

OCTOBER

Girl Fest: Discovery Days

Camp Archbald

- ▶ SATURDAY, OCT. 3,
10:30AM – 4:30PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Sept. 26, 2026*

Camp Small Valley

- ▶ SATURDAY, OCT. 17,
10:30AM – 4:30PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 10, 2026*

Levels: **D B J C S A**

Cost: Girls - \$10, Adults - FREE

Celebrate International Day of the Girl at **Girl Fest: Discovery Day**, where girls can explore new passions, build skills, and discover what excites them! Girls will choose their own adventure through interactive sessions in Kitchen Creations, Innovation Station, and On The Move, with special opportunities like archery and boating available on a first-come, first-served basis. Between sessions, they can explore community partner activities before wrapping up the day with a big Color Party celebration. Every registered girl will also take home a commemorative **Girl Fest patch!**

**Continue reading through the Program Pulse to see more information on Girl Fest at Camp Trexler on Nov. 14.*

Cadette Program Aide Training

Virtual

- ▶ OCT. 22, 6:30PM - 7:30PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 9, 2026*

Levels: **C**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - N/A

Join our **Program Aide virtual training series** and get ready to lead, inspire, and make a difference for younger Girl Scouts! Participants will learn how to plan and lead activities, support upcoming Girl Scout events, and build valuable leadership skills along the way. Complete the training and take the next step toward earning your **Program Aide pin** while gaining hands-on leadership experience.



Patch design is subject to change.



Girl Scout Night - PSU Women's Volleyball

PSU Rec Hall, University Park

- ▶ FRIDAY, OCT. 23, 7:00PM
- ▶ *Purchase deadline: Oct. 22, 2026*

Level: **D B J C S A**

Cost: \$17.60 - \$22.21

Head to **Rec Hall for Girl Scout Night** as Penn State Women's Volleyball takes on Oregon. Girl Scouts who purchase a ticket can receive a **Penn State patch** and join fellow Girl Scouts, families, and troop leaders for a **post-game photo on the court**. Plus, the troop that purchases the most tickets will get the special opportunity to **high-five the players before warm-ups!**

Rosies in Manufacturing

Millersville University

- ▶ SATURDAY, OCT. 24, 10AM - 2PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 17, 2026*

Levels: **D B J**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - FREE

Girl Scouts will learn from Rosie Riveters mentors (local high school Girl Scouts!) and Millersville University students as they explore how science, technology, engineering, arts, and math come together to create the products we use every day. Through interactive challenges **designed by older Girl Scouts**, girls will put their creativity and problem-solving skills to the test by building a paper airplane launcher, designing a mousetrap-powered car, and more. Girls will earn the **STEM Career Exploration badge**.



Tools and Tinkering

Historic Rock Ford, Lancaster

- ▶ SATURDAY, OCT. 31, 10AM - 12PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 17, 2026*

Level: **B**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - FREE

Brownies, put on your investigation caps and get ready to **craft and tinker!** Girls will explore how everyday objects are made, investigate the tools and materials behind them, and put their own maker skills to work by creating and improving a tin-punch design. Brownies will earn their **Craft and Tinker badge** at this event.



NOVEMBER

Girl Scouts Go Nuclear!

Radiation Science & Engineering Center,
University Park

- ▶ SATURDAY, NOV. 7, 8:30AM - 2PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 31, 2026*

Levels: **J C S A**

Cost: Girls - FREE, Adults - FREE

Discover the exciting world of nuclear science with Women in Nuclear at Penn State! Girls will visit the Breazeale Nuclear Reactor for hands-on experiments using Geiger counters, exploring radioactive half-life, watching a reactor startup demonstration, and more. Lunch is provided, and participants will earn a **fun patch** upon completion. Adults must show photo ID for entry.

Ambassador Cheers for Every Body

NAMI Central PA, Harrisburg

- ▶ SATURDAY, NOV. 7, 1PM - 3PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 31, 2026*

Levels: **A**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - FREE



Ambassadors, explore the connection between **self-expression, body positivity, self-care, and mental well-being** at this special Adopt-a-Badge event with NAMI Central PA. Through group discussions, art, and writing activities, girls will build confidence and discover creative ways to express themselves while promoting positive mental health. Ambassadors will earn their **Cheers for Every Body** badge.

Adopt-a-Badge: STEM at Stevens - Room Makeover

Thaddeus Stevens College of
Technology, Lancaster

- ▶ SATURDAY, NOV. 7, 8:45AM - 12:45PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Oct. 24, 2026*

Level: **C S A**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - FREE



Get ready to **design your dream room** with experts from Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology! Explore architecture, graphic design, budgeting, 3D printing, and painting as you bring your creative vision to life. Girls will put creativity and planning into action while earning their **Room Makeover** badge.

Twilight Trekkers

Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center,
Stroudsburg

- ▶ THURSDAY, NOV. 12, 6PM - 8PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Nov. 5, 2026*

Levels: **J C**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - FREE



Experience the outdoors after dark at **Kettle Creek Environmental Education**

Center! Take a guided night hike, learn about Northern Saw-whet Owl banding, and dissect owl pellets while discovering the fascinating world of nocturnal animals. Girls will put their discoveries into action. Cadettes will earn their **Night Owl** badge.

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Camp Trexler

- ▶ SATURDAY, NOV. 14, 10:30AM - 4:30PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Nov. 7, 2026*

Levels: **D B J C S A**

Cost: Girls - \$10, Adults - FREE

See frontside Camp Archbald and Camp Small Valley listing for more details about Girl Fest: Discovery Day.

Adopt-a-Badge: Money Makers

Lancaster Stormers Game Room,
Lancaster

- ▶ SUNDAY, NOV. 15, 10AM - 12PM
- ▶ *Registration deadline: Nov. 8, 2026*

Levels: **D B**

Cost: Girls - \$5, Adults - FREE



Daisies and Brownies, build your **money smarts** with Goodwill Keystone Area's Wisdom Opportunity Wealth program!

Through hands-on games and activities, girls will explore spending, saving, budgeting, and needs versus wants before creating their own personalized piggy bank and savings goal. Daisies will earn their **Money Explorer** and **My Money Choices** badges, while Brownies will earn their **Budget Builder** badge.



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