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2008 Summer Opportunities





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Welcome to the 2008 summer program brochure—your one-stop shop for summer fun and adventure! Here you will find information on the following summer offerings:

CAMP POKONOKAH HILLS: Sybaquay's resident camp, located in northern Wisconsin, is about a six-hour driving distance from Elgin, Illinois. The camp is about 45 minutes north of Eau Claire, Wisconsin and is situated on 475 acres of deep woods, gently rolling hills and secluded lakes. We offer a variety of sessions for girls entering grades 4 to 12 in the fall of 2008, as well as opportunities for families, troops and "you & me" (girls accompanied by a female adult).

URBAN (U R Bound for Adventure and New experiences) PROGRAM: NEW this year, girls can choose from a variety of programs, many facilitated by resident camp staff but held closer to home. These URBAN programs include workshops, overnights, and day events.

TROOP TREK: Especially for troops embarking on their first camping adventure, this is a great opportunity to spend overnight at Sybaquay's Chapman Hills near East Troy, Wisconsin. A core staff of adults and program aides are on hand to assist troops with camping skills and provide a themed program. This summer's theme is Troop Trek Island Adventures.

Registration begins February 25, 2008. Registrations are processed based on **postmark date** or **online submission date stamp**. Please note that any registrations received or postmarked prior to that will be held until March 3, 2008, before being processed.

We reserve the right to alter activities and events at camp due to weather conditions or other safety issues. Our primary concern is your camper's safety. NO refunds or alteration in fees will be made for activities eliminated. (The exception would be if activities that require additional fees such as horseback riding were canceled, a portion of the fee would be refunded.)

Extended session discount! Want to spend more time at Camp Pokonokah Hills? Register for two consecutive sessions and receive a \$100 discount!

COLOR KEY:

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REGISTRATION PAGE INFORMATION

If eligibility is listed by grade, the activity is based on the grade participants enter in the fall of 2008.

REQUIRED PHYSICAL

Each participant under the age of 18 attending a session at Camp Pokonokah Hills is required to have a physical within 24 months prior to the camp session.

NON-GIRL SCOUTS

Non-Girl Scouts are welcome to attend age-appropriate program opportunities. A \$10 Girl Scout membership fee (to cover Girl Scout membership and insurance through September 30, 2008) must be included with the registration form(s). Please mark the appropriate box on the registration form.

DEPOSIT—POKONOKAH HILLS

A nonrefundable deposit of \$40 (per participant, per program) is required for any resident camp opportunity at Pokonokah Hills. The deposit should be sent in with the registration form(s). “Cookie Dough” and “J-Bucks” may **not** be used for the deposit. Balance of fees will be due June 1, 2008. *(All other events require full payment at time of registration.)*

METHODS OF PAYMENT

Payment may be made by cash, check, money order, MasterCard, Visa or Discover. (Online registration requires payment by credit card.)

“COOKIE DOUGH” AND “J-BUCKS”

Sybaquay “Cookie Dough” and “J-Bucks,” earned by girls through participation in council product sales, may be used toward fees (with the exception of deposits). For programs requiring deposits, these certificates may be mailed in to pay towards the remaining balance. For programs requiring full payment at time of registration, these certificates must be mailed in with the registration form. These certificates can not be used with online registration. If for some reason we are unable to place your daughter, her “Cookie Dough” / “J-Bucks” will be returned. Please check expiration date. Only non-expired certificates will be accepted.

URBAN opportunities

U R Bound for Adventure and New experiences

URBAN Program Registration

For all events, opens on February 25, 2008, and ends no later than two weeks prior to the event. All are open to both troop/group and/or individual registration.

Grades are based on grade entering in fall 2008.

LIGHTEN UP! (URBAN DISCOVER)

Ever wonder why the sky is blue or how a telescope works, why you are able to read this page or how music plays from your CD? The answers lie in optics—the science of light (and how it interacts with matter). Try your hand at numerous experiments that will help you answer these questions and more!

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
CADETTES	6-8	SAT.	JUNE 7	NOON-4 P.M.	BARRINGTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, BARRINGTON	\$15



FLAG DAY (URBAN CONNECT)

Spend the morning honoring one of the great symbols of our country—The American Flag. Learn about its history and meaning; do a patriotic craft and conduct a flag ceremony. Participants and their families are also invited to attend a Flag Day ceremony, which will include retiring American Flags, to be held at the Girl Scout Center after the workshop, beginning at 1 P.M.

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
BROWNIE	2-3	SAT.	JUNE 14	9 A.M.—NOON	VFW POST 1307, ELGIN	\$8
JUNIOR	4-5	SAT.	JUNE 14	9 A.M.—NOON	VFW POST 1307, ELGIN	\$8

Earn: WAVE THE FLAG TRY-IT (GS BROWNIE); UNITED WE STAND BADGE (GS JUNIOR)

OUTDOOR CHEF (URBAN DISCOVER)

Good bye hot dogs and hamburgers! Hello pizzas, éclairs, and Girl Scout cookie desserts! Explore cooking in the outdoors by learning how to use a Dutch Oven, Box Oven, Vagabond Stove and more! Finish the afternoon by sampling your creations.

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
JUNIOR	4-5	MON.	JUNE 23	10 A.M.—3 P.M.	MORRAINE HILLS, McHENRY	\$20
JUNIOR	4-5	SAT.	AUG. 2	10 A.M.—3 P.M.	JAMES "PATE" PHILLIPS STATE PARK, BARTLETT	\$20

Earn: OUTDOOR COOK BADGE

MYSTERY CRIME LAB OVERNIGHT (URBAN DISCOVER)

The Discovery Center Museum has been robbed! Use forensic science to uncover the clues and determine who done it! Then have the opportunity to explore the museum after hours!

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
DAISY-	1-5	FRI.-	JUNE 27-	IN 6:30 P.M.	DISCOVERY CENTER	\$28.50 PER GIRL
JUNIOR		SAT.	JUNE 28	OUT 9 A.M.	MUSEUM, ROCKFORD	\$17 PER ADULT

Note: TROOPS MUST MEET GIRL/ADULT RATIO. INDIVIDUALS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY FEMALE ADULT.

LISTENING TO THE PAST (URBAN CONNECT)

Imagine everyone in your school having class in the same room! For students attending school in 1900, that's how it was. Visit an actual one-room school house and learn about the past as you play the role of an American girl in the early 1900s.

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
BROWNIE	2-3	MON.	JULY 7	9 A.M.-NOON	BLACKWELL HISTORY OF ED. MUSEUM NIU, DeKALB	\$5
BROWNIE	2-3	MON.	JULY 7	1-4 P.M.	BLACKWELL HISTORY OF ED. MUSEUM NIU, DeKALB	\$5

Earn: LISTENING TO THE PAST TRY-IT

PANWAPA EXPLORATION (URBAN TAKE ACTION)

Step ashore on the island of Panwapa. During your visit you will explore people, languages, and traditions from around the world. You will also learn ways you can do good for others, as well as be responsible for yourself. This workshop is based on the Panwapa program developed by Sesame Workshop and Merrill Lynch.

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
DAISY	1	SAT.	JUNE 28	9:30-11:30 A.M.	SCOUT CABIN, BARRINGTON	\$10
DAISY	1	SAT.	JUNE 28	1-3 P.M.	SCOUT CABIN, BARRINGTON	\$10
DAISY	1	FRI.	AUG. 1	9-11 A.M.	THE HOLLOWES, CARY	\$10
DAISY	1	FRI.	AUG. 1	9-11 A.M.	LIONS PARK, DeKALB	\$10
DAISY	1	THURS.	AUG. 7	9-11 A.M.	McHENRY TOWNSHIP PARK, JOHNSBURG	\$10

CHICAGO MYSTERY TOUR (URBAN DISCOVER)

We can't tell you where you're going but we can tell you to be ready for a day of exploring Chicago. You'll view it, do it, taste it and walk it. You may not know where you're going but it's sure to be fun. So grab a friend or two and be ready for a great time!

Age	Day	Date	Location/Time	Fee
GIRLS 14-17	THURS.	JULY 24	TRAVEL BY TRAIN FROM ELGIN, ARRIVE IN CHICAGO 1 P.M., RETURN 10 P.M. (TIMES APPROX. EXACT TIMES SENT IN CONFIRMATION)	\$45
GIRLS 11-14	THURS.	AUG. 7	TRAVEL BY BUS FROM GIRL SCOUT CENTER, LEAVE 9 A.M., RETURN 5 P.M.	\$45

CAMPING WITH YOGI (URBAN DISCOVER)

Pack up your sleeping bag and head out to Jellystone Park in Amboy for three days of fun in the sun! Choose from swimming, mini-golfing, hayrides, crafts and more! Plus, spend two nights under the stars in tents.

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
JUNIOR	4-5	TUE.-THURS.	JULY 29-31	4 P.M. CHECK IN 3 P.M. CHECK OUT	O'CONNELL'S JELLYSTONE PARK CAMP-RESORT, AMBOY, IL	\$100

ECO-ART (URBAN TAKE ACTION)

Improve your relationship with the natural world. Explore nature, learn about actions you can take to keep our world healthy and get creative to make some "trashy" art that makes a statement.

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
JUNIOR	4-5	FRI.	AUG. 1	12-4 P.M.	THE HOLLOWES, CARY	\$15
BROWNIE	2-3	FRI.	AUG. 1	5-7 P.M.	THE HOLLOWES, CARY	\$10
JUNIOR	4-5	FRI.	AUG. 1	12-4 P.M.	LIONS PARK, DeKALB	\$15
BROWNIE	2-3	FRI.	AUG. 1	5:30-7:30 P.M.	LIONS PARK, DeKALB	\$10
JUNIOR	4-5	THURS.	AUG. 7	12-4 P.M.	McHENRY TOWNSHIP PARK, JOHNSBURG	\$15
BROWNIE	2-3	THURS.	AUG. 7	5:30-7:30 P.M.	McHENRY TOWNSHIP PARK, JOHNSBURG	\$10

Earn: ECO-EXPLORER TRY-IT (GS BROWNIE); ECO-ACTION BADGE (GS JUNIOR)

BASIC OUTDOOR SKILLS (URBAN DISCOVER)

Fires, knots, first-aid—oh my! Begin to learn the basic outdoor skills needed for camping in the out-of-doors. There will also be time to learn some of our camp staff's favorite camp songs!

Age	Grades	Day	Date	Time	Location	Fee
DAISY/	1-3	SAT.	AUG. 2	9 A.M.—NOON	INDIAN OAKS PARK, MARENGO	\$10
BROWNIE		SAT.	AUG. 2	1:30—4:30 P.M.	INDIAN OAKS PARK, MARENGO	\$10

Earn: 8-BASICS SKILLS PATCH



CAMPTIVITIES (URBAN DISCOVER)

Camp Pokonokah Hills staff is heading south from the northwoods to bring a taste of resident camp to you. During this 3-day day camp, you will participate in some of the same activities that girls attending "Pokie" do, but right here in Illinois. You will choose from activities such as arts & crafts, nature exploration, games, sports, fire building, outdoor cooking, and for Junior Girl Scouts, archery.

Age	Grades	Days	Date	Time	Location	Fee
DAISY-	1-5	MON.—	AUG. 4-6	9 A.M.—	MARY ANN BEEBE CENTER,	\$45*
JUNIOR		WED.		4:30 P.M.	HARVARD	

*FEE INCLUDES LUNCH ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. BRING SACK LUNCH ON MONDAY.

TROOP TREK

TROOP TREK ISLAND ADVENTURES (TROOP TREK DISCOVER)

Chapman Hills will be turned into an island paradise for these weekend troop camping experiences. A core staff of volunteers will provide an adventure to fill your stay with fun and laughter. And it's a great place to begin learning the basics of camping such as fire building and outdoor cooking!

Session 1: June 20-22 Session 2: July 11-13 Session 3: July 18-20

Troop Trek is a troop camping experience. Leaders of troops with third grade Girl Scout Brownies and fourth and fifth grade Girl Scout Juniors will receive a Troop Trek flier and registration at February service unit meetings.

New! TROOP TREK YOU AND ME (TROOP TREK DISCOVER)

Are you a Juliette or maybe your troop is not into camping? Then the NEW Troop Trek You & Me opportunity might be just what you're looking for. Use registration form in this packet to register for Troop Trek You & Me.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4–6 accompanied by an adult female
Date: June 20–22; check-in Fri. 2 P.M., check-out Sun. 10 A.M.
Location: Chapman Hills, East Troy, WI
Fee: \$40 per person (includes 1 meal Fri., 3 meals Sat., 1 meal Sun.)



CAMP POKONOKAH HILLS 2008 AT A GLANCE

June 20-23	June 23-26	June 26-29	June 29-July 2	July 7-10	July 10-13	July 13-16	July 20-23	July 23-26
EVERYTHING IN COLOR! Grades 4-6	BELOW THE SURFACE Grades 4-6	CAMP LIKE CRAZY Family	PLAN IT ALL! Grades 4-6	CAMP QUEST Grades 4-6	MAIDEN VOYAGERS Grades 4-6	PLAN IT ALL! Grades 6-8	CAMP QUEST Grades 4-6	CREATIVE CHEF Grades 4-6
MAIDEN VOYAGERS Grades 6-8	ARTASTIC! Grades 6-8		CAMP QUEST Grades 6-8		WILDERNESS WOMAN Troop/You & Me Grades 6-12	EXPRESS YOURSELF Grades 9-12	TEAM CHALLENGE Grades 6-8	INVENTION CONVENTION Grades 6-8
CREATIVE CHEF Grades 6-8	MAIDEN VOYAGERS Grades 9-12	HAMMER & NAIL Family	WHITE WATER X-PERIENCE Grades 6-8	NANCY DREW & THE MALL MYSTERY Grades 6-12	WILD WOMEN RIDERS Grades 8-12		TRAILBLAZERS Grades 6-8	APOSTLE ISLAND Grades 9-12
WILD WOMEN RIDERS Grades 8-12			STARGAZERS Grades 9-12		COUNSELOR IN TRAINING I & II Grades 9-12			
JUNIOR COUNSELOR Grades 11-12								

CAMP POKONOKAH HILLS 2008 SESSION OPPORTUNITIES

All resident camp sessions include traditional camp activity choices as well as theme-based activities. Traditional camp activities girls can choose from include swimming, boating, archery, crafts, campfires, and more. Resident camp fees include round-trip transportation between Elgin and Pokonokah Hills.

EVERYTHING IN COLOR! (POKIE CONNECT)

Summer is here and the colors are endless! Take the time to make everything you see at camp into an artistic creation! Paint the beautiful trees or lake, decorate a journal with dried flowers, make sand candles or even make a giant piece of art with your camp friends!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: June 20-23

Fee: \$260

MAIDEN VOYAGERS (POKIE DISCOVER)

Are you a water-lover? Then come and experience all the boating opportunities CPH has to offer! Practice small craft safety and take your pick of canoeing, sailing, kayaking and row boating. An end to this awesome week will have you building your own boat and participating in a boat race.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: June 20-23

Fee: \$260

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 9-12

Date: June 23-26

Fee: \$260

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: July 10-13

Fee: \$260

CREATIVE CHEF (POKIE DISCOVER)

Put your passion for food to use in this creative cooking course! Not only will you have the opportunity to cook indoors AND outdoors over a fire, you will also get to help plan your menus, cook a dish for camp, and learn about healthy eating.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: June 20-23

Fee: \$260

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: July 23-26

Fee: \$260

JUNIOR COUNSELOR (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

Calling all leaders! We are looking for positive role models who have completed Senior Program Aide Training or Counselor-In-Training II and are looking to put those leadership skills to use working as part of the camp team. This leadership opportunity involves working with younger campers, helping plan activities and programs, and being a general support for the camp team. Stipend: \$150 for coming back and helping during a 4-day session

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 11-12

Date: June 20-26

Fee: \$350

WILD WOMEN RIDERS (POKIE CONNECT)

Are you an experienced horseback rider? Put your skills to use as you learn about appropriate gear, how to care for your horse and tack on the trail as you prepare for a trail ride that has you camping out on the trail. Enjoy a cook-out and campfire with s'mores as you pitch a tent & sleep out under the stars!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 8-12

Date: June 20-26

Fee: \$480

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 8-12

Date: July 10-16

Fee: \$480

ARTASTIC! (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

Find your inner artist! Learn about different women artists and the kind of art they love! Watercolor painting, photography, knitting, multi-media projects and more—choose which activities you want to do!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: June 23-26

Fee: \$260

BELOW THE SURFACE (POKIE DISCOVER)

Explore the lakes at CPH! Have a blast swimming, boating, cray fishing and learning water safety techniques. Check out the awesome creatures that live below the surface, and at the end of your week participate in water Olympics!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: June 23-26

Fee: \$260

PLAN IT ALL! (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

What if you had the chance to plan activities at camp?! This session gives you the opportunity to choose activities you'd like to plan for camp and your group. An all-camp scavenger hunt, beach parties at the lake, Crazy-Hair-Day... the possibilities are endless and you get to plan them!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: June 29-July 2

Fee: \$260

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: July 13-July 16

Fee: \$260

CAMP QUEST (POKIE DISCOVER)

Do you love archery? Or maybe crafts are your thing? Whatever your specialty may be, come and choose from tons of camp activities at CPH such as swimming, boating, archery, crafts, drama, nature exploration and more! This session will have you experiencing the best that camp has to offer.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: June 29-July 2

Fee: \$260

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: July 7-10

Fee: \$260

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 4-6

Date: July 20-23

Fee: \$260

WHITE WATER X-PERIENCE (POKIE DISCOVER)

Are you ready for an adventure? Practice your water skills at camp and then grab your gear and ride the rapids on this white water rafting day trip! Take this adventure to the next level as you spend the night cooking your dinner over a fire and pitching a tent under the stars.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: June 29-July 2

Fee: \$340

STARGAZERS (POKIE DISCOVER)

Experience the wonders of camp... at night! Practice your stargazing skills, plan a night hike, make dream catchers or have a pajama party. Stay up late and sleep in—you create your own schedule! Explore all the great night-time activities you can do at camp!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 9-12

Date: June 29-July 2

Fee: \$260

NANCY DREW & THE MALL MYSTERY (POKIE CONNECT)

Looking for a mystery? Then get ready for a 2-day mall scavenger hunt as you play Nancy Drew, locate your favorite stores, check out an amusement park and sleep with the sharks at the Underwater Adventure Aquarium—all at the Mall of America!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-12 **Date:** July 7-10 **Fee:** \$450

COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING I (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

Learn and develop your skills in designing program, teaching and leading songs and games, outdoor skills and take a behind the scenes look at what it takes to be a camp counselor and make camp run smoothly. This outdoor leadership opportunity offers young women the chance to be a positive role model for younger girls and connect with our camp community.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 10-12 **Date:** July 7-16 **Fee:** \$500

COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING II (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

Are you looking to further your camp counselor skills? CIT II offers young women the opportunity to continue your skills gained in CIT I by a more direct involvement in a leadership role with the campers by planning all camp activities and setting up girl-planned programs. You will shadow administrative staff members and have the opportunity to concentrate in a specific area such as counseling staff, waterfront staff, or other positions and areas on camp.

Note: *Please note that the prerequisite for CIT II is successful completion of CIT I.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 10-12 **Date:** July 7-16 **Fee:** \$500

EXPRESS YOURSELF! (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

Get your creative energy flowing by choosing from tons of creative arts activities. Watercolor painting, underwater basket weaving, drama, music appreciation, journal-making and so much more! As a group put together an art project to leave your mark at camp!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 9-12 **Date:** July 13-16 **Fee:** \$260

TEAM CHALLENGE (POKIE CONNECT)

Be a part of the ultimate team by completing teambuilding activities in a group. Participate in your own triathlon course filled with kayaking, biking, running or anything else you design. You can even plan a team relay for all of camp to experience!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8 **Date:** July 20-23 **Fee:** \$260

INVENTION CONVENTION (POKIE DISCOVER)

Crazy about inventing? Then put your ideas to work using recycled materials as you create your very own invention! Learn a little about women inventors, famous inventions and come up with a name for your own invention. You will get to test out everyone's crazy concoctions at our camp invention convention!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8 **Date:** July 23-26 **Fee:** \$260

FAMILY CAMP AND TROOP/YOU & ME

TRAILBLAZERS (POKIE CONNECT)

Can you survive the out-of-doors? Spend two days learning about beginning backpacking and outdoor living skills like how to pack your gear, plan a menu, firebuilding and Leave No Trace. End your adventure with an overnight backpacking trip that you get to plan!

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 6-8

Date: July 23-26

Fee: \$260

APOSTLE ISLAND EXPLORER (POKIE CONNECT)

Are you ready for an amazing kayak adventure? Pack your gear and head out to the Apostle Islands where you will learn advanced kayak techniques, water safety and rescue skills. Explore the beauty of Lake Superior kayaking along these awesome waters.

Who: Girl Scouts entering grades 9-12

Date: July 23-26

Fee: \$340

CAMP LIKE CRAZY (POKIE DISCOVER)

Spend some time with your family at camp! Choose from all the activities that CPH has to offer! Swimming, boating, arts and crafts, creative dramatics, hiking, outdoor cooking, cray fishing and more! This session will have you experiencing the best activities that camp has to offer.

Who: Family

Date: June 26-29

Fee: \$190 per person

Note: Must meet girl/adult ratio specified in *Safety-Wise*

HAMMER & NAIL (POKIE TAKE ACTION)

Grab your family or special adult and put your hands to good use! Get hands-on experience using different kinds of tools—a saw, hammer, screw driver—and then use those tools to create something for camp! This is your opportunity to leave your mark at CPH!

Who: Family

Date: June 26-29

Fee: \$190 per person

Note: Must meet girl/adult ratio specified in *Safety-Wise*

NANCY DREW & THE MALL MYSTERY (POKIE CONNECT)

Looking for a mystery? Then get ready for a 2-day mall scavenger hunt as you play Nancy Drew, locate your favorite stores, check out an amusement park and sleep with the sharks at the Underwater Adventure Aquarium—all at the Mall of America!

Who: Troop/You & Me

Date: July 20-23

Fee: \$450 per person

Note: Must meet girl/adult ratio specified in *Safety-Wise*

WILDERNESS WOMAN (POKIE CONNECT)

Grab your favorite female adult and learn basic backpacking skills that will help you pack for a challenging 2-day trip. You will enjoy adventurous hikes, beautiful sights and put your outdoor living skills to use. Have fun planning your menus, scheduling your days, preparing your meals over a campfire and sleeping in a tent pitched under the stars.

Who: Troop/You & Me for Girl Scouts entering grades 6-12

Date: July 10-13

Fee: \$190 per person

Note: Must meet girl/adult ratio specified in *Safety-Wise*

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance for program opportunities costing \$10 or more is available for any Sybaquay Council girl member who has financial need. Financial assistance is also given for other special considerations such as: a girl from a family where there are many children, a girl who carries a great deal of responsibility at home and needs to have a chance to have some fun away from home, illness or other unfortunate circumstances which have occurred in the girl's family. Each family is expected to pay the \$40 deposit fee (for resident camp), use any "Cookie Dough"/"J-Bucks," and pay as much of the fee as possible. For opportunities with a fee greater than \$10 but less than \$100, each family is expected to pay at least half of the fee. Because of limited council funds, and to enable as many Girl Scouts as possible to attend summer opportunities, it is possible that only a portion of the amount requested may be given. Financial assistance applications are kept completely confidential.

CANCELLATIONS

We reserve the right to cancel any opportunity if a minimum is not met. In the case of resident camp, we will attempt to place campers in their second or third choice. **Resident camp session cancellations will be determined by May 1, 2008.**

REFUND PROCEDURE

1. A full refund of the fee (including deposit) is made ONLY if a participant cannot be placed in program of her choice or if it

is necessary for Sybaquay Council to cancel a program opportunity.

2. A partial refund will be considered only if the participant cancels due to illness or other extenuating family circumstances. (The \$40 deposit for resident camp is nonrefundable.)
3. All requests for refunds must be made prior to the opportunity in writing. (If time does not allow, a phone call followed up with a written letter is allowable.) Refund requests will be reviewed at the end of each month and, if approved, refunds will be mailed mid-month. For all opportunities there is a minimum \$5 processing fee (per person). When requesting a refund, include the following: name and address of participant(s) registered for the event, name and date of program opportunity, reason for requesting refund (if medical reason, include doctor's note), name of person requesting the refund with phone number, and if phone call was made, name of staff person spoken with. *Incomplete requests will not be considered.*
4. In all cases, the \$10 Girl Scout registration fee is non-refundable.

DISCOUNTS—POKONOKAH HILLS

- \$100 discount for a camper attending two consecutive sessions.
- One-time only family discount of \$50* if same girl attends two non-consecutive sessions, or two or more family members attending the same session.

**Cannot be used in conjunction with \$100 discount.*

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FORM

If applying for financial assistance, this application form **must be submitted with the registration forms and:**

For Camp Pokonokah Hills session(s), the deposit(s)—(\$40 per participant, per session).

For URBAN Programs, payment of family portion.

Applications remain strictly confidential. The parent/guardian will be notified by mail as soon as the decision regarding the request has been made. Each family is expected to pay a portion of the fees. Applications will not be considered unless all the information is supplied.

Date _____ Service unit _____ Level/Tr # _____
 Camper's name _____ Parent/Guardian's name _____
 Address _____ City/Zip _____
 Day phone _____ Evening phone _____ Birthdate _____ Grade (upcoming fall) _____
 # of dependents in family _____ Leader's name _____
 Total family income
 ___ under \$10,000 ___ \$10,000-\$20,000 ___ \$21,000-\$35,000 ___ \$36,000-\$60,000 ___ \$61,000-\$80,000 ___ over 80,000

Name of session/program _____ Date of session/program _____

Cost of session/program	\$ _____
Subtract resident camp deposit (<i>must be paid with registration</i>)	\$ _____
Subtract "Cookie Dough"/ "J-Bucks" (<i>if any</i>)	\$ _____
Subtract what family can pay (<i>excluding deposit</i>)	\$ _____
Financial need	\$ _____

Is your daughter applying for any other assistance?	
Day Camp	yes/no
Troop Trek?	yes/no
STUDIO 2B _{SM} destinations	yes/no
Resident Camp	yes/no
URBAN opportunity	yes/no

Please complete the following questions: (must be completed for consideration)

1. Describe specific reasons for requesting financial assistance.

2. Why does your daughter want to attend camp?

SUMMER PROGRAM REGISTRATION FORM PART I *This form can be photocopied and mailed to Program Registrar, Girl Scouts - Sybaquay Council, 12N124 Coombs Rd., Elgin, IL 60124 or register online at <www.gs-sybaquay.org> . Please print.*

Girl's name _____ Parent/Guardian name _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Home phone _____ Parent/Guardian's cell or work phone _____
 Girl's age _____ Grade entering in Fall 2008 _____ Are you a registered GS: yes/no _____ Troop # _____ or _____ Juliette

Family/ Troop Programs	Session/Program name/date _____		
	Adult contact information if different from above: Name _____		
	Address _____ City _____ Day phone _____ Evening phone _____		
	Names of Participants _____	girl/adult	If adult, relationship to girl _____
	<i>(attach additional</i> _____	girl/adult	If adult, relationship to girl _____
	<i>sheet if needed)</i> _____	girl/adult	If adult, relationship to girl _____
	_____	girl/adult	If adult, relationship to girl _____
Number of participants _____ x deposit = _____			
Number of participants _____ x fee = _____			

Resident Camp	Session Selection:		
	Program #1	1st choice program name _____	Date _____ Fee _____
		2nd choice program name _____	Date _____ Fee _____
	Program #2	1st choice program name _____	Date _____ Fee _____
		2nd choice program _____	Date _____ Fee _____
	Buddy Information: My camper would like to be in the same session as: _____ <i>(List only ONE BUDDY and make sure the friend is attending the same session, program and camp, and that she indicates your camper's name as a buddy preference on her application.) Submit both applications together.</i>		

REGISTRATION FORM PART II If registering as a troop, include list of girls, and/if applicable adults, attending.

URBAN Programs	Program Information			Girl Information		Adult Information		Payment
	Name of Program Event/Workshop	Location	Date	# of Girls	Fee per Girl	# of Adults	Fee per Adult	Total Due
	Total Payment Due:							

Payment Information	Fees		Pokonokah discounts (if applicable)		Payments made with registration		
	Camp Pokonokah Hills _____	_____	\$100 Consecutive session _____	_____	Camp Pokonokah Hills Deposit _____	_____	_____
	URBAN Program _____	_____	\$50 Family _____	_____	Additional Pokonokah Payment _____	_____	_____
	Troop Trek You & Me _____	_____			URBAN Program _____	_____	_____
	*\$10 non-Girl Scout registration fee _____	_____	Total discounts _____	_____	Troop Trek You & Me _____	_____	_____
	<i>(due with intitial payment, if applicable)</i> _____	_____	Fees - Discounts = _____	_____	\$10 non-Girl Scout Registration _____	_____	_____
Total fees _____	_____			Total Amount Enclosed _____	_____	_____	

Payment methods:
 Cash _____ "Cookie Dough" _____ "J-Bucks" _____ Personal Check _____ Money Order _____
 And/or please charge my: MASTERCARD VISA DISCOVER Amount to be charged: _____
 Account Number _____ Expiration Date _____ Validation Code _____
 Cardholder's Name (Printed) _____ Cardholder's Address _____
 Cardholder's Signature _____

**Membership registration fee: Girl participants who are not currently registered Girl Scouts pay a one-time \$10 membership fee which registers them as a member through Sept. 30, 2008.*