



New session on page 11 and 12!

girl scouts
diamonds of arkansas,
oklahoma and texas

CAMP NOARK Summer Camp 2024

Five Outcomes of Camp

When Girl Scouts come to camp, they do more than just have fun! Our camp programming is designed to help girls grow and benefit through the Girl Scout Leadership Experience.

1 Strong Sense of Self

Girl Scouts have confidence in themselves and their abilities; they form positive identities.

At camp, campers are encouraged to try new activities and practice their skills. Campers have the freedom to choose extra activity rotations to add to their daily schedule.

2 Healthy Relationships

Girl Scouts develop and maintain healthy relationships by communicating their feelings.

In a group living setting like camp, conflict can happen. When it does, our trained counselors discuss any disagreements with campers and help them solve their conflict constructively.

3 Challenge Seeking

Girl Scouts take appropriate risks, try things even if they might fail, and learn from their mistakes.

At camp, our staff instructors are trained to supervise their specialty area and engage campers in healthy risk taking. Campers can try “challenge by choice” in an encouraging, uplifting environment.

4 Positive Values

Girl Scouts act ethically, honestly and responsibly, and show concern for others.

Campers learn to share responsibility in keeping their living area clean and assisting in cleaning areas shared by all camp during daily “kapers.”

5 Community Problem Solving

Girl Scouts desire to contribute to the world in purposeful and meaningful ways, learn how to identify problems in the community, and create “action plans” to solve them.

As a part of our group living environment at camp, campers create their own rules for their groups with the guidance of counselors.

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Camp Q&A

Join Us for a Summer Camp Q&A!

December 12, 2023 | January 9, 2024

6:30–7:30 pm

Join our Outdoor Program Manager, Teri Dyer, via Teams to learn more about our 2024 summer camp sessions and get any of your summer camp questions answered! Learn more and register by going to our [Events Calendar](#).





Dear Diamonds,

We are all looking forward to another wonderful summer! At camp, kids grow more confident, comfortable expressing themselves, and stronger in their ability to make friends. Our staff are passionate about their jobs and cherish the worth in all campers, showing them the wonders of the outdoors, and how to have fun. I truly believe they are the best role models. Every camper should feel a sense of belonging at camp, where they can be proud of who they are.

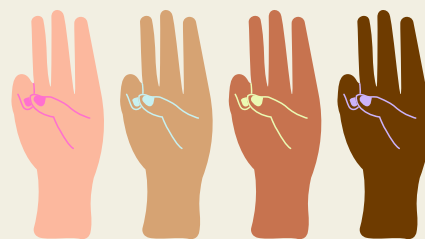
As a part of the Girl Scouts – Diamonds of Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas Council, Camp NOARK shares in the mission to build girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place. We are nestled in the Ozarks to give your camper a true outdoor experience.

If you have questions regarding our programs or are wondering if Camp NOARK is the right fit for your child, please feel free to contact me.

See you this summer!

Teri Dyer

Outdoor Program Manager



Girl Scout Promise and Law

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.*

**Members may substitute for the word
God in accordance with their own
spiritual beliefs.*

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.*



Camp NOARK

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- Teri Dyer**, Outdoor Program Manager
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Registration

Registration Opens January 8 | 9am

This year we are using the CampDocs registration system for camp registration.

WE WILL NOT BE USING GSEVENTS.

Choose the 'Events' tab on girlscoutsdiamonds.org to find a program.

- ▶ Girl programs are searchable by session 1, session 2, session 3, session 4, Troop Camp or Daisy Brownie Camp.

First time visitors to Girl Scouts – Diamonds online registration must become a registered user by creating a profile and password when prompted during the registration process.

- ▶ Once you complete this step, your information will be stored and available for future registrations.

Choose your program and the link will direct you to register via CampDocs, then proceed through payment options.

- ▶ Be sure to complete your order. A \$50 nonrefundable deposit is due per camper, per session at the time of registration.

You'll receive an email registration confirmation.

- ▶ Programs may be canceled if the minimum number of participants is not met.
- ▶ Programs are filled on a first-registered, first-served basis. The online system indicates program capacity and remaining spaces available as well as a waitlist.

- ▶ Campers will need to register for sessions using their August 2024 grade level.



Waitlist

Being placed on a waitlist does not guarantee placement into the program. Waitlists are dependent on cancellations. If you are removed from the waitlist and placed into a camp, you will receive an email notification with links to make payment.

Notifications will come from tdyer@girlscoutsdiamonds.org. Please check spam/junk folders and mark this as a safe sender.

Membership

All girls participating in summer camp programs must be a registered Girl Scout. It is super easy to register and only \$25. The price increases April 1 to \$35 and covers membership through September 2025. Your camper is not required to be in a troop to attend camp. Any adult spending the night for a family or troop program must be a registered Girl Scout member and have an approved background check. To complete a membership registration, visit GirlScoutsDiamonds.org/join.

Health History Form

A current health history form completed no more than 12 months prior to the Girl Scout's arrival at camp is required for all campers. A form will be linked in the CampDocs registration, please upload the completed form or bring it with you to camp. A physician's signature is required.

NO GIRL WILL BE ADMITTED TO CAMP WITHOUT THIS COMPLETED FORM.

Help Us Contact You!

When registering for programs, confirm and update your email address in your registration profile on GirlScoutsDiamonds.org.

All confirmations and cancellations are sent to the email address on file. To be sure you don't miss important emails regarding camp reservations, please consider adding @girlscoutsdiamonds.org as a trusted domain.

Schedule

Check out this overview of all our summer programs, and read on to learn more about them!

Brownies (Entering Grades 2-3)	Juniors (Entering Grades 4-5)	Cadettes (Entering Grades 6-8)	Older (Entering Grades 9-12)	Leadership (Entering Grades 9-12)
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Session 1 June 9-14	Taste Testers	Mudstompers	Discovery: Horse	Discovery: Horse	CIT I
			Outdoor Gourmet	Whatever Floats Your Boat	Riding Rookie I
Session 2 June 16-21	Glitter & Goo	Horseback Riding	Get a Clue	Cast Iron Chef	CIT II
		GSI: Girl Scout Investigator			Riding Rookie II
Session 3 June 23-28	Wilderness Explorer	Horseback Riding	Fearless	Stress Less	CIT II
		Sugar Rush			Riding Rookie II
Session 4 July 7-12	Slumber Party	Moonlight Adventure	Night Owls	Whoo Dun It	
	Bit 'n Bridle				
Troop Camp			Wacky Fun - Daisy Brownie Mini Camp (Entering Grades 1-3)		
June 30-July 2			July 3-5		

PLEASE NOTE:

We are committed to ensuring our events are accessible to all participants. If cost is a factor in your decision, please complete the Campership form during the registration process (more information on pg. 16).





Lodging Units



Friendship Lodge

(air conditioning, electricity, indoor plumbing)

This three level bunkhouse features multiple modern bathrooms and XL twin beds.



Enchanted Hollow

(ceiling fans, electricity, outdoor showers and latrines)

Screened in cabins that sleep 4 on twin beds.



Daisy Patch

(outdoor showers and latrines)

Platform tents with canvas sides that sleep 4 on XL twin beds.



Pooh Corner

(outdoor showers and latrines)

Pitched tents on platforms.



Session 1 | June 9-14

Drop-off: Sunday, 3-4pm | Pickup: Friday, 2pm

Brownie

Taste Testers | \$425

Cook up a storm! Learn some new yummy recipes and best of all, eat them! Try some bacon and cream cheese pinwheels, pizza on garlic toast, and chocolate-dipped bananas covered in sprinkles! You'll also cook a gourmet meal over the campfire and make a fun snack each day. When you aren't honing your skills in the kitchen, go swimming, try archery, hike around camp, and so much more!

Badge Earned:

Snacks

Cadettes

Discovery: Horse | \$575

Interested in a horse unit? This is the session for you! Riders will be evaluated on equine skills and broken into skill level groups. Enjoy five days of progressive lessons in the barn and enjoy traditional camp experiences.

Badge Earned:

Discovery: Horse

Outdoor Gourmet | \$425

Are you ready to think like a chef? Start your week with a tour of our camp kitchen as you help create a tasty treat to share with camp. Create a menu of fantastic foods you can cook over a fire and even take home your favorite recipes in your own recipe book. When you're not creating and cooking, spend time at the pool and participating in other great-traditional camp activities..

Badge Earned:

New Cuisines

Junior

Mudstompers | \$425

Ready to get wet, messy, muddy, and have a good time? Mudstompers will have you creating messy crafts, creek stompin', and enjoying water activities! You'll cleanup and get hands-on learning with STEM projects. We guarantee you'll have a messy good time!

Badge Earned:

Paddle Boat Design

Older Girls

Discovery: Horse | \$575

Interested in a horse unit? This is the session for you! Riders will be evaluated on equine skills and broken into skill level groups. Enjoy five days of progressive lessons in the barn and enjoy traditional camp experiences.

Badge Earned:

Discovery: Horse

Whatever Floats Your Boat | \$475

Paddle boarding, canoeing, swimming at the pool, hiking to waterfalls and kayaking! If it's water fun at camp then we have it planned just for you. When you come to camp it's "Whatever Floats your Boat," and we may even build a raft to get there!

Badge Earned:

Ultimate Recreation Challenge



Session 2 | June 16-21

Drop-off: Sunday, 3-4pm | Pickup: Friday, 2pm

Brownie

Glitter & Goo | \$425

Put on your lab coat and head to camp as a scientist! Experiment with static electricity, density, and chemical reactions. Learn to make your own ice cream and silly putty! Spend the rest of your time at camp swimming, hiking, and on the Low Ropes course.

Badge Earned:
Home Scientist

Cadettes

Get a Clue | \$425

Join us on a quest to crack the case! Put your skills to the test as you help your team solve the mystery. A special agent wears many hats— detective, scientist, psychologist, enforcer of the law. Help us Get a Clue.

Badge Earned:
Special Agent



Junior

Horseback Riding | \$575

Interested in a horse unit? This is the session for you! Riders will be evaluated on equine skills and broken into skill level groups. Enjoy four days of progressive lessons in the barn and enjoy traditional camp experiences.

Badge Earned:
Horseback Riding

GSI: Girl Scout Investigator | \$425

Something mysterious has happened at Camp NOARK! It's up to you and your teammates to solve the mystery. Discover the location of hidden messages and secret maps as you work together to solve puzzles and riddles. Twists and turns at every corner will keep you and your new friends guessing. Look at the evidence, study fingerprints, communicate in code and make some very interesting observations all while you earn your Detective badge! You'll also enjoy crafts, swimming and more!

Badge Earned:
Detective

Older Girls

Cast Iron Chef | \$425

Take culinary creativity to a new level while learning to cook outdoors. Try cooking with camp stoves, dutch ovens and foil boxes to whip up some unique and delicious dishes. Also, make a variety of meals, snacks and desserts to prep for the cookie challenge!

Badge Earned:
Senior: Locavore
Ambassador: Dinner Party

Session 3 | June 23-28

Drop-off: Sunday, 3-4pm | Pickup: Friday, 2pm

Brownie

Wilderness Explorer | \$425

All around us there are beautiful trees, lakes and mountains filled with cute furry animals—so let's wander! Catch tiny water creatures in the creek, explore the natural habitats of our woodland creatures and go on a hike of your group's choosing. Campers will even have the opportunity to see a waterfall or sunrise.

Badge Earned:
Trail Adventurer

Cadettes

Fearless | \$500

Become the fiercest group of campers at Camp NOARK. Learn survival skills and complete challenges to prove what it takes to be part of an elite team. Work at advancing target sport skills, learn advanced first aid and self-defense techniques, and show courage on a group choice off-site adventure.

Badge Earned:
Archery

Older Girls

Stress Less | \$425

Looking for a relaxing retreat? Take a leisurely stroll through the state park, be inspired to paint a masterpiece while reflecting in nature, practice yoga on the meadow, read a book, sip a sweet drink, admire the starry night sky, and relax in a hammock during a stress-free week at camp.

Badge Earned:
Senior: Women's Health
Ambassador: First Aid

Junior

Horseback Riding | \$575

Interested in a horse unit? This is the session for you! Riders will be evaluated on equine skills and broken into skill level groups. Enjoy four days of progressive lessons in the barn and enjoy traditional camp experiences.

Badge Earned:
Horseback Riding

Sugar Rush | \$425

If all the raindrops were lemon drops and gumdrops, oh what a rain it would be! Indulge your sweet tooth at camp this week. Make your own ice cream from scratch, learn how to bake a sweet treat over the campfire, try your hand at making chocolate lollipops, and make a dessert for the whole camp to enjoy! Burn off that sugar-induced energy by hiking and swimming. Did we mention messy tug-of-war fun? This is gonna be sweet!

Badge Earned:
Simple Meals





Troop Camp | June 30-July 2

Back by popular demand, we are hosting Troop Camp!

The adult-to-girl ratio for outings, activities, camping, and travel	D	B	J	C	S	A
Two unrelated adults (at least one of whom is female) for every:	6	12	16	20	24	24
Additional adult to each additional number of girls:	1-4	1-5	1-8	1-10	1-12	1-12

Troop Camp | \$140

▶ Friendship Lodge

Troop Camp | \$120

▶ Enchanted Hollow

Troop Camp | \$110

▶ Daisy Patch

Troop Camp | \$100

▶ Pooh Corner

Optional add on | \$15 equine programming

About Troop Camp

Time: June 30-July 2

Age: Daisy-Ambassador

Cost: Price is per participant

Want to see what camp has to offer while enjoying time away with your troop? Now is your chance!

Troop Camp is a great way for girls and volunteers to experience overnight camp with the joy and comfort of having your troop mates by your side. Before the program, troop leaders will receive a survey where they'll choose from a list of camp activities (e.g. swimming, archery, low ropes, etc.) they would like to do as a troop.

Troops will spend the time enjoying their choice of activities, eating yummy food and making new friends in this action-packed camp!

Camp staff will lead activities and meals, adult volunteers are responsible for camper supervision during programs and downtime, as well as overnight supervision. Troop leaders and volunteers are required to fulfill ratio requirements for their troop. All adult participants must be background checked members of Girl Scouts - Diamonds of Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas.





Wacky Fun Mini Camp | July 3

Calling all Daisies through Cadettes!

\$190

Daisy | Brownie

▶ Friendship Lodge

Junior | Cadette

▶ Enchanted Hollow

About Wacky Fun Camp

Time: July 3, 4pm-July 5, 4pm

Age: Entering grades 1-8

This 2-night camp is a perfect way to ease your Girl Scout into overnight camp! Campers will paint without a paintbrush, create a soda geyser, play water games, create a wacky sculpture and get messy at color war all while enjoying traditional Camp NOARK activities.

What are they earning?

**Daisy | Journey – Between
Earth and Sky**

Brownie | Home Scientist

Junior | Flowers

Cadette | Trees



Session 4 | July 7-12

Drop-off: Sunday, 3-4pm | Pickup: Friday, 2pm

Brownie

Slumber Party | \$425

It's a week-long slumber party! Enjoy classic slumber party activities, and some new wacky ones too! Have a nail polish party, create a dress out of a trash bag and walk the runway, sing karaoke, and more! During the day hang out at the pool, go on hikes, try some target sports and visit our challenge course.

Badge Earned:
Cabin Camper

Bit 'n Bridle | \$545

Interested in a horse unit? This is the session for you! Riders will be evaluated on equine skills and broken into skill level groups. Enjoy four days of progressive lessons in the barn and enjoy traditional camp experiences.

Badge Earned:
Bit 'n Bridle



New! Discovery Horse
See page 7 for details.

Junior

Moonlight Adventure | \$425

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

Badge Earned:
Trail Adventure

Cadettes

Night Owls | \$425

Do you like to stay up late and sleeping in the next day? Then come and experience the wonders of camp after the sun goes down. Enjoy a glow party, hike with the light of the moon as your guide and find constellations while experiencing camp activities at night.

Badge Earned:
Night Owl

Older Girls

Whoop Dun It | \$425

Mystery is afoot at Camp NOARK! Become a skilled detective and follow in the footsteps (and fingerprints) of Nancy Drew and Harriet the Spy as you solve puzzles, scavenger hunts, and riddles to find the source of the mischief at camp. Learn about fingerprinting, how to crack and create secret codes, self-defense and more while earning your Truth Seeker badge.

Badge Earned:
Truth Seeker



Leadership Opportunities | Grades 9-12

CIT I

June 9-14 | \$425

Do you love your camp counselors so much that you want to be one? If so, the Counselor-in-Training I program is just for you! Experience how camp is run, explore leadership roles, learn characteristics of different age levels, work directly with campers, and much more. You'll also have time for traditional camping activities like archery, canoeing, and Camp NOARK's challenge course.

CIT II

June 16-21, June 23-28, July 7-12 | \$700

Can you see yourself as a Camp Counselor? This three-week, second-year program will provide you with the tools and training to help you reach your goal! Shadow staff in specific areas of camp, learn more about camp administration, participate in our challenge courses, and more. This program runs the weeks of 6/16-21, 6/23-28, and 7/7-12. You will integrate into units as a junior counselor during 7/7-12. You will go home between weekly programming. Additional program information will be sent after registration. Prerequisite: Must have completed CIT I.



Riding Rookie I

June 9-14 | \$500

Experienced riders comfortable and competent around horses and the facility, who are interested in being junior assistants, come test your strength and knowledge in both equine program and large animal care. When you attend Riding Rookie, you are tandem enrolled in CIT I.

Riding Rookie II

June 16-21, June 23-28, July 7-12 | \$850

Riders who have completed Riding Rookie I, take the next step toward becoming junior barn staff. Aid in program and horse care alongside full-time staff members while you develop your equine industry knowledge and skills. You will integrate as a barn assistant during 7/7-12. Riding Rookie II is tandem enrolled in CIT II.





A Day in the Life of a Camper

An average day at camp? No such thing!

You and your fellow Girl Scouts will work directly with your counselors to create your ideal schedule while you adventure at Camp NOARK! Here's an example of what a day at camp might look like:

- 6-8am | Start the Day
- 8am | Flag Raising
- 8:15am | Breakfast
- 9-11am | Activity
- 12pm | Lunch
- 1pm | Turtle Time
- 2-6pm | Activity
- 6pm | Flag Retiring
- 6:15pm | Dinner
- 7pm | Unit Time
- 8pm | Shower
- 9pm | Lights Out!



Food is crucial to a great camp experience and can be a prime concern for parents and campers alike. One way to keep campers energized and happy is having a quality food service operation. If you ask around, you will hear firsthand how good our food is here at Camp NOARK. These campers are so busy, we want to make sure they have lots of options to choose from so that they get the nutrition they need. We spend a great deal of time planning all the menus, testing and selecting the best food choices and making items available that promote healthy choices and accommodate all dietary restrictions.

Sample Menu	
Breakfast	Pancakes and bacon. Fruit, yogurt, toast and oatmeal bar. Milk and juice.
Lunch	Chicken strips, mashed potatoes and green beans. Salad bar. Ice cream sandwich. Gatorade.
Snack	Granola bar and cheese stick.
Dinner	Build your own pasta, marinara or alfredo, chicken or beef, carrots and bread. Salad bar. Cupcake. Gatorade.

Transportation

Most families drop-off and pick-up from camp. If necessary, van transportation is available for a \$65 round trip fee. You will be billed through Square invoice. Payments must be completed the Thursday prior to your camper's session.

Timing

Your camper needs to be at the Little Rock Girl Scout office no later than 12pm on the Sunday of their session. Temperature checks and lice checks will be done before loading the vehicle. The van will arrive back at Merrill Drive by 7:30pm on the Friday of their session.

If van return is delayed, caregivers will be notified via the Remind app. Join the remind classroom [@2024camp](#).

Registration Dates and Signup Link

Registration for transportation will open January 9. You must register for transportation 2 weeks prior to the camper's arrival date. Transportation is not available for Troop Camp. Register for transportation [HERE](#).



Van Stop:

Girl Scouts –Diamonds
Office

1719 Merrill Drive

Little Rock, AR 72212



Financial Information

Deposits and Fees

A \$50 non-refundable deposit per session is due with each registration. The deposit serves as the first payment of the total camp fee. Deposits must be made through the registration system. All remaining fees must be paid within two weeks of your session start date. You must register by May 16 to receive the camp t-shirt for free. **As of May 17, all campers will pay an additional \$10 for their shirt at time of registration.** Registration closes two weeks prior to the chosen session start date.

Refund Policy

Refund of camp fees, including Diamonds Dollars, excluding the \$50 deposit and membership fee, will be given for cancellations made by May 10. Camper fees will not be refunded if a camper leaves due to homesickness, illness or misconduct. Camper fees will not be refunded if camper arrives with head lice or a temperature greater than 99 degrees. Camperships are not refundable.



“Camperships” to Camp

What is a “campership”?

Camperships are scholarships funded by the generosity of donors who contribute to our campership fund each year. Our goal is to make camp a possibility for all girls. Financial difficulties should never be the reason a girl can't experience the life-changing lessons found at camp.

How much can we apply for?

First-time applicants may apply for up to 100% of the cost of the camp session, less the \$50 deposit. Second-time applicants may apply for up to 75% of the cost of the camp session, less the \$50 deposit. Third-time applicants can apply for up to 50% of the cost of the camp session, less the \$50 deposit. Priority will be given to first-time applicants.

How do I apply for camperships?

You must register for camp and pay the \$50 deposit, then complete the registration form online.

When is the deadline to apply?

Campership applications open January 9, 2024, and all applications are due by March 31, 2024.

More Info?

Email camp@girlscoutsdiamonds.org

How do I know we will receive a campership?

All applicants will receive notification by April 9, 2024.

How can I contribute to camperships?

Camperships do not exist without the generosity of our donors. If your family is interested in donating to camperships to make camp a reality for a sister Girl Scout, please email funddevelopment@girlscoutsdiamonds.org or visit girlscoutsdiamonds.org/give to donate directly to the campership fund.

Cookies to Camp

Want to earn a week at camp!? Girl Scouts have an opportunity to earn a week of camp by participating in the 2024 Cookie Program and selling 3,000+ packages of cookies (troop must opt into rewards for Girl Scouts to earn).

Financials/Paying for Camp

Girl Scouts - Diamonds encourages Girl Scouts to participate in Product Programs and select Traditional Diamonds Dollars as a reward to assist in covering camp fees. Girl Scouts can apply Traditional Diamonds Dollars earned through the 2022 Fall Product Program and the 2023 Cookie Program toward 2024 camp fees, excluding the deposit. Traditional Diamonds Dollars earned during these programs do expire on June 30, 2024, so they will need to be applied toward camp balances prior to this date. To apply these funds to a Girl Scout's camp fee balance, call or visit the Diamonds retail shop to process payment.

How much can you earn?

Begin planning for the 2024 camp season now! Diamonds Dollars earned during the 2023 Cookie Program can be applied to 2024 camp registrations. Girl Scouts can select Diamonds Dollars as their preferred reward choice at as many levels as they choose. Diamonds Dollars are cumulative, see the chart to see how much you can earn!

Cookies Sold	Amount Earned
200+ boxes	\$5
300+ boxes	\$10
400+ boxes	\$15
500+ boxes	\$20
600+ boxes	\$25
750+ boxes	\$35
1000+ boxes	\$50
1250+ boxes	\$75
1500+ boxes	\$100
Total Possible Earned:	\$335





Trading Post

Open at drop off and pick up each week!

Camp Care Package

\$40

Includes:

- ▶ A tote bag
- ▶ Magic scratch book
- ▶ Fidget
- ▶ Games
- ▶ Camp NOARK swag
- ▶ And more!



2024 Camp Patch





STEAM Camp | July 15-19

“Go Girl Scout Go!” Day Camp

Camp Details

Time: July 15-19 | 9am-5pm

Where: Burnham Woods | Fort Smith

Age: Entering grades 1-8

- ▶ Program Aide opportunities available for Cadettes.
 - ◆ Must have completed Program Aide training.
- ▶ Sign up for day camp will be on gsEvents.

Join us for a dynamic week of day camp where we will be focusing on all things that GO! Vehicles, roller coasters and rockets will be a few adventures we “go” on. Girls will experience hands-on activities and skill building opportunities in the STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) fields. Girls will go on nature hikes through Burnham Woods and observe the scenery, animals, and plant life. Each level will also earn automotive badges. You won’t want to miss this week of sisterhood and STEAM adventures.

The Cost:

(Includes lunch)

- ▶ \$130 for Girl Scouts entering 1st-8th grades
- ▶ \$55 for Program Aides
- ▶ Non-Girl Scout members are an additional \$25
- ▶ Early birds can arrive at 8am for an additional \$25





Destinations

High Adventure Mountain Biking

About the Trip

Time: June 1-8, 2025

Where: Camp NOARK | Huntsville

During this 8-day adventure, you'll work on mountain biking skills with experts, explore trails appropriate for your skill level, and even learn some bike maintenance. In addition to mountain biking, you'll go hiking and float down America's first national river!

Your home base will be the Friendship Lodge at Camp NOARK, an easy drive to the world-class mountain biking trails of Hobbs State Park (Monument Trails), Railyard Park, and Lake Atalanta. You will also spend the night at Coler Mountain Bike Preserve, a mecca for biking enthusiasts. We'll take a break from biking to explore Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, a world-famous art museum nestled in 120 acres of Ozark woods. The trip ends at the Buffalo National River where you will relax in a lodge overlooking the Buffalo, bike the Buffalo trails, and canoe down the river.

Who Should Apply?

Age: Girl Scouts entering grades 10-12, or who have just graduated 12th grade.

Interests: Adventure and the outdoors

Requirements: You must have experience riding a bicycle (mountain biking experience preferred, but not required), and the ability to participate in physically-challenging experiences.

Equipment: A packing list will be provided after acceptance, and will include items such as a hydration pack, cycling gloves, knee and elbow pads, and bike-appropriate clothing. A bike and helmet will be provided, but participants are also allowed to bring their own.

The Cost:

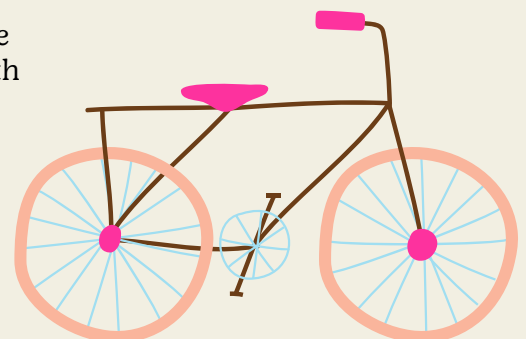
Program fee: \$1,350

The program fee does not include airfare. You will be responsible for the cost of round-trip transportation from your home to Northwest Arkansas Airport (XNA).

Deposit due upon acceptance (this deposit is already included in your trip program fee): \$200

Cancellation policy: Refunds available only before April 30, 2025.

Financial aid may be available. Check with your local council.



[Click here to apply](#)

FAQ

Who can attend Girl Scout summer camp?

Summer camp is open to all campers in grades K-12. Each session has grade requirements which must be met to prioritize the health, safety and well-being of all campers.

My camper is not a Girl Scout member but would like to attend camp. Can they attend and are there additional fees?

Yes, Girl Scout camps are open to all. Campers who are not members of Girl Scouts will pay an additional \$25 from January 8–March 31 or an additional \$35 beginning April 1 to cover their membership registration. The \$25 fee will allow the camper to be a registered member of Girl Scouts through September 30, 2024, and the \$35 is an extended year membership covering until September 30, 2025.

When does Girl Scout summer camp registration open?

Registration opens January 8, 2024, at 9am. Be on the lookout for a SPECIAL SALE starting November 24!

Can campers attend with a friend?

Yes! Camp NOARK can place campers with a buddy. Buddies must be in the same age group and register for the same session. Both buddies should request the other's name during registration. We only allow campers to choose one buddy.

How is my child safe?

Your camper's safety is our number one priority. We follow state licensing, ACA accreditation, and Girl Scout safety standards which include, but are not limited to:

- ▶ Background checks for all adult camp staff and volunteers.
- ▶ Certified lifeguards, health supervisors, and high-risk activity instructors.
- ▶ Training for all staff and volunteers to prioritize your camper's physical and emotional wellbeing.

Can campers bring a cell phone?

No. Our camps are unplugged to let campers connect with nature, others, and themselves. The camp director will contact caregivers if a camper has a medical problem, is excessively homesick, or has an emergency.

Is my camper ready for camp?

Yes! At both day and overnight camp, campers will be paired with others their own age and participate in activities appropriate for their level of camp experience. They will create memories that will last a lifetime and stories they will look forward to sharing with you. If you are considering camp for the first time, try Troop Camp or our Daisy Brownie Camp.

Why is CIT II \$700?

A regular week of camp is \$425. CIT II campers are attending two weeks as campers and have a \$150 discount due to the time they are spending immersed with girls practicing the skills they are learning. The third week of CIT II is spent as a Junior Counselor in unit with girls. You are not being charged for this week.

Why is equine programming more than regular?

Our equine program is incredible. There is a \$30 per barn day fee assessed to each equine camp session to support the equine program.

Who are the camp staff and volunteers?

We select talented, experienced, and caring adults to serve as role models and caretakers. They are selected because they have a genuine desire to work with campers and are trained in areas such as first aid and CPR, emergency procedures, child development, mental and behavioral health, working through homesickness, team building, and more.

What certifications do staff have?

- ▶ Youth Mental Health First Aid, CPR/First Aid, various activity certifications including Archery, Lifeguard, Low Ropes, BB gun, Hatchet and Knife Throwing, etc
- ▶ Kitchen staff is ServSafe certified.
- ▶ NOARK Camp Director is a certified camp director with American Camp Association, holds a F.A.R.E. certification and is a Leave No Trace Trainer.
- ▶ STEAM Center Camp Director is a certified day camp director with American Camp Association.
- ▶ Equine Manager is a Certified Horsemanship Association instructor.



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Unit Leads

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Cooks
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Questions? Email camp@girlscoutsdiamonds.org

Camp NOARK is located in Huntsville, AR, and is approximately 45 minutes from U of A - Fayetteville



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