Camp Cookie (Day Camp)
116 Long Entry Road, Chepachet, RI 02814
Founded in 1956, Camp Cookie is a 125-acre property nestled amongst lush oaks and pines. A natural pond is the jewel of this beautiful camp. General camp activities may include: archery, rock wall, swimming (lessons and free swim), boating, team building activities, sports and games, arts & crafts, hiking, singing, and cookouts.*

Camp Green Forest (Day Camp)
2850 Ministerial Road, West Kingston, RI 02892
Founded in 1990, Camp Green Forest is on the same property as our overnight camp, Camp Hoffman. General camp activities may include: archery, rock wall, swimming (lessons and free swim), boating, team building activities, high and low ropes challenge course, GaGa Ball, sports and games, arts & crafts, hiking, singing, cookouts, and archery.*

Camp Rocky Farm (Day Camp)
160 Carroll Avenue, Newport, RI 02840
Founded in 1950, Camp Rocky Farm is a 7-acre property right by the beach in Newport. This camp is within walking distance of Ocean Drive and the Newport Mansions. At nearby Gooseberry Beach, campers build sandcastles, hunt for hermit crabs, and enjoy swimming. General camp activities may include: archery, swimming (free swim), rock wall, team building activities, tennis, sports and games, arts & crafts, hiking, singing, and cookouts.*

Camp Promising Acres (Day Camp)
580 Dillon Lane, Swansea, MA 02777
Founded in 1968, Camp Promising Acres is an 81-acre property with an on-site swimming pool, rolling hills, and two ponds and a stream for wildlife explorations. General camp activities may include: archery, swimming (lessons and free swim), rock wall, team building activities, sports and games, arts & crafts, hiking, singing, and cookouts.*
Just For Fun Days

We always have awesome all-camp theme days and games at camp! Each session will feature a different theme. Feel free to bring a hat or other costume piece!

Session 1A (Sunday, June 25 – Tuesday, June 27):
**Wacky Wardrobe**

Session 1B (Wednesday, June 28 – Friday, June 30):
**Favorite Book or Movie Character**

Session 2 (Sunday, July 2 – Friday, July 7):
**Fairies & Magical Creatures**

Session 3 (Sunday, July 9 – Friday, July 14):
**Space Aliens**

Session 4 (Sunday, July 16 – Friday, July 21):
**Super Heroes**

Session 5 (Sunday, July 23 – Friday, July 28):
**Holiday Hullabaloo**

Session 6 (Sunday, July 30 – Friday, August 4):
**Pirate’s Plunder**

**TRANSPORTATION**

**Drop-off at Hoffman**
1:30 – 2:15 p.m. Last names A - L on first day of session (please arrive during this window)
2:15 – 3:00 p.m. Last names M - Z on first day of session (Please arrive during this window.)

**Pick-up at Hoffman**
5:00 – 5:30 p.m. on the last day of session (Please arrive during this window.)

“**It’s always a new and different experience, and I learned how to surf!**”

-Anna
### CAMP PROGRAMS FOR GIRLS ENTERING GRADES 2 - 3

#### Brownie Smiles
Sample a little bit of everything that camp has to offer: arts & crafts, hiking, campfires, cookouts, and s’mores of course! There’ll also be swimming and lots of new songs to learn! You’ll make new friends and create memories that will last forever!

**Session 6: July 30 - August 4**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: July 14

#### Little Mermaids
Spend your days making waves on the pond. Have a floating lunch or an otter lunch and make a fabulous mermaid costume. You’ll learn the basics of canoeing, too. This week is all about water...even the arts & crafts!

**Session 2: July 2 - 7**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: June 16

#### Moonlight Madness
Mini-Session
Be a creature of the night! You’ll stay up late to explore camp after dark. Learn about nocturnal creatures, have a blast at a glow-stick dance party, and enjoy a twilight swim. This three day mini-session is ideal for first-time campers.

**Session 1A: June 25 - June 27**
**Session 1B: June 28 - June 30**
Cost: $240  |  Registration deadline: June 9

#### Silly Science
Science is cool, so let’s go wild with wacky experiments! Make your own bubbles, silly putty, and even cause eruptions with soda geysers or film canister rockets. You’ll even get to eat some of your food-chemistry creations! Campers will earn some requirements from the Brownie Home Scientist Badge.

**Session 4: July 16 - 21**
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: June 30

#### S’mores & Outdoors Mini-Session
Camp rocks! You’ll sleep in a tent, learn camp songs, go swimming, build fairy houses with your new camp friends, and roast s’mores over a crackling campfire. This three-day mini-session is ideal for first-time campers.

**Session 1A: June 25 - June 27**
**Session 1B: June 28 - June 30**
Cost: $240  |  Registration deadline: June 9

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“This is my 4th year, and I hope I can come for many more!”  
-Katia
CAMP PROGRAMS FOR GIRLS ENTERING GRADES 4-5

Anything Goes
Sing camp songs, learn new games, make awesome crafts, and even go on a scavenger hunt hike! You’ll take aim at the archery range and roast s’mores over a campfire, too. This three-day mini-session is ideal for first-time campers.

Session 1A: June 25 - June 27
Session 1B: June 28 - June 30
Cost: $240 | Registration deadline: June 9

Art Extravaganza
Jewelry-making, duct tape crafts, paintball murals, and more! It’s time to get artistic. Display your fantastic creation in your own art gallery show. Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Junior Jeweler and Drawing badges. After a day of creating, enjoy some of the other activities to get your creative juices flowing again!

Session 2: July 2 - 7
Cost: $475 | Registration deadline: June 16

Camp Half Blood
Do you dream of joining Percy Jackson on a quest to save Mount Olympus? Come experience Camp Half-Blood and embrace the life of a Greek hero! Hone your demigod skills as you experience all that camp has to offer. Channel your inner Artemis in archery, enter Poseidon’s domain through swimming and boating, and fly like Zeus on our zip line! Scale our challenge course to strengthen your adventure skills. Join us for a fun-filled week fit for a goddess!

Campers in this program must have a waist measurement of at least 22” in order to fit into the harness.

Session 2: July 2 - 7
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: June 16

Chocolate Chef
Do you love chocolate? This is the program for you! Decorate homemade cupcakes, bake your own brownies, and create other delicious desserts! You’ll also enjoy swimming, archery, and other great outdoor activities.

Session 3: July 9 - 14
Cost: $475 | Registration deadline: June 23

Find Your Spark
Want to be brave like Merida or fearless like Katniss? Develop your aim at archery, practice survival skills and work towards your Camp Hoffman Arrow Award! When you’re not at the course, you’ll also get to experience all of the other adventures that are at camp!

Session 4: July 16 - 21
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: June 30

H2O
Quench your thirst for aqua fun! Do you love the water? Can you build a raft that floats on the pond? You’ll be getting wet each day with swimming, canoeing, and kayaking! Other fun activities using water will also be the highlight of this week!

Session 6: July 30 - August 4
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: July 14

Jumpin’ Juniors!
Not sure what you want to do at camp? Try a little bit of everything! Go boating, swim, play games, try archery, go on a scavenger hike, and make some awesome crafts! There is a lot to discover and explore at camp. Come and see what it’s all about!

Session 4: July 16 - 21
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: June 30

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M.A.D. About You!
Experience Music, Art & Dance (M.A.D.) in our in-depth artistic program! Let your creativity soar while sharing your musical interests, art talent and dance moves. Express yourself by writing songs, creating a dance or using your artistic skills. There will still be time for all of the other awesome camp activities as well! Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Junior Practice with Purpose and Musician badges.
**Session 5: July 23 - 28**
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: July 7

Night Ninjas
The fun doesn’t end when the sun goes down at camp! Stay up late to sneak around camp like a ninja, go to a glow-in-the-dark nighttime dance party, and go stargazing. This three-day mini-session is ideal for first-time campers.
**Session 1A: June 25 - June 27**
**Session 1B: June 28 - June 30**
Cost: $240 | Registration deadline: June 9

Pottermore
Mix the beauty of Hoffman with the magic of Hogwarts! Try your hand at Quidditch, dragon egg painting, wand making, and more! The week concludes with a House Cup challenge!
**Session 6: July 30 - August 4**
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: July 14

Ready, Set, Go!
Camp games are the best games! You’ll play kickball, volleyball, basketball, capture the flag and also participate in challenges, relays, and obstacle courses. Each day will have a different goal to achieve, adventure to discover, and task to complete. You’ll need a vacation after this camp!
**Session 3: July 9 - 14**
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: June 23

Wonderland
Enter the world of Alice and see some zany characters! Celebrate your unbirthday, spend time in Rabbit Hole, and have tea with the Queen of Hearts! When you’re not going through the looking glass, you’ll experience all of the other fun things that Camp Wonderland has to offer!
**Session 5: July 23 - 28**
Cost: $450 | Registration deadline: July 7
Avengers Assemble!
Have you ever wanted to join the Avengers? Now is your chance! Come to Camp Hoffman for a week filled with heroic fun. Practice your archery skills as Hawkeye. See if Captain America’s strength can propel you up the rock wall. Fly down the zip line like Thor with his trusty hammer. A whole week of camp activities with a heroic twist!
**Session 5: July 23 - 28**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: July 7

Bike Path
Explore the South County Bike Trail from the comfort of your own bike! Spend the week having a picnic lunch on the trail, birding, learning bike safety, and exploring where the trail leads you. But don’t worry, you’ll also enjoy the many other activities that Hoffman has to offer when you return! Campers must bring their own helmets and bikes to attend.
**Session 2: July 2 - 7**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: June 16

Challengers*
Break out of your comfort zone and take your dreams to the top! Spend a week at Hoffman learning the aspects of our low and high ropes courses. Master the basics before ascending up high for a day of climbing, crossing and flying down the zip line! Experience “Monkey Lunch” where you eat lunch at the top of the course! This adventure program contains many challenging elements so participants should have a sense of adventure, be physically active and able to climb and jump. Take the challenge!
**Session 6: July 30 - August 4**
Cost: $475  |  Registration deadline: July 14

Chill Out
Camp is the perfect place to chill out! Take a break from your busy life and get away for a luxurious week on the shores of Larkin Pond. Practice manicure, pedicure and facial techniques. Try yoga, zumba, and make healthy snacks. Enjoy swimming, kayaking, archery, and a variety of other camp activities as you make summertime memories and feel rejuvenated! Campers will sleep in Longhouse where they will pamper themselves daily!
**Session 3: July 9 - 14**
Cost: $500  |  Registration deadline: June 23

*Campers in this program must have a waist measurement of at least 22” in order to fit into the harness and ascend the high ropes course.
FANgirl Time
Can’t get enough of “Divergent,” “Percy Jackson and the Olympians,” “The 5th Wave,” “Harry Potter,” and more? If you’re crazy about movies and books, this is the program for you! Adventure like your favorite characters and actors during this awesome week. You’ll plan your own theme meal and have an epic fan fiction creation session. Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Cadette Screenwriter badge.
**Session 4: July 16 - 21**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: June 30

Iron Chefs
Are you ready to be one of the top chefs? Think you can make the best tasting desserts and entrees? What if you could only use specific ingredients or cooking methods? You might be challenged to make the camp’s best grilled cheese. Sound easy? What if it had to be made on a tin can? Either your ingredients or cooking methods will put you to the test. You’ll need to use your imagination as you launch culinary experiments. Campers will earn some of the requirements of the New Cuisines badge.
**Session 4: July 16 - 21**
Cost: $475  |  Registration deadline: June 30

Just Add Water
Love Larkin Pond? Get extra swim and slide time or take out a kayak. Do aqua aerobics, try out our new paddle boards or just chill on the beach! When you’re all pruned up, enjoy some of the other activities that camp has to offer-like archery, hiking, and outdoor cooking!
**Session 4: July 16 - 21**
Cost: $475  |  Registration deadline: June 30

Mariners
No day is the same! You’ll stand-up paddleboard, canoe, and kayak your way across Larkin Pond. You’ll learn about each watercraft as you explore the pond and have friendly competitions each day. Once you’re waterlogged, you can experience all of the other great activities available at camp! Campers in this program must be intermediate-level swimmers.
**Session 5: July 23 - 28**
Cost: $500  |  Registration deadline: July 7

Muggle-No-More
Mix the beauty of Hoffman with the magic of Hogwarts to become a wizard! Test your talents at Quidditch, wand making and more! Learn the basics of herbology and a little about the care of magical creatures. Make your own Marauder’s Map and let your inner Patronus guide you through camp! Whether you’re a “first year” or it’s your second time around, you’ll fall under the enchantment of wizardry!
**Session 6: July 30 - August 4**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: June 23

Night Owls Mini-Session
The night is yours! Enjoy exciting activities with an after-dark twist: night hikes, stargazing, evening swims, glow games, midnight munchies, and a pajama breakfast. Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Cadette Night Owl badge.
**Session 1B: June 28 - June 30**
Cost: $240  |  Registration deadline: June 9

Rookie Lifeguarding
Are you a natural at swimming and interested in maybe becoming a lifeguard? Come to camp to see what it’s like! Our Waterfront Director and lifeguards will teach you important techniques and rescue skills in this specialized program. Don’t worry, you’ll still have time to experience all of the other great activities at camp as well! Campers must be intermediate-level swimmers.
**Session 2: July 2 - 7**
Cost: $475  |  Registration deadline: June 16

Surfing U.S.A.
Have you always wanted to be a surfer girl? Now you too can “hang 10” with the pros! Learn to ride the waves at a local beach. Surf boards, wetsuits, and lessons on basic techniques provided. When you arrive back at camp, you’ll still have time to enjoy archery, swim, cookouts and more! Campers must be intermediate-level swimmers.
**Session 3: July 9 - 14**
Cost: $680  |  Registration deadline: June 23

Theatre in The Woods
Put your talent to the test, on stage or behind the scenes. Create costumes, design props and practice your lines as you prepare a performance for the whole camp and your family to see! Gain inspiration through swimming, hiking and the other activities that make Camp Hoffman so special!
**Session 2: July 2 - 7**
Cost: $475  |  Registration deadline: June 16

Tribute Training*
You have been chosen to participate in the Annual Camp Games. It is time to master your outdoor survival skills and build your alliances. You will learn fire building, camouflage, archery, perseverance, shelter building, and so much more. Campers in this program enjoy extra time at the archery range and the high and low ropes challenge courses. Finally, you’ll test your skills in The Arena and attempt to overcome the game makers. May the odds be ever in your favor! Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Cadette Archery badge.
**Session 3: July 9 - 14**
Cost: $450  |  Registration deadline: June 23

*Campers in this program must have a waist measurement of at least 22” in order to fit into the harness and ascend the high ropes course.
**Camp Hoppers**
Why go to one camp? This adventure takes you for overnights at all of our other camps. Spend one night at Camp Cookie, a night at Camp Promising Acres, and a night at Rocky Farm! Discover paths, relax by the campfire or go for a swim in the lake, pool or ocean! You’ll still have plenty of time once you head back to Hoffman to enjoy the challenge course, do archery, and participate in the Hootanay! Campers must have a waist measurement of at least 22” in order to fit into the harness and ascend the high ropes course.

*Session 2: July 2 - 7*
Cost: $500  |  Registration deadline: June 16

**North-South Trail**
Rhode Island is filled with wonders and the North South Trail (NST) is one of them! This 77-mile trail stretches from the beaches of Charlestown to the Massachusetts border in Burrillville. Your adventure will concentrate on the first leg of the trail. You’ll start in Charlestown at Blue Shutters Beach and hike your way up north. End destinations on hike days will vary depending on the group and weather. Campers must bring proper hiking footwear and a daypack to participate in this program. No hiking experience necessary; however, you should be able to comfortably walk 2-3 miles on rolling terrain. Unlace your boots back at camp to swim, do archery and more. Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Ambassador Ultimate Recreation Challenge badge.

*Session 4: July 16 - 21*
Cost: $500  |  Registration deadline: June 30

**Thrill Seekers**
Wave pools, water slides, and coasters—oh my! Come and enjoy a day at Lake Compounce, Connecticut’s largest waterpark and amusement park! Check out its newest coaster, Phobia! With speeds of up to 65 mph and a cobra roll 150 feet in the air, this bone-chilling ride is waiting to be conquered by you and your friends! After defeating all of your fears on the other rides like Boulder Dash, Twister, and Zoomerang, cool off at Crocodile Cove in Bayou Bay, Tunnel Twister and Mammoth Falls! Campers must be 54” tall to enjoy all of the attractions at the park.

*Session 5: July 23 - 28*
Cost: $600  |  Registration deadline: July 7

**Windjammers**
The tradition continues! Hoist your sails and “fly.” Learn to rig a sailboat and tack your way across lovely Larkin Pond. Perfect your sailing skills and progress towards earning one of camp’s advanced sailing awards. Also enjoy other traditional camp activities including swimming, arts & crafts, and archery. Campers must be intermediate-level swimmers.

*Session 3: July 9 - July 14*
Cost: $500  |  Registration deadline: June 23

**Glamping**
Enjoy the life of luxury at Camp Hoffman! If your idea of camping is staying in a lodge, this is the program for you! Come and pamper yourself spa-style with homemade facials, pedicures, and yoga. Enjoy the VIP spa experience with zumba, aqua aerobics, and meditation. You’ll also have some relaxing beach “daze” on Larkin Pond. Best of all, you’ll have time to enjoy our new paddleboards. Campers will earn some of the requirements for the Senior Paddling badge.

*Session 6: July 30 - August 4*
Cost: $600  |  Registration deadline: July 14

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**CAMP PROGRAMS FOR GIRLS ENTERING GRADES 9-12**
Counselor In Training I  
(Entering Grades 10-12 only) 
Prepare for a camp leadership role by spending two weeks (home on the weekends) developing teaching methods and leadership techniques. You’ll also get real-life experience by working directly with campers. This is a prerequisite for Counselor in Training II. Girls must attend all dates in order to complete this program. *CIT I is a two-week program.  
Session 5: July 23 - August 4  
Cost: $565  |  Registration deadline: July 7

Counselor In Training II  
(Entering Grades 11 - 12 only) 
Prepare to become a successful camp counselor by spending three weeks (home on the weekends) gaining more extensive knowledge of camp programming, team building, administrative duties, camper behavior management and more. Applicants must have completed the CIT I program or equivalent. Girls must attend all dates in order to complete this program. *CIT II is a three-week program.  
Session 2: July 2 - 21  
Cost: $680  |  Registration deadline: June 16

Internship  
(Entering Grade 12 only) 
As an Intern at camp, you will spend five weeks (home on the weekends) working directly with campers and staff. Interns will be assigned to units of campers or assist in program and administration. Rotation weeks will expose interns to all aspects of the resident camp experience. Interns must have completed CIT II in order to complete this program. Acceptance to the program is based on the application (sent to you after your registration form is received), references and a personal interview. *Internship is a five-week program.  
Session 2: July 2 - August 4  
Cost: Free  |  Registration deadline: June 16

WEEKEND PROGRAMS AT OVERNIGHT CAMP

The Great Escape  
Brownie through Ambassador troops/groups are invited to join us for an amazing outdoor weekend! Our awesome summer camp staff will make sure you have a blast enjoying swimming, boating, archery (grades 4+), and more. Please bring a bag dinner for Friday evening; hearty meals are provided in the dining hall on Saturday; Sunday is a continental-style breakfast. Girl participants will sleep in platform tents, adults in cabins.  
Troop Camp Training is not required for this weekend. Summer Camp Cookie Credits may be applied toward girls’ fees.  
Registration for the Great Escape is only available to Troop Leaders. Full payments for each camper must be made during online registration. (No deposits accepted.)  
Dates: June 23 - 25  
Cost: $60 per person (adults and girls should each register)  |  Registration deadline: June 9

Me & My Gal  
This program is designed for the first-time overnight camper (grades 1 and up) and her favorite gal. Try new activities together such as swimming, boating, crafting, hiking, and more. There will be s’mores, too! You’ll sleep in a platform tent, and make memories that will last forever!  
Dates: July 15 - 16 or July 29 - 30  
Cost: $50 per person (adults and girls should each register)  |  Registration deadline: June 23 & July 7

Linger…  
Adults, did you miss out on going to camp as a child? Or do you wish you could re-live the fun of past camp summers? Come to Camp Hoffman with other adult Girl Scouts (newbies, former campers, and former camp staff members are all welcome) for this easy-going overnight on the shores of Larkin Pond. Wander the trails, enjoy boating, a campfire, and stargazing. You’ll make new friends and keep the old! Meals and sleeping arrangements will be provided.  
Dates: July 15 - 16  
Cost: $50 per person  |  Registration deadline: June 23
Come for a week, two weeks, or all summer long! We encourage campers to sign up for multiple sessions.

THEMES
This summer, we’ve chosen to offer a multitude of awesome theme days for each day camp session (rather than having themed weeks). We hope campers will be excited about more choices and more variety! Camp Council will vote on theme days on Monday, and parents will be informed with a note home that night so there will be plenty of time to plan or prepare for the upcoming themes. Some ideas of possible theme days include: Mismatched Socks Day, Twin Day, Inside-out Day, Crazy Hat Day, etc. Although theme days are fun, they are totally optional and are not the focus of the camp day.

THURSDAY LATE NIGHTS
Don’t want the fun of day camp to end? Stay late with us on Thursday evenings for campfires, s’mores, games, and much more! Late-night programming ends at 7:30 p.m. A late evening bus run will be available; the afternoon bus will not run.

If your camper is attending the Thursday Late Night option and not taking the bus, on-site pick-up is between 7:30 - 8:00 p.m. If your camper is not attending the Thursday Late Night option, please pick up at your day camp between 4:00 - 4:30 p.m. (bus transportation will not be available on Thursday afternoon).

TRANSPORTATION
Take the Bus
The camp experience begins with songs, laughter, and meeting new friends on the bus ride to camp. Bus transportation is included with every day camp registration, and you can select your preferred bus stop! Due to requests received by several local towns, we require that campers at Camp Promising Acres and Camp Rocky Farm take the bus to and from camp each day. Bus transportation is optional for Camp Cookie and Camp Green Forest. Exact bus stop times will be released in late spring/early summer on our website. Important note: Due to normal morning and afternoon traffic delays, our buses are occasionally delayed! Please plan to be available for at least a 30-minute window during both your bus stop drop-off and pick-up times. Any adult picking up a camper will be required to show photo ID.

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*Please note that Camp Rocky Farm is open Sessions 1 & 2 only.
**Water Ways Training**  
*(Girls entering 9th grade and up)*  
Do you love swimming? Want to become a lifeguard or swim instructor? Water Ways Training will help you build a strong foundation in aquatic leadership. During this program, you'll improve your own swim techniques and learn how to teach swimming. Attend five days of this training program at Camp Cookie, Camp Green Forest, or Camp Promising Acres. Then, be an apprentice swim instructor at the day camp of your choice!

Please note that intermediate-level swimming skills are needed to sign up for Water Ways.

Water Ways also fulfills the prerequisites for the Volunteer-in-Training (VIT) Award for Girl Scout Seniors and Ambassadors. Contact info@gssne.org for more information.  
**Session 1: July 10-14**  
Cost: $300 | Registration deadline: June 26

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**Buddy Up! Training**  
*(Girls entering 9th grade and up)*  
Do you love working with kids? Can’t wait to be a counselor? Put your passion into action as we explore the basic leadership skills needed to work with younger girls. You’ll learn to teach songs, games, and camp activities, all while enjoying the camp magic for yourself. Attend five days of this training program at Camp Cookie, Camp Green Forest, or Camp Promising Acres. Then, be an apprentice counselor at the Day Camp of your choice.

Buddy Up! also fulfills the prerequisites for the Volunteer-in-Training (VIT) Award for Girl Scout Seniors and Ambassadors. Contact info@gssne.org for more information.  
**Session 1: July 10-14**  
Cost: $30 | Registration deadline: June 26

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**Water Ways or Buddy Up! Apprenticeship**  
If you completed Water Ways or Buddy Up! earlier this summer or in a previous summer, you can now hone your leadership skills as an Apprentice! Apprentices will take on a leadership role and earn community service hours while working with younger campers. Spaces for Apprentices are limited, so sign up now!  
**Session 1-4: July 11-Aug 4**  
Cost: $30 | Registration deadline: June 26

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**Session** | **Dates** | **Program**
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Session 1 | July 10 - 14 | Water Ways Training
Session 1 | July 10 - 14 | Buddy Up! Training
Session 1 - 4 | July 10 - August 4 | Water Ways or Buddy Up! Apprenticeship
# CAMP COOKIE - DAY CAMP BUS SCHEDULE (JULY 10TH - AUGUST 4TH)

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<td>Colonial Crossings, 1800 Mendon Rd., Cumberland 02864</td>
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# CAMP GREEN FOREST - DAY CAMP BUS SCHEDULE (JULY 10TH - AUGUST 4TH)

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<td>Girl Scout council, 500 Greenwich Ave., Warwick 02886</td>
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<td>Showcase Cinema, 1200 Quaker Lane Rt. 2, Warwick 02886</td>
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<td>3116 South County Trail (Park &amp; Ride), East Greenwich 02818</td>
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<td>Crossing at the Tower, 3045 Tower Hill Rd., South Kingstown 02874</td>
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<td>Park &amp; Ride, 1190 Kingston Rd., Richmond 02898</td>
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<td>Metcalf School, 30 Nooseneck Hill Rd., Exeter 02822</td>
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<td>Stop &amp; Shop Plaza, 1300 Ten Road Rd., North Kingstown 02852</td>
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**DROP-OFF / PICK-UP AT CAMP**

- Camp busing is optional for Camp Cookie and Camp Green Forest, which means that you can drop off and pick up on site, if desired.
- Drop-off is 8:00 - 8:30 a.m. and pick-up is 4:00 - 4:30 p.m. at your day camp.
- Any adult picking up a camper will be required to show photo ID.
## CAMP PROMISING ACRES - DAY CAMP BUS SCHEDULE (JULY 10TH - AUGUST 4TH)

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<td>Clarion Inn, 940 Fall River Ave., Seekonk 02771</td>
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<td>Target (back parking lot), Route 6, Swansea 02777</td>
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"Day camp is a fun way to experience your feelings, and it is fun!"

- Isabelle
I thought it was really fun. I rate this camp 100 out of 5 stars!
-Sydney

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<td>Braga Park, Kay Street, Newport 02840</td>
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You may notice that we’ve removed the paper form from the back of our Camp Guide this year. We’re hoping to use resources wisely and encourage more online registrations! If you need a paper registration form, please email info@gssne.org.

Checks, money orders, or debit/credit cards are accepted for paper-based payment by mail or fax.

**HOW TO REGISTER**

To reserve your camper’s spot immediately, go to www.gssne.org and register online. Pay the full balance or the $35 non-refundable deposit with a debit/credit card. Online registration is the best way to register for day camp or overnight camp. Please register with the same account used for membership. You can also submit a paper registration form by mail or fax. Payment can be made by credit card, check, or money order (make payments to GSSNE). Cash payments can only be made in-person at the council office, please do not mail cash.

All payment balances are due in full by May 31, 2017. New camp registrations will be accepted after May 31 with full payment. GSSNE reserves the right to cancel any registration not paid in full by the registration deadline. GSSNE reserves the right to cancel any registration not paid in full by the registration deadline.

Girls not currently registered as Girl Scouts are required to pay a one-time membership fee of $25. This GSUSA membership is valid through September 30, 2017.

**Registration opens January 3, 2017.**

**REGISTER EARLY!**

New year, new adventures! Camp registration opens January 3, 2017. If you register by March 31, you’ll score a cool Camp Early Bird fun patch! (one patch per camper)

**Cancellations, Refunds, and Transfers**

Cancellations and refund requests must be submitted and received at the GSSNE Office by the program’s registration deadline. Until the registration deadline, a full refund less the $35 deposit per person will be granted.

In the event of GSSNE canceling a camp program due to low enrollment, any money paid will be refunded.

In all other circumstances, any money paid (less the non-refundable, nontransferable deposit) will be refunded only if:

- The camper is placed on a waitlist or if the financial-assistance amount requested is not fully granted.
- The camper cannot attend due to illness or injury. A letter from a physician must accompany a written request for the refund.
- The camper is sent home from camp due to illness or injury. Refunds are prorated in such cases and will be made only at the written request of the parent/guardian.

Please note that refunds will not be given if the camper leaves early for any other reason (including homesickness).

A $15 transfer fee will be applied to a camper’s registration balance each time a change is made to a camper’s session, program, or camp.
**FINANCIAL AID**

At Girl Scouts, we believe that camp is for every girl. We’re pleased to be able to offer financial assistance in order to give more girls the opportunity to experience Girl Scout camp.

To apply, complete the Financial Assistance Application and register online to make your deposit.

Please note: You must register online before your Financial Assistance Application will be processed. Notification of financial assistance granted will be made within three weeks of submission. If financial assistance is requested, Summer Camp Cookie Credits will be applied first.

The deadline to submit the Financial Assistance Application is the registration deadline for the chosen camp program.

**What are Summer Camp Cookie Credits?**

Girl Scout Cookies can power an amazing adventure! All registered girls participating in the GSSNE Cookie Program earn $.20 per package, which may then be applied to the cost of a GSSNE Summer Camp.

Girls may receive Summer Camp Cookie Credit transfers from only one (1) girl outside their family. A girl who is not planning to attend a GSSNE Summer Camp may transfer her credits to a friend by completing the Summer Camp Cookie Credit Transfer form (found in the Cookie Manual or on the GSSNE website). Credits may be pooled by sisters in the same family. The deadline for Summer Camp Cookie Credit transfers is 5:00 p.m. on April 17, 2017.

**Girls with Special Needs**

Families of girls with special dietary needs, mobility limitations, or health conditions requiring particular awareness should contact info@gssne.org prior to registration to ensure that the girl can safely participate in daily camp life.

**TRANSPORTATION**

Need information on day camp busing and pick-up/drop-off times? Check out pages 14-17.

Need information on overnight camp pick-up/drop-off times? Check out page 4. Please note that bus transportation is not available for resident sessions at Camp Hoffman.

**YOU’RE NEVER TOO OLD FOR CAMP!**

Adults, you can spend your summer at camp, too! Apply to be a day camp staff member today. Have a camper? Day camp staff members can score a camper discount! Contact us at info@gssne.org for more information.

**MORE CAMP FUN!**

The following neighboring Girl Scout councils accept campers from GSSNE.

- **Camp Bonnie Brae**
  East Otis, MA
  www.gscwm.org

- **Camp Green Eyrie**
  Harvard, MA
  www.gscwm.org

- **Camp Farnsworth**
  Thetford, VT
  www.girlscoutsgwm.org

- **Camp Laurel**
  Lebanon, CT
  www.gsofct.org

- **Camp Timber Trails**
  Tolland, MA
  www.gsofct.org