



Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois (GSNI)
2009-2010 Council-Sponsored Programs
Schedule at a Glance
Girl Scout Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors

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GS Silver Award Training	Sugar Grove	POSTPONED	Sugar Grove	No fee		5
GS Gold Award Training	Sugar Grove	POSTPONED	Sugar Grove	No fee		5
One Council, One Voice GSNI Kick-Off Event		Sat., Oct. 3, 2009	Rockford	\$3 per person	Sept. 25, 2009	
Haunted Barn in Lena	Freeport	Fri., Oct. 9, 2009	Lena	\$15/girl \$15/ adult	Oct. 9, 2009	5
Sport'n Around	Sugar Grove	Fri.-Sun., Oct. 16-18, 2009	Big Rock	\$15	Oct. 2, 2009	6
Journey to the Silver and Gold—Adventure Walk Overnight	Elgin	Sat.-Sun., Oct. 17-18, 2009	Harvard	\$12/girl \$10/ adult	Sept. 25, 2009	6
Dutch Oven Cooking	Freeport	Sat., Oct. 24, 2009	Hanover	\$10	Oct. 9, 2009	6
Yoga Time	Elgin	Tue., Nov. 3, 2009	Elgin	\$7.50/ girl \$7.50/ adult	Oct. 20, 2009	7
Daisy's Closet	Sugar Grove	Fri. & Sat., Nov. 6 & 7, 2009	Sugar Grove	No fee	No registration deadline	7
Program Aide Training, Basic	Elgin	Sat., Nov. 7, 2009	McHenry	\$10	Oct. 21, 2009	7
Law & Order	Sugar Grove	TBA (Tentative Nov. 9)	St. Charles	TBA	Oct. 26, 2009	8
Girl Scout Gold Award Training	Freeport	Tues., Nov. 10, 2009	Freeport	No fee	Nov. 3, 2009	8
Girl Scout Silver Award Training	Freeport	Tues., Nov. 10, 2009	Freeport	No fee	Nov. 3, 2009	8
Yoga Time	Elgin	Tue., Nov. 10, 2009	Harvard	\$7.50/ girl \$7.50/ adult	Oct. 27, 2009	8
Indoor Climbing Gym	Freeport	Sat., Nov. 14, 2009	Madison, WI	\$25/girl & adult	Oct. 14, 2009	9
Girl Scout Gold Award Training	Freeport	Sat., Nov. 21, 2009	Freeport	No fee	Nov. 13, 2009	8

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Mirror/Mirror: Uniquely ME! Discover Your Inner Beauty Day	Rockford	Sat., Nov. 21, 2009	TBD	TBD	TBD	9
American Red Cross Babysitting Class	Elgin	Sat., Nov. 21, 2009	Elgin	\$25	Nov. 5, 2009	17
The Wizard of Oz	Sugar Grove	Sat., Nov. 28, 2009	Aurora	\$42.15	Nov. 14, 2009	9
The Nutcracker Ballet	Elgin	Thu., Dec. 3, 2009	Barrington	\$14/ \$17	Nov. 13, 2009	16
American Red Cross Babysitting	Sugar Grove	Sat., Dec. 5, 2009	Sugar Grove	\$25	Nov. 19, 2009	16
A Christmas Carol	Sugar Grove	Sun., Dec. 6, 2009	Aurora	\$15/girl \$22/ adult	Nov. 22, 2009	10
American Red Cross-DOG First Aid	Sugar Grove	Tue., Dec. 8, 2009	Sugar Grove	\$20	Nov. 19, 2009	17
American Red Cross-CAT First Aid	Sugar Grove	Wed., Dec. 9, 2009	Sugar Grove	\$20	Nov. 19, 2009	17
Senior Program Aide Training	Elgin	Sat., Jan. 9, 2010	McHenry	\$8	Dec. 16, 2009	10
No-Mi-Limad Professional Dance Company	Sugar Grove	Sun., Jan. 10, 2010	Geneva	\$15	Dec. 28, 2009	10
Sleuth'n Around	Sugar Grove	Fri.-Sun., Jan. 22-24, 2010	Big Rock	TBA	Jan. 8, 2010	11
Program Aide Training, Basic	Elgin	Sat., Jan. 23, 2010	Elgin	\$10	Jan. 6, 2010	11
Basics of Crocheting	Sugar Grove	Sat., Jan. 30, 2010	Sugar Grove	\$5	Jan. 16, 2010	101
American Red Cross Babysitting	Sugar Grove	Sat., Feb. 6, 2010	Sugar Grove	\$25	Jan. 21, 2010	16
Moscow Circus	Sugar Grove	Sun., Feb. 7, 2010	Aurora	\$20- \$40/girl \$24- \$65/ adult	Jan. 24, 2010	12
Winter Fun Weekend	Freeport	Fri.-Sun., Feb. 19-21, 2010	Hanover	\$60	Feb. 5, 2009	12

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Yoga Time	Elgin	Tue., Mar. 2, 2010	Harvard	\$7.50/ girl \$7.50/ adult	Feb. 16, 2010	8
Hip Hop the Real Deal	Sugar Grove	Sun., Mar. 7, 2010	Geneva	\$15	Feb. 21, 2010	13
Yoga Time	Elgin	Tue., Mar. 9, 2010	Elgin	\$7.50/ girl \$7.50/ adult	Feb. 23, 2010	7
Program Aide Training, Basic and Outdoor Skills	Elgin	Sat.-Sun., Mar. 20-21, 2010	Harvard	\$22	Mar. 3, 2010	13
Girl Scout Gold Award Training	Freeport	Tues., Apr. 13, 2010	Freeport	No fee	Apr. 6, 2010	8
Girl Scout Silver Award Training	Freeport	Tues., Apr. 13, 2010	Freeport	No fee	Apr. 6, 2010	8
Daisy's Closet	Sugar Grove	Fri. & Sat., Apr. 16 & 17, 2009	Sugar Grove	No fee	No registration deadline	7
Girl Scout Gold Award Training	Freeport	Sat., Apr. 17, 2010	Freeport	No fee	Apr. 10, 2010	8
Girl Scout Silver Award Training	Freeport	Sat., Apr. 17, 2010	Freeport	No fee	Apr. 10, 2010	8
Me and My Guy	Freeport	Sat., Apr. 24, 2010	Hanover	\$15 per couple	Mar. 13, 2010	13
Tool'n Around	Sugar Grove	Fri.– Sat., Apr. 30-May 1, 2010	Big Rock	\$15	Apr. 16, 2010	14
Bridging Event	Sugar Grove	Sat., May 10, 2010	Big Rock	\$2.50	Apr. 26, 2010	14
Become Camp's Top Chef	Freeport	Sat., June 5, 2010	Hanover	\$10	May 15, 2010	15
Connecting Girls to the Land	Freeport	Sat., June 5, 2010	Thomson	\$5	May 7, 2009	15
Water Logged Weekend	Freeport	Fri.-Sun., June 4-6, 2010	Hanover	\$20	May 8, 2009	15

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Adventure Sports Weekend	Freeport	Fri.-Sun., Aug 13-15, 2010	Hanover	\$60	July 9, 2010	16
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Silver Award Training

It is highly recommended to earn the Girl Scout Silver Award prior to starting Girl Scout Gold Award Training. Working on the Girl Scout Silver Award is a good step in the progression towards the Girl Scout Gold Award.

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center, Room 2
200 New Bond Street
Sugar Grove, IL

Fee: No charge

Min./Max.: 0/25

Bring: Bag dinner and drink, pen and paper

Registration: Ends Sep. 7, 2009

POSTPONED

Gold Award Training

Class is required for the Girl Scout Gold Award. Learn the requirements needed to successfully complete the Gold Award. This may be your last chance to receive training using the current guidelines.

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center, Room 1
200 New Bond Street
Sugar Grove, IL

Fee: No charge

Min./Max.: 0/25

Bring: Bag dinner and drink, pen and paper

Registration: Ends Sep. 7, 2009

POSTPONED

Haunted Barn in Lena

The haunted Barn in Lena has been rated the best haunted house in Illinois six times in the last decade. Twenty-five attractions are arranged in two barns linked by an outdoor trail and also includes a ride down a long, spooky slide. Discover the adventurer in yourself, Connect with new people, have pizza and beverage, and then Take Action to experience the Haunted Barn!!

Location: Meet at American Legion Hall
200 Vernon St.
Lena, IL
School bus transportation will be provided from American Legion Hall to the Haunted Barn.

Receive: Fun patch

Fee: \$15 per girl
\$15 per adult
Fee includes pizza, beverage, admission to the Haunted Barn

Bring: Non-perishable food item for Lena food pantry (one item per person please)

Min./Max.: 25/50 (girls and adults)

Registration: Ends October 1, 2009. Troop/Group or Individual

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Fri.	Oct. 9, 2009	5:00 p.m.- approx. 10:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

Sport'n Around

Come for a weekend full of sports fun with teens in grades 7 through 12. Options may include: Volleyball, badminton, croquet, bocce ball, archery, parachute games, etc. Cook outdoors, sleep in platform tents, chill with friends.

Location: Camp Dean (Cherry Hollow, Platform Tents)
Big Rock, IL
Fee: \$15 per girl
No fee for adults
Min./Max.: 10/32
Registration: Ends Oct. 2, 2009. Troop/group and/or individual. Troop/group must meet appropriate girl/adult ratio and girls registering individually must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Fri.-Sun.	Oct. 16-18, 2009	7:00 p.m.-10 a.m.	CD, SR, AM

Journey to the Silver and Gold – Adventure Walk Overnight

Spend the night with your friends learning about the new requirements for earning your Girl Scout Silver or Gold Award. Also find out about GSUSA *destinations* and how to apply to go on these exciting trips! Build new friendships while participating in team-building initiatives, cooperative games and experience the Adventure Walk—a low ropes course at Mary Ann Beebe Center. Don't forget about the fun pajama and pizza party followed by a sleepover in the Activity Center.

Location: Mary Ann Beebe Center
Harvard, IL
(Map will be sent to participants.)
Receive: Fun patch
Fee: \$12 per girl/\$10 per adult, space is limited
Bring: Water bottle, overnight gear and clothing
Min./Max.: 9/20
Registration: Ends September 25, 2009. Individual

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.-Sun.	Oct. 24-25, 2009	4:30-2:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

Dutch Oven Cooking

Experience the cooking of the old pioneers as you cook a meal using the campfire ovens (Dutch Ovens). Participants will learn the proper care of the Dutch Oven. Dinner will include meat, vegetables, biscuits and dessert.

Location: Camp Far Horizons
Hanover, IL
Receive: Dutch Oven fun patch
Fee: \$10 per girl
No fee for adults
Bring: A sack lunch and beverage.
Min./Max.: 20/60
Registration: Ends October 9, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Oct. 24, 2009	10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	JR, CA, SR, AM

Yoga Time

Looking for a workout that's easy to learn, requires little or no equipment, and soothes your soul while toning your body? Yoga may be just the ticket! This class is designed to introduce you to yoga—you will learn poses to build strength and flexibility in the body and relaxation techniques to calm the mind.

Location: GSNI Elgin Service Center
12N124 Coombs Rd.
Elgin, IL 60124

Fee: \$7.50 per girl
\$7.50 per adult (Leaders and parents are welcome to participate.)

Min./Max.: 10/40

Registration: Troop/group and/or Individual. Troops/groups registering are required to provide proper girl/adult ratio.

Note: Instructor Lisa Gniady developed the council's Yoga patch. She is also available to present Yoga instruction at your troop meeting (call 815-788-1803 or 847-867-8630). See her listing in the Community Resource Listing for complete information.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL	REG. DEADLINE
Tue.	Nov. 3, 2009	4:35-5:35 p.m.	CD, SR, AM	Oct. 20, 2009
Tue.	March 9, 2010	4:35-5:35 p.m.	CD, SR, AM	Feb. 23, 2010

Daisy's Closet

Time to clean out your Girl Scout closet! All levels of Girl Scouts are welcome to bring items and/or take items away! Craft supplies, program materials, patches, pins, books, etc. are accepted. Anything a leader can use! Help set up on Friday for first pick. Everything goes on Saturday.

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center
200 New Bond Street
Sugar Grove, IL

Fee: No charge

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Setup: Fri.	Nov. 6, 2009	4:00-6:00 p.m.	All ages
Event: Sat.	Nov. 7, 2009	9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	All ages
Setup: Fri.	Apr. 16, 2010	4:00-6:00 p.m.	All ages
Event: Sat.	Apr. 17, 2010	9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	All ages

Program Aide Training, Basic

Calling all teen leaders in grade 7 and up! This basic leadership training prepares you to work with younger Girl Scouts in the day/twilight camp setting, at service unit events, council events and other troop/group activities. In this training you will develop your teaching and communication skills. If you are looking to expand your leadership skills and love to learn and teach songs, games, and other activities, this may be the program for you!

Location: McHenry Bank & Trust
2730 W. Route 120
McHenry, IL

Earn & Receive: Program Aide Pin

Fee: \$10 per girl

Bring: Sack lunch, notebook, writing utensil and water bottle

Min./Max.: 10/30

Registration: Ends Oct. 21, 2009. Individual

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Nov. 7, 2009	9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

Law & Order

Tour of courthouse and jail, speak with judges, law librarian, and other courthouse and jail personnel, possible mock trial and forensic scientist to speak.

Location: Kane County Judicial Center, Kane County Jail
St. Charles, IL
Fee: TBA
Min./Max.: 10/TBA
Registration: Ends Oct. 26, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
TBA	Nov. 2009 TBA	TBA	JR, CD, SR, AM

Girl Scout Gold Award Training

Location: Freeport First Free Methodist Church
2157 Cardinal Drive
Freeport, IL
Fee: No charge

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL	REG. DEADLINE
Tue.	Nov. 10, 2009	6:00-8:00 p.m.	SR, AM	Nov. 3, 09
Sat.	Nov. 21, 2009	9:00-11:00 a.m.	SR, AM	Nov. 13, 09
Tue.	Apr. 13, 2010	6:00-8:00 p.m.	8th grade CD, SR, AM	Apr. 6, 10
Sat.	Apr. 17, 2010	9:00-11:00 a.m.	8th grade CD, SR, AM	Apr. 10, 10

Girl Scout Silver Award Training

Location: Freeport First Free Methodist Church
2157 Cardinal Drive
Freeport, IL
Fee: No charge

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL	REG. DEADLINE
Tue.	Nov. 10, 2009	6:00-8:00 p.m.	CD	Nov. 3, 09
Sat.	Nov. 21, 2009	9:00-11:00 a.m.	CD	Nov. 13, 09
Tue.	Apr. 13, 2010	6:00-8:00 p.m.	CD	Apr. 6, 10
Sat.	Apr. 17, 2010	9:00-11:00 a.m.	CD	Apr. 10, 10

Yoga Time

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Location: Mary Ann Beebe Center
Harvard, IL
(Map will be sent to participants.)
Fee: \$7.50 per girl
\$7.50 per adult (Leaders and parents are welcome to participate.)
Min./Max.: 10/45
Registration: Troop/group and/or Individual. Troops/groups registering are required to provide proper girl/adult ratio.
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Tue.	Nov. 10, 2009	4:35-5:35 p.m.	CD, SR, AM	Oct. 27, 2009
Tue.	March 2, 2010	4:35-5:35 p.m.	CD, SR, AM	Feb. 16, 2010

Indoor Climbing Gym

Boulders Climbing Gym in Madison, WI has over 8,000 square feet of sculpture climbing walls with some of the most varied and creative angles designed by Solid Rock Wall Systems. *Discover* the excitement of Rock climbing, *Connect* with other climbers, *Take Action* and accept the challenge of climbing. Learn and earn the Basics of Rock Climbing IP.

Location: Boulders Climbing Gym
3964 Commercial Ave.
Madison, WI

Earn and Receive: Basics of Rock Climbing IP

Fee: \$25 each climber (girls and adults)
Includes 2 hours of climbing and use of equipment and lunch with beverage

Bring: *Boulders Youth Waiver* signed by parent—required by Boulders !!!
All adults climbing must also sign a *Boulders Adult Waiver*.
(Both available on their Web site www.bouldersgym.com)
Wear comfortable clothes that you can move freely in and gym shoes !!
Non-perishable food item for local food pantry

Min/Max: 15/20

Registration: Ends Oct. 14, 2009. Troop, Group or Individual.

Day	Date	Time*	Level
Sat.	Nov. 14, 2009	10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

*Arrive and register by 10:15 a.m.; start climbing process at 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; lunch from 12:30 to 1:00 p.m.

Mirror/Mirror: Uniquely ME! Discover Your Inner Beauty Day

What does beauty mean to you! You will learn how to present yourself; introduce yourself with confidence; learn what body images and gestures say about yourself; how body language affects your communication; recognize your personal strengths and abilities; increase your self-esteem; understand social conceptions of beauty; be proud of who you are in relation to your family heritage and history.

Location: ACE (Academic Career Education) High School
3051 Rotary Road
Rockford, IL

Fee: \$12 per registered Girl Scout (girls and adults)

Min. /Max: 25/50

Registration: Ends Nov. 9, 2009. Individual or Troop

DAY	DATE	Time	LEVEL
Sat.	Nov. 21, 2009	1:00-4:00 p.m. (Check-in begins at 12:30 p.m.)	CD, SR, AM

The Wizard of Oz

There truly is no place like home as the greatest family musical of all time, the wonderful "Wizard of Oz," twists its way into Illinois! The entire family will be captivated as they travel down the Yellow Brick Road and beyond with Dorothy, Toto and their friends, the Cowardly Lion, Tin Man and Scarecrow.

Location: Paramount Theatre
8 E. Galena Blvd
Aurora

Fee: \$42.15 per person

Min./Max.: 50/75

Registration: Ends Nov. 14, 2009. All girls must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Nov. 28, 2009	2:00-4:30 p.m.	All ages

A Christmas Carol

This lavish musical theatre production is bursting with pageantry, laughter, gorgeous costumes and classic lines. Never has a theatrical performance embodied the warmth and joy of the season more brilliantly than this classic production. Audiences of all ages are transported on a magical journey right alongside Ebenezer Scrooge.

Location: Paramount Theatre
8 E. Galena Blvd.
Aurora, IL

Fee: \$15 per girl
\$22 per adult

Min./Max.: 50/75

Registration: Ends Nov. 22, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sun.	Dec. 6, 2009	3:00-5:30 p.m.	All ages

Senior Program Aide Training

Are you an experienced PA and in grade 9 or above? Are you ready for the next step? This leadership training builds on what you have experienced as a PA. Learn about the different leadership styles and find out your type. Take planning to the next level by learning how to create a budget, a program outline, a flier and how to make it happen.

Location: McHenry Bank & Trust
2730 W. Route 120
McHenry, IL

Earn & Receive: Senior Program Aide Pin

Fee: \$8 per girl

Bring: Sack lunch, notebook, writing utensil and water bottle

Min./Max.: 8/25

Registration: Ends Dec.16, 2009. Individual.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Jan. 9, 2010	10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	SR, AM

No-Mi-Limad Professional Dance Company Workshop

No-Mi-Limad Professional Dance Company will put on a private dance show for Girl Scouts. They perform live in Chicago and have been on WGN news! Watch them dance then you can ask them questions about what it's like to be a dancer. This is a special dance opportunity you don't want to miss!

Location: State Street Dance Studio
9 North Fourth St.
Geneva, IL

Fee: \$15 per girl
No fee for adults

Min./Max.: 10/50

Registration: Dec. 28, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sun.	Jan. 10, 2010	2:00-4:00 p.m.	All ages

Sleuth'n Around

Enjoy writing, acting, and suspense? Come for a weekend of fun! Meet a Girl Scout Gold Award recipient who is now an author of several books and edits graphic novels. Enjoy the drama as the mystery unfolds during dinner. Can you solve the case? Kick back and enjoy the cozy cabin.

Location: Camp Dean (Whispering Oaks Cabin)
Big Rock, IL
Fee: TBA
Min./Max.: 0/32
Registration: Ends Jan. 8, 2010

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Fri.-Sun.	Jan. 22-24, 2010	7:00 p.m.	SR, AM

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Earn & Receive: Program Aide Pin
Fee: \$10 per girl
Bring: Sack lunch, notebook, writing utensil and water bottle
Min./Max.: 10/30
Registration: Ends Jan. 6, 2010. Individual.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Jan. 23, 2010	9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

Basics of Crocheting

Learn the basic stitches of crocheting: Chain, single, double, and treble crochet. Each person will crochet a 10"x10" square and we will sew them together to create a large blanket. Blanket will be donated to charity.

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center
200 New Bond Street
Sugar Grove, IL
Earn: One requirement for Fashion Design.
Fee: \$5 per girl
No fee for adults
Min./Max.: 5/20
Registration: Ends Jan. 16, 2010. Troop/group and/or individual. Troop/group must meet appropriate girl/adult ratio and girls registering individually must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Jan. 30, 2010	1:00-3:30 p.m.	CA, SR, AM

Moscow Circus

This is excitement and entertainment that can only be created by some of the greatest circus performers on earth! Russian musicians, clowns and dancers will delight you with centuries old traditions and fables. The Moscow Circus allows audiences everywhere to experience one of the crown jewels of Russia's rich cultural heritage in an evening of unforgettable excitement with tumbling, strong men, aerialists, jugglers, and a dog that steals the show!

Location: Paramount Theatre
8 E. Galena Blvd.
Aurora, IL

Fee: \$20.40 per girl
\$24.65 per adult

Min./Max.: 50/75

Registration: Ends Jan. 24, 2010. All girls must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sun.	Feb. 7, 2010	3:00- 5:00 p.m.	All ages

Winter Fun Weekend

Whatever the weather does we will have fun. If there is just a little snow we will be downhill skiing at Chestnut Mountain. If there is a lot of snow we will be cross country skiing. We don't know until mother nature tells us on that weekend. What we do know there will be lots of fun.

Location: Camp Far Horizons
Hanover, IL

Earn & Receive: TBD

Fee: \$60
No fee for adults

Bring: Wear clothing appropriate for the out of doors, including gloves. Plus a sleeping bag.

Min. /Max.: 15/30

Registration: Ends Feb. 5, 2010

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Fri.-Sun.	Feb. 19-21, 2010	Fri., 7:00 p.m.- Sun., 4:00 p.m.	JR, CA, SR, AM

High School Musical Theater Dance Workshop

Come out and create a dance scene right from the movie! Bring your own hat, store bought or homemade, and dance the day away.

Location: State Street Dance Studio
9 North Fourth St.
Geneva, IL

Fee: \$15 per girl
No fee for adults.

Min./Max.: 10/50

Registration: Ends Feb. 6, 2010. Troop/group and/or individual. Troop/group must meet appropriate girl/adult ratio and girls registering individually must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Feb. 20, 2010	2:00-4:00 p.m.	All ages

Hip Hop the Real Deal

Alvin Mariez professional hip hop instructor who performed on MTV's America's Best Dance Crew will show you his amazing hip hop moves. You will dance away with a whole new dance!

Location: State Street Dance Studio
9 North Fourth St.
Geneva, IL

Fee: \$15 per girl
No fee for adults

Min./Max.: 10/50

Registration: Ends Feb. 21, 2010. Troop/group and/or individual. Troop/group must meet appropriate girl/adult ratio and girls registering individually must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sun.	Mar. 7, 2010	2:00-4:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

Program Aide Training, Basic and Outdoor Skills

Come spend the weekend at Mary Ann Beebe Center in Harvard to complete your PA Basic and Outdoor Skills Training. The basic leadership training prepares you to work with younger Girl Scouts in the day/twilight camp setting, at service unit events, council events and other troop/group activities. In this training you will develop your teaching and communication skills. You will then move outdoors to explore a variety of outdoor skills such as pitching a tent, fire-building, knots, outdoor cooking, cleaning and learn how to apply them when working with younger Girl Scouts. You will also have time to connect with new friends as you spend the night in the activity center.

Location: Mary Ann Beebe Center
Harvard, IL
(Map will be sent to participants.)

Earn & Receive: Program Aide Pin

Fee: \$22 per girl

Bring: Sack lunch (for Saturday), notebook, writing utensil, water bottle, overnight gear list will be included in confirmation

Min./Max.: 20/30

Registration: Ends Mar. 3, 2010. Individual.

Note: Saturday dinner and Sunday breakfast and lunch are included in fee

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.-Sun.	Mar. 20-21, 2010	9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

Me and My Guy

This is where you choose your favorite guy (dad, grandfather, uncle or friend—18 years or older) to go camping with. The guys will play games they haven't played since they were in the sixth grade. Eat over a camp fire.

Location: Camp Far Horizons
Hanover, IL

Receive: Fun patch

Fee: \$15 per couple, \$5 for additional girl

Bring: Wear clothing appropriate for the outdoors. Including gloves.

Min./Max.: 20/60

Registration: Ends Mar. 13, 2010

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	April 24, 2010	10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	JR, CA, SR, AM

Tool'n Around

Bring your hammer and pound some nails! Create a project for yourself and one for camp. Enjoy the sleeping cabins and bunkbeds. Cook outdoor and experience troop style camping.

Location: Camp Dean (Oak Grove, Sleeping Cabins)
Big Rock, IL
Fee: \$15 per person
Min./Max.: 10/40
Registration: Ends Apr. 16, 2010. Troop/group and/or individual. Troop/group must meet appropriate girl/adult ratio and girls registering individually must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Fri.	Apr. 30-May 10, 2010	7:00 p.m.-10 a.m.	JR, CD, SR, AM

Bridging Event

Join a service center-wide bridging ceremony where all eligible girls have the opportunity to bridge to the next level. Participants will receive bridging certificate membership star and memorial disk. Event will satisfy the bridging requirement of meeting with girls in the next level.

Location: Camp Dean
Big Rock, IL
Fee: \$2.50 per girl
No fee for adults.
Min./Max.: 50/200
Registration: Ends Apr. 26, 2010. Troop/group and/or individual. Troop/group must meet appropriate girl/adult ratio and girls registering individually must be accompanied by an adult.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	May. 10, 2010	1:00-3:00 p.m.	All ages

Become Camp's Top Chef

Experience cooking on a vagabond stove, do a trench fire. Use a box oven, a solar oven, know when and where you would use a buddy burner. You know your kitchen at home and how everything works, so let's create an outdoor kitchen that does the same things your home kitchen does.

Location: Camp Far Horizons
Hanover, IL

Earn & Receive: Juniors—Let's Get Cooking badge
Cadette, Seniors, Ambassadors—Creative Cooking interest project

Fee: \$10 per girl
No fee for adults

Bring: Wear clothing appropriate for the out of doors, including gloves.

Min./Max.: 20/60

Registration: Ends May 15, 2010

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Jun 5, 2010	10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	JR, CA, SR, AM

Connecting Girls to the Land

Girls will be learning more about our natural sand prairie at the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Refuge Educational Center. There is so much to learn about our Mississippi River and all the wildlife In and above the water. See how well our flowering plants are doing and all the colorful insects and butterflies the plants have drawn to our prairie. Look up and admire all the birds—eagles, Canadian Geese, hawks of many varieties and of coarse all the water fowl playing in the edge of the water.

Location: U.S.Fish & Wildlife Refuge Learning Center
7071 Riverview Rd.
Thomson, IL

Receive: Fun patch

Fee: \$5 per girl

Bring: A tote bag or backpack, long pants, long sleeve shirt, and water bottle. Dress for the weather, rain or shine, we are outside. Wear tennis shoes and socks. Snacks will be provided.

Min./Max.: 20/60 girls

Registration: Ends May 7, 2010. Individual and troop/group with form PRO426.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Jun. 5, 2010	9 a.m.-12 Noon	BR, JR, CA, SR, AM

Water Logged Weekend

Come jump in to the fun with a paddle. Flip a canoe, Do an Eskimo roll. Learn to rescue yourself and others at the river or lake. Earn your Red Cross Small Craft certification and maybe your Paddle, Pole and Roll.

Location: Camp Far Horizons
Hanover, IL 61041

Earn & Receive: Red Cross Small Craft or your Paddle, Pole and Roll.

Fee: \$60 per girl
No fee for adults

Bring: What you need for the weekend. Plus a sleeping bag, swim suit and an extra towel.

Min./Max.: 15/30

Registration: Ends May 8, 2010

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Fri.-Sun.	Jun. 4-6, 2010	Fri., 7:00 p.m.- Sun., 4:00 p.m.	JR, CA, SR, AM

Adventure Sports Weekend

Mountain biking differs from road cycling. You only need one paddle to kayak. End the weekend by rappelling off the camp's tower.

Location: Camp Far Horizons
Hanover, IL
Fee: \$60 per girl
No fee for adults
Bring: What you need for the weekend, including a sleeping bag.
Min./Max.: 15/30
Registration: Ends July 9, 2010

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Fri.-Sun.	Aug. 13-15, 2010	Fri., 7:00 p.m.- Sun., 4:00 p.m.	JR, CD, SR, AM

The Nutcracker Ballet

Enjoy this holiday tradition AND help fellow Girl Scouts. This special DRESS rehearsal performance of The Nutcracker Ballet for Girl Scout troops/groups and families comes to you at a reduced price. The dance company consists of professional performers, members of the community and the Barrington Youth Dance Ensemble. Following the performance, Girl Scouts will have the opportunity to meet some of the characters.

This event is also a money-earning project for six GSNI Girl Scouts who will travel to Canada in July 2010 and for the GSNI Girl Opportunity Fund.

Location: Barrington High School
Barrington, IL
Fee: \$14 per registered Girl Scout (girls/adults)
\$17 per non-registered Girl Scout
NO CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 5.
Patch: An optional patch is available for \$1
Min./Max.: 600 seats available
Registration: Ends Nov. 13, 2009
Note: The lobby will open at 5:45 p.m. The performance last approximately 2 1/2 hours and includes an intermission. Concessions will be available before and during the intermission; however, concession items are NOT allowed in the theater.

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Thu.	Dec. 3, 2009	6:30 p.m. curtain	DA, BR, JR, CD, SR, AM

American Red Cross Babysitting Course

This course provides 11-15 year olds with the knowledge, skills and confidence they need to be great babysitters, plus real-world experiences to help them develop their leadership and communication abilities. Its fun, fast paced with hands on activities, exciting video, role plays and lively discussion. Space is limited so sign up today!

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center
200 New Bond St.
Sugar Grove, IL
Fee: \$25 per girl
Min./Max.: 5/10

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL	REG. DEADLINE
Sat.	Dec. 5, 2009	8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Girl Scouts 11-15 years old	Nov. 19, 2009
Sat.	Feb. 6, 2010	8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Girl Scouts 11-15 years old	Jan. 21, 2010

American Red Cross - DOG First Aid

The goals of this course are to teach participants how to be prepared for emergencies that involve a dog and how to protect themselves and the animal from further harm, injury or suffering during emergencies by teaching prompt, effective first-aid actions and care. Space is limited, we encourage you to sign up today!

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center
200 New Bond St.
Sugar Grove, IL
Fee: \$20 per girl
Min./Max.: 5/10
Registration: Ends Nov. 19, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Tue.	Dec. 8, 2009	5:30-8:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

American Red Cross - CAT First Aid

The goals of this course are to teach participants how to be prepared for emergencies that involve a cat and how to protect themselves and the animal from further harm, injury or suffering during emergencies by teaching prompt, effective first-aid actions and care. Space is limited we encourage you to sign up today!

Location: GSNI Sugar Grove Service Center
200 New Bond St.
Sugar Grove, IL
Fee: \$20 per girl
Min./Max.: 5/10
Registration: Ends Nov. 19, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Wed.	Dec. 9, 2009	5:30-8:00 p.m.	CD, SR, AM

American Red Cross Babysitting Course

This class will provide you with the knowledge and skills necessary to safely and responsibly give care for children and infants. The training will help you develop leadership skills; learn how to develop a babysitting business, keep yourself and others safe, help children behave, and learn about basic child care and basic first aid.

Location: GSNI Elgin Service Center
12N124 Coombs Rd.
Elgin, IL
Fee: \$25 per girl
Min./Max.: 5/10
Registration: Ends Nov. 5, 2009

DAY	DATE	TIME	LEVEL
Sat.	Nov. 21, 09	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Girl Scouts 11-15 years old

Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois (GSNI) 2009-2010 Council Event Registration Information

Unless otherwise noted, registration for all events begins September 15, 2009.

HOW TO REGISTER: Complete a GSNI Council Event Registration Form. One form may be used to register the same girl for up to three activities (in the case of troop registration, the same group of girls).

If **registering as an individual**, you may include the registration form and payment for one buddy in the same envelope. **Check the program description to determine if adult chaperones are required to accompany girl participants.**

If **registering as a troop/group**, have each girl's parent complete a separate permission slip and bring them **WITH YOU** to the event. For most programs, **troops/groups must be accompanied by adults, meeting the proper girl/adult ratio. See individual program description.**

Troop registrations will keep all your girls together—all will get in or not get in. If you don't want any girls left out, troop registration is recommended.

Unless otherwise noted, registration for events are open for both troop/group and individual registration.

Registrations and payment may be:

- Completed online at www.girlscoutsni.org
- Mailed to the Elgin Service Center
- Hand delivered to any of GSNI's service centers during regular business hours. (GSNI is not responsible for forms dropped off when a center is closed.)

NOTE: Registrations are not accepted over the phone and no spots can be held without a paid registration.

However you choose to register, you must not register prior to the beginning registration date (September 15 for most events in the 2009-2010 program listing.)

Registrations postmarked, dropped off, or submitted online prior to the beginning registration date will receive a two-day penalty. (Held for two days after registration opens.)

If an event fills before the closing date of registration, registrations will be taken in the order of postmark, drop-off, or online submission date. If the number of registrations received on the same date exceeds the number of spaces in the event, registration from that date will be selected by lottery.

Registrations postmarked, dropped off, or submitted online after the close of registration will be accepted **ONLY** at the discretion of the VP of Program or her/his designee. Please **CALL** the program registrar for possible availability after the registration deadline has passed.

PAYMENT: Payment in full **MUST** be submitted with the registration. Cash, check, money order, VISA, MasterCard, Discover and/or "Cookie Dough"/"IRG Credits" are accepted. **Online registration requires credit card payment.** "Cookie Dough"/"IRG Credits" cannot be used with online payment.

CONFIRMATION: A registration confirmation will be sent to all participants shortly after the closing date of registration. If you have not received a confirmation (either via e-mail or US mail) five (5) days prior to the event, please call the program registrar.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: A limited amount of financial assistance is available. Girl participants may request up to \$15 twice a year for program financial assistance. If requesting financial assistance for a program event, submit a completed Financial Assistance request **WITH** the event registration form. The Financial Assistance form may be found on the GSNI Web site or contact the program registrar.

REFUND PROCEDURE:

- A full refund of the fee (including deposit) is made **ONLY** if a participant can't be placed in the program of her choice or if it is necessary for GSNI to cancel a program opportunity.
- A partial refund, cost of the event minus a \$5 processing fee or 1/2 the event fee for event's costing less than \$10, will be given *if requested in writing prior to the event deadline*. When requesting a refund, include the following information in an e-mail or letter to the program registrar: name and address of participant and name and date of event.
- **No refunds will be given after the event registration deadline.**

If a Girl Scout membership registration fee was paid, it is non-refundable.

CHAPERONES:

Adults accompanying participants may be responsible for:

- Assisting with program activities as requested by program facilitator.
- Administering any necessary disciplinary actions when behavior is disruptive. If behavior continues to disrupt, the workshop facilitator may alert the chaperones to have them handle the situation appropriately.

Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois Council Event Registration Form



Return with payment to: Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois
Elgin Service Center
12N124 Coombs Rd.
Elgin, IL 60124

OR

Register online at:
www.girlscoutsni.org

Volunteer's Name (if registering as a troop/group) _____

If registering as a troop, complete both front and back.

Girl's Name (if registering individually) _____

Parent/Guardian Name (if girl is registering individually) _____

Age _____ Grade _____ Troop/Group No. _____ OR _____ Juliette OR _____ Not registered as Girl Scout

Address _____ City/Zip _____

E-mail (PRINT) _____ Home Phone (_____)

Work Phone (_____) Cell Phone (_____)

PROGRAM INFORMATION		GIRL INFORMATION		ADULT INFORMATION		PAYMENT
Name of Program Event/Workshop	Date	Number of Girls	Fee per Girl	Number of Adults	Fee per Adult	
Adults staying should register; however, a fee is payable only if an adult fee is listed. In some cases, space may be limited.						TOTAL PAYMENT DUE

E-mail _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION Check/Money Order Cash Credit Card Cookie Dough/IRG Credits

Credit Card Information: Visa Mastercard Discover Expires _____

Card # _____ Signature _____

Cardholder's Name (PRINTED) _____

Cardholder's Address _____ City/Zip _____

Validation Code (LAST THREE NUMBERS ON THE BACK SIDE OF YOUR CARD, IN THE SIGNATURE BOX) _____

FOR STATISTICAL PURPOSES ONLY, WE REQUEST THAT YOU PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO RESPOND.

___ AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKAN ___ ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER ___ BLACK ___ WHITE ___ HISPANIC ORIGIN

If registering as a troop, turn over and complete back.

