

Fall 2017 Scout Workshop Descriptions

Girl Scout Workshops:

Junior: Sunday, November 5th- Get Moving Journey

Bring lots of energy with you as we learn about ...Energy! This workshop will provide girls with basic knowledge about where our energy comes from, how we use it and why we need to conserve it. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the "Get Moving Journey" badge. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots. Dress appropriately for the weather as much of the day will be spent outdoors.

Cadette: Saturday, November 18th- Breathe Journey

The air we breathe may be our most taken-for-granted resource. Every living thing on the planet depends on it. Learn about the incredible dynamics of our atmosphere and how it connects all life on Earth. We will also explore how human activity impacts the atmosphere. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the "Breathe Journey" badge. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots. Dress appropriately for the weather as much of the day will be spent outdoors.

Daisy: Saturday, December 2nd- Between Earth and Sky Journey

Daisy girl scouts will learn about plants from seeds to leaves to flowers. We will ramble the trails to search for wildflowers and learn about their importance to animals and to us. Colors, textures and shapes in nature will be explored through observation and fun craft projects. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements of the "Between Earth and Sky Journey" badge. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots. Dress appropriately for the weather as much of the day will be spent outdoors.

Brownie: Saturday, December 9th- Wonders of Water Journey

Water, water everywhere! Did you know over 70% of planet Earth is covered in water? Girls will learn about the importance of water to all living things and how to protect this vital resource. Explore the ponds as we search for fascinating creatures that live in an aquatic habitat. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the "Wonders of Water" badge. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots. Dress appropriately for the weather as much of the day will be spent outdoors.

Boy Scout Workshops:

Wolf: Sunday, October 15th - Paws on the Path

Scouts will learn hiking safety as they make their way along a moderate level, one mile trail. Topics covered include map reading skills, the Cub Scout 6 essentials, the importance of the buddy system and outdoor ethics, and local wildlife identification. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the “Paws on the Path” adventure. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots. Dress appropriately for the weather as much of the day will be spent outdoors.

Webelos: Saturday, October 21st - Walkabout

Scouts will learn hiking safety as they make their way along a moderate-strenuous level hike. Learn about what animals and plants to be aware of when out in the woods. Scouts will prepare, as a team, a nutritious trail snack and will also take part in a small service project for the museum while hiking. Topics covered include map reading skills, first aid, Leave No Trace principles, The Outdoor Code, poisonous plants and venomous animals of the area and the importance of leadership roles. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the “Walkabout” adventure. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots.

Webelos & Arrow of Light: Sunday, November 12th - Castaway

Webelos will learn skills of learning how to light a fire without matches and build a shelter out in the woods with natural materials. Scouts will learn of items for a survival kit as well as the importance of S-T-O-P with an educator. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the “Castaway” adventure. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots.

Bear: Sunday, December 3rd - Furs, Feathers and Ferns

Scouts will go sleuthing for animal clues on a woodland adventure! They will view animals near and far using magnifying glasses and the naked eye. Scouts will learn the important role that small organisms play in soil construction and will bring home a vegetable seed to grow. Topics covered include endangered species, extinction, composting and decomposers. All scouts will complete the necessary requirements for the “Furs, Feathers and Ferns” adventure. Please be sure to wear sturdy sneakers or hiking boots.