

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE - SUMMER CAMP

ALL INFORMATION WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL

While funds are available, assistance will be considered on a needs-base. Assistance is based on full program fee. One program with maximum of 2-weeks will be considered. Longer running programs will be adjusted accordingly. This form must accompany the registration form and \$20.00 deposit. All recipients agree to send a thank you note after camp. You may request to remain anonymous. Notes may be made available to our donors, or used in other ways deemed appropriate by GSOFACT.

Mail completed form with camp registration to:
Girl Scouts of Connecticut
Attn: Registration Dept.
20 Washington Avenue
North Haven, CT 06473
Phone (203) 239-2922 Fax (203) 234-6828

Girl Information						
Girl Name	Grade (2012 - 2013) _____ Date of Birth _____					
Mailing Address	City _____ ST _____ Zip _____					
Phone _____	Girl Scout Grade Level <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> J <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Non Girl Scout					
Participated in Council Product Sales Yes No If no, why not?						
Family Information (Single-parent families should list only the custodial parent.)						
Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Email _____					
Employed by	Title/Occupation _____					
Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Email _____					
Employed by	Title/Occupation _____					
Work Phone _____	Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____					
Active duty military parent/guardian? Yes No						
# Children _____	Ages _____ # Other dependents _____					
Do you receive any of the following? (Circle all that apply.) AFDC SSI Social Security Housing subsidy Subsidized meals						
Gross Family Income						
\$0-\$24,999	\$25,000-\$34,999	\$35,000-\$44,999	\$45,000-\$54,999	\$55,000-\$64,999	\$65,000-\$74,999	\$75,000 & above
Please check boxes below for extra expenses which affect your financial needs. <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Dental <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Education <input type="checkbox"/> Debt <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of Job <input type="checkbox"/> Disability <input type="checkbox"/> Other Please explain: _____						
Girl's Statement: I want to go to camp because... _____ _____						
Camp Information (summer camp deducted from invoice)						
Name of Camp	Name of Program	Session Dates	Total Cost of Activity	Amount from Other Sources (i.e. family or applicant)	Amount Requesting	Amount Approved
I have read the guidelines above, and all of the information I have listed is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I will be held financially responsible for any fees not covered by approved financial assistance. I promise to send a thank you note after my child attends camp.						
Parent/Guardian Signature _____					Date _____	

Thank you. You will receive a confirmation that a space has been reserved for your camper. A second confirmation will be sent showing your financial assistance award.

If you choose not to accept the award and attend summer camp, please notify registration@gsofct.org immediately.

For Office Use Only

Total approved _____ Processed by _____ Date _____ Award _____ Processed by _____ Date _____



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North Haven, CT 06473
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International Camporee | August 5-11, 2012

Girl Scout Promise

On my honor, I will try:
To serve God and my country,
To help people at all times,
And to live by the Girl Scout Law.

La Promesa de las Girl Scouts

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

Girl Scout Law

I will do my best to be honest and fair, friendly and helpful, considerate and caring, courageous and strong, and responsible for what I say and do, and to respect myself and others, respect authority, use resources wisely, make the world a better place, and be a sister to every Girl Scout.

La Ley de las Girl Scouts

Yo me esforzaré por Ser honrada y justa cordial y servicial, considerada y compasiva, valiente y fuerte, y responsable de lo que digo y hago, y por respetarme a mí misma y a los demás respetar la autoridad usar los recursos de manera prudente, hacer del mundo un lugar mejor, y ser hermana de cada una de las Girl Scouts.

Celebrate Girl Scouts' 100th Anniversary with our sisters from around the world!



International Camporee August 5-11, 2012

Join us for a once-in-a-lifetime event! The International Camporee will gather Girl Scouts and Girl Guides from all around the world to share ideas, cultures, and friendship. Make new friends while enjoying your favorite camp activities and work together to change the world!

Four ways to participate!

Choose to participate as a full-week resident camper, attend for the week during the day only, go to Camp Pataganett with your troop for a three-day taster, or attend our Visiting Day on August 8! Everyone will celebrate our 100 years of Girl Scouting, develop new friendships while enjoying a wide variety of activities, and much more!

Change the World - One Meal at a Time!





INTERNATIONAL CAMPOREE INFORMATION

This year's event will focus on "Changing the World – One Meal at A Time!" Girls will learn about nutrition, food sources, and world food supplies, and how they can change the world. A Girl Forum will meet daily and work to contribute to the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts' (WAGGGS) position on nutrition – everyone has the right to food.

Favorite camping activities such as swimming, crafts, and field games are part of the fun as girls celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Girl Scouting. Come join us at Camp Laurel in Lebanon for an unforgettable week!

Resident Participants

Individual girls entering 5th grade and older at the time of the event may attend and will be supervised by adult volunteers.

Amazing evening programs and opportunities just for our resident campers!

COST: \$495 per camper, from Sunday, August 5, 2:00 p.m. – Saturday, August 11, 10:00 a.m.

(Includes accommodations, meals, activities, T-shirt, and event patch)

Activities include: Boating, archery, science and nature activities, singing, theme-related field trips, vegetable and herb gardening, horseback riding, and more! Girls will leave with practical skills to affect change in their own communities.

Three-Day Taster

Interested in the event but can't commit to a full week at Camp Laurel? Come to our **International Camporee Taster at Camp Pataagansett!**

Tuesday, August 7, 10:00 a.m. – Thursday, August 9, 4:00 p.m. – Arrive at Camp Pataagansett at 10:00 a.m. and settle into your unit. Outdoor program activities include swimming, boating, crafts, tower climbing, and adventure-based activities.

Troops will have their own mini-adventure traveling by bus to Camp Laurel on Visiting Day and enjoy many other fun activities at Camp Pataagansett.

Girl Scout Brownies and older are welcome. Each Troop must meet the Safety Activity Checkpoint ratio. Additional adults pay a per-camper fee. One adult must have the appropriate outdoor skills and camping training.

COST: \$290 per camper (Includes accommodations, meals, equipment, activities, day trip to Visiting Day at Camp Laurel, t-shirt, and event patch)

Visiting Day

Only able to attend one day? Don't miss the **International Camporee Visiting Day Wednesday, August 8, from 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.!**

An open-house event, where everyone from Daisies to Ambassadors, families, alumnae, and Girl Scout friends can meet our international guests, taste international food, and watch stage shows throughout the day. Parking available off-site with shuttle buses to camp that will allow us to host hundreds of guests! Bring your SWAPS as there will be time for swapping. Local restaurants will have food to sample and/or purchase and traditional camp activities, such as boating and sports, will be available.

The Camp Laurel Trading Post will be open to purchase souvenirs.

COST: \$20 per person, payment in full required at time of registration. (Includes food samples, fun, and entertainment)

SCHEDULE:

Wednesday, August 1 – International participants, most of whom are traveling in patrols, arrive and go to their Host Family homes.

Saturday, August 4 – International participants attend special events planned by Service Units.

Sunday, August 5 – Resident camp participants arrive at Camp Laurel.

Tuesday, August 7 – Three-day Taster participants arrive at Camp Pataagansett.

Wednesday, August 8 – International Camporee Visiting Day at Camp Laurel.

Thursday, August 9 – Three-day Taster participants leave at 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 11 – Resident camp participants leave at 10:00 a.m.

Day Participants

Day participants: Girls entering 5th grade and older who wish to participate but not stay overnight may register as day participants! Day participants must have their own transportation to the camp and can stay until 5:00 p.m., but may stay later on Wednesday for the visiting day and Friday for the closing celebration! Day participants will be placed with resident campers of the same age.

COST: \$290 (Includes daily activities, T-shirt, lunch, and event patch)



Registration and Further Information:

Registration for all International Camporee events will be managed through Girl Scouts of Connecticut's website, www.gsofct.org, and via mail using the GSOFC Camp Registration Form. Online registration will open on November 21, 2011. Transportation to and from the events is the responsibility of the participant.

A \$50 non-refundable deposit (per participant) is due with each registration. Balance due by June 1, 2012. Cookie credits may be used and financial aid is available.

Please continue to check www.gsofct.org for further information, or contact 2012International@gsofct.org for any specific International Camporee questions.

Information about clothing lists, camping space, equipment lists, transportation, deadline dates, swaps, etc., will be provided.

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girl scouts of connecticut		2012 SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION FORM										
Registration is open. Some programs fill quickly, avoid disappointment, register early! Fill out completely <i>in ink</i> and send with a \$50 deposit for each Program. Payment in full is due June 1 . Reservations accepted after that date <i>with full payment</i> . Phone registrations will not be accepted. Cookie Credits cannot be used towards deposit and are not redeemable online. A charge of \$10 will be added for voluntary program changes.										Mail completed registration and deposit/payment to: Girl Scouts of Connecticut Registration Department 20 Washington Avenue North Haven, CT 06473 Phone (203) 239-2922 Fax (203) 234-6828		
Camper's Name			Troop Number		Date of Birth (Mo/Yr)		Level			D B J C S A Boy Non-Girl Scout		
Mailing Address				City		ST	Zip		Grade in Fall 2012			
1 st Guardian's Name		Home Phone		Work Phone		Cell Phone		Email				
2 nd Guardian's Name		Home Phone		Work Phone		Cell Phone		Email				
Desired Camp and Session (Only one [1] camp and one [1] program per registration form – Form may be duplicated)												
Resident Day	or	Name of Camp		Name of Program		Dates		Fee				
Girl Scout Membership Fee (For girls not currently registered as Girl Scouts, apply one time on earliest registration.)								\$12.00				
<input type="checkbox"/> Save the postage. I will download my daughter's health forms and confirmation packet from www.gsofct.org . <input type="checkbox"/> I would like to be mailed the health forms and confirmation packet. <input type="checkbox"/> I would like information about volunteering at camp.										Subtotal Fee		
Note: If financial assistance is being requested, you must complete the reverse side of this form and submit a \$20 deposit. If financial assistance award is insufficient, the \$20 deposit will be refunded.										Deduct Expected Cookie Credit (Form must be submitted to registration department for credit to be applied.)		-
										Deduct Early Bird Camp Discount (Payment made in full prior to April 1, 2012. \$15.00 per day camp session \$30.00 per resident camp session)		-
										I would like to assist another child attend camp. Please accept this donation to the camper assistance fund.		
										TOTAL ENCLOSED		
One camper BUDDY (Buddies must sign up for the same camp program and indicate each other's name as "Buddy" on their registration forms.)												
I give my permission for my child to participate in all camp activities; most of which are conducted in an outdoor environment. I will read the camp brochure and agree to cooperate with all the regulations. I am willing to have my children treated by a Nurse or First Aider for minor ailments and by a doctor, when necessary, and agree to transportation to a medical facility or for further medical attention, if necessary. The council may reproduce any artwork, photo images, or video taken of my child for Girl Scout publicity purposes. My child has permission to take scheduled trips out of camp during her camp session. I have read and accept the refund policy in the camp brochure.												
Guardian's signature:						Date Signed:						
Payment Information												
Total Fee will be charged. (Prior to April 1, Early Bird Discount will be applied.)						Enclosed Money Orders (Payable to GSOFC.)						
Credit Card (Mandatory for online or faxed reservations)						Enclosed Check (Payable to GSOFC.) Note: A \$20.00 fee plus collection costs will be applied to any returned checks.						
MasterCard VISA Discover AMEX						Payment enclosed						
Account name as it appears on the card (only necessary for charges)						Balance Due						
Account number				Expiration date		Signature						
Office Use Only												
Pay date	Amount	Check #	Discount	Early Bird		Staff	Cookies	Other	Program Code	Bus Code		