



# HOWDY DAY CAMP

June 3-7, 2019

8 am-2 pm

## *Get Ready for Fun!!!*

*Every year, girls experience a wonderful week at Howdy Day Camp. It is a time of fun and friendship through outdoor Learning and rewarding experiences. This year's camp theme will Expose girls to a variety of career possibilities in addition to the time-honored camp events.*

*Campers are placed by school grade from different troops to promote new friendships while experiencing nature activities, crafts, snacks and cookouts. Girls in the Campcraft and Aides-in-Training units also participate in an overnight campout.*

*The entire camp is planned and run by caring and responsible adult volunteers who are trained in program and safety and meet all GSUSA and state requirements.*



## *Registration*

- Any girl may attend. Girls who are not currently Girl Scout must pay the \$25 Girl Scout registration fee at [www.gsctx.org](http://www.gsctx.org)
- Your daughter may request to be in unit with one friend. Buddy requests should match. They must be in the same grade,
- REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 30, 2019.

## *Fees*

Girls entering 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade \$40  
Campcraft (entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade) \$45  
Aide-in-Training (entering 7<sup>th</sup> grade and up) \$55

**The registration process (online registration application, health form, immunization record and payment) must be completed by midnight April 30<sup>th</sup>.**

Fees include a t-shirt and program costs. Campcraft and AIT costs include the overnight campout.

## ***What to Wear***

It's really important that girls and adults dress appropriately for camp.

- Be sure to wear closed-toe shoes with socks (athletic shoes or other comfortable walking shoes). **NO SANDALS.**
  - Everyone should wear her camp t-shirt every day. Additional t-shirts may be ordered if you don't want to wash every day.
  - A hat is required to keep bugs out of your hair and the sun off your nose.
  - **NO SHORT-SHORTS.**
  - Sunscreen and insect repellent should be applied at home.
- Following these rules will make camp fun and easy for everyone.

## **Adult Volunteers**

Day Camp is fun for adults, too!!!

Adults are needed for a variety of volunteer positions depending on experience level and interests: Unit leader, assistant unit leader, craft assistant, games assistant, child care worker, boys' unit, clean-up. You can volunteer for the entire week or a shorter period. **All troops with girls attending camp are requested to provide adult leaders.**

Activities are provided for children of volunteers including the **Broncos** for boys entering Grades 1 through 6 (\$25 charge) and the **Pixies** for all children 3 months through pre-school (free).

If you are new to volunteering at Camp Howdy, please contact one of the camp directors for more information.



### **What Else Does My Camper Need?**

- Each camper should bring a package of cookies or cracker snacks to Open House on Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. These will be shared by the units throughout the week.
- Either Wednesday or Thursday will be designated "Cookout Day" for each unit. All other days everyone should bring a sack lunch in a large Ziploc-type bag labeled with name and unit number. On cookout day, campers will need a plate, bowl, fork and spoon.
- Everyone needs a water bottle that can be carried. Ask your troop leader or unit leader about easy ways to do this.
- A complete change of clothing should be delivered to your unit leader in a large Ziploc-type bag including underwear and socks.

- A small backpack is handy for carrying stuff each day. Include a large garbage bag that can be used as a raincoat in case of rain.
- A letter will be mailed to each camper about two weeks before camp with detailed information about your camper's unit and emergency procedures.

**All forms and information can be found at:**  
<http://bcsgirlscouts.com/day-camp>

### **Questions?**

Contact either of the Camp Directors:

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