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April 2024



## Gear up for an Exciting Summer!

With cookie season wrapping up and the days getting warmer, we are counting down the days until Summer Camp! Our camps begin June 17 and run through August 9. Check out the incredible summer opportunities we have for campers to experience the outdoors, make life-long connections, and learn new skills by viewing our <u>camp catalog</u>.

Need more information? Have some questions about campfires? We have several upcoming events to check out the properties and meet some of our camp staff. These events include an Open House for all ages at each camp location during the month of June, as well as an Outdoor Skills Expo minicamp for grades K-8 that is scheduled at Trefoil Ranch May <u>3-4</u> and <u>4-5</u>. Registration for the Open Houses ends

the Monday before the event at <u>Trefoil Ranch</u> and <u>Camp Cloud Rim</u>. Registration for the <u>Outdoor Skills Expo</u> ends on April 22.

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## Get Excited for Cadettes with Cadette Day - May 18

Calling all soon-to-be Cadettes! Girl Scouts in grades 5-8 will explore everything there is to love about being a Cadette in this afternoon of Girl Scout fun at Trefoil Ranch! Read up on our available sessions. Then, choose your top five. Based on your preferences, well place you in three one-hour activity blocks. What can you expect? All the best parts of being a Cadette and beyond in Girl Scouting. Learn how to throw axes, bond with your troop on the low ropes course, or get cooking by working towards your New Cuisines badge. You can also get a jump start on badges, explore outdoor skills, and more!

**REGISTER NOW!** 



## Compete with your team at Wasatch Wanderlust

Have you got the travel bug but want to start your adventure a little closer to home? Join Girl Scouts of Utah at Wasatch Wanderlust on June 8! Work on the first step in your travel progression by taking a day trip to Salt Lake City. Develop critical travel skills like planning, budgeting, decision making, problem solving, teamwork, and using public transportation.

Discover new aspects of our state's capital city as you and your team complete challenges throughout the day. Earn points and compete to win fun prizes for your team. This choose-your-own-adventure style event is a great way to kick off your summer, so grab some friends to form your team and sign up today!

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# Learn How to Earn one of Girl Scout's Highest Awards - May 15

Are you someone who loves taking action in your community to solve problems and make a difference in the world? Then you should consider earning your Bronze, Silver, or Gold Award! Each award is suited for a specific Girl Scout level – Juniors can earn Bronze, Cadettes can earn Silver, and Seniors / Ambassadors can earn Gold. You don't need to earn all three, so you can start at the appropriate level for your age if you have met the prerequisites.

We have many resources available to help you meet your goal like guidelines, rubrics, and tips on our **GSU website**. Girl Scouts of Utah also hosts quarterly Highest Awards Chats where you can ask all your questions and collaborate on ideas.

Join us on May 15 for our next Highest Awards Chat so you can put your project ideas into action over the summer.

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## Help Plan our 2026 International Trip - May 2

Each summer, Girl Scouts of Utah brings Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors on an international adventure and we want you to be a part of choosing our next destination! You can decide on if we venture to Europe, Asia, or the Caribbean. If you think you may be interested in traveling with Girl Scouts in summer 2026 and want to be a part of choosing our itinerary, please join us on May 2 for a group planning session. Based on the feedback from this session, we'll create an amazing trip! Registration for the trip will open in May. Make sure to keep an eye out for the official trip launch, even if you can't make our planning session!

### LEARN MORE!



# **Explore STEM Careers for FREE - May 27**

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) includes tons of exciting careers, and there is no limit to what you can explore! This June, join us for an interactive and free virtual program all about STEM careers. We'll meet STEM experts like our local NASA Solar System Ambassador while working towards our STEM Career Exploration badge.

### **REGISTER NOW!**



## **Celebrate Financial Literacy Month with Girl Scouts**

April is Financial Literacy Month, and Girl Scouts is ready to help you celebrate! Girl Scouts need the space and support to grow as they can learn to make financial decisions and develop a healthy relationship with money. Made possible by Charles Schwab, the Financial Literacy badges help Girl Scouts of all ages learn and practice financial literacy skills like creating a budget, goal setting, decision-making, and teamwork through hands-on play. Grow your skills today with these entrepreneurial and financial literacy activities!

### LEARN MORE!

## Check out our can't miss events

Find our upcoming programs on our <u>event calendar</u>. We work hard to deliver a variety of programming throughout the state including at our camps and resource centers, in collaboration with <u>Program Partners</u>, and virtual events.

May 2



May 11



#### Quick links

- Receive up to three <u>scholarships</u> per year to participate in Girl Scout Programming.
- Visit our offices and shops.
- Discover all the activities you can do with Girl Scouts.

#### Support Girl Scouts of Utah while you shop!

- Shop at <u>Smith's</u> and follow the instructions to link your Rewards Card to Girl Scouts of Utah
- Shop with <u>Walmart online</u> and round up your change to donate.



Have a question? Don't be shy! <u>Contact us</u> for more information.

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