

## It's About The Journey

### School's out, Camp's on!



Looking for something exciting for your girl to do on December 19 while school's out? We've got you covered at the Cathy Novinger Girl Scout Leadership Center!

- [Code the Congaree](#) (Morning Session-8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.; FREE!): Girls in 2nd–7th grade will dive into the world of coding and nature with the Dottie Rose Foundation! Through hands-on activities, girls will explore how technology and the environment work together, learning to code while uncovering the wonders of the Congaree.
- [Sew Cool Creations](#) (Afternoon Session: 12:00-4:30 p.m.; \$5): Girls 3rd-5th grade can learn the basics of stitching, practice new skills, and create a small take-home project to show off their handiwork. Whether it's their first time holding a needle or they're already a crafty creator, girls will build confidence, try something new, and discover just how sew much fun it is to make something all their own!
- [Pretty Powerful Presents Holiday Magic & Me](#) (Afternoon Session: 12:00-4:30 p.m.; \$5): Older girls in 5th–12th grade can slow down, recharge, and celebrate the season of self-discovery in a cozy, holiday-themed workshop. Pajamas encouraged! They'll craft personalized charm bracelets and write letters to their future selves—all while exploring confidence, growth, and mindfulness.
- Special Offer: Girls in grades 3-7 can attend a whole day for only \$5! Must register for each event separately. Spend the day learning, creating, and connecting—all in true Girl Scout style.

### EVENTS CALENDAR

### Jazz Girls Day is coming!



Get ready to let your creativity shine at Dr. Colleen Clark's Jazz Girls Day®—a day that celebrates the power of girls in music! This inspiring event invites middle and high school girls to explore the world of jazz through learning, playing, and performing in a fun, supportive space.

Whether you're a seasoned musician or just starting out, this day is all about confidence, creativity, and connection. Girls of all experience levels—instrumentalists and vocalists alike—will jam together, learn from professionals, and discover the joy of expressing themselves through music.

Jazz Girls Day® isn't just about the music—it's about empowering girls to take the lead, find their voice, and make some noise! Educators and accompanying adults are welcome to join the fun, too.

### REGISTER

### New Shirt & Cookie Rally Mobile Shops



#### "I WILL BE" Shirts

Just in time for Girl Scout Cookie Season! Represent Girl Scouts with a shirt that shows your commitment to the Girl Scout Law and all that Girl Scouts stands for. Available in both adult and youth sizes. Prices are \$30 for youth small to adult XL, \$32 for 2X, \$33 for 3X, and \$34 for 4X. To place your order, just complete the form below and submit. A Girlz Gear associate will reach out to you to process your payment. All orders and payment are due by November 26. Order your "I WILL BE" shirt [here](#).

#### Mobile Girlz Gear Shop

Girlz Gear Shops are looking for you! Is your troop or service unit having a cookie rally this year? We want to support your event! Troops and service unit events with at least 50 girls can request a mobile shop to come to your event. Is your event at the Cathy Novinger Girl Scout Leadership Center? Did you know you can request the Columbia Girlz Gear Shop? Find out more about mobile shop and Columbia shop requirements and place a request [here](#).

### The Art of Engineering: 2026 EngineerGirl & EngineerTeen Writing Contest!



Does your girl love creativity, problem-solving, and thinking big? The National Academy of Engineering's Pathways into Engineering programs—EngineerGirl and EngineerTeen—have opened their annual Writing Contest, and this year's theme is “The Art of Engineering.”

Girls in grades 3–12 are invited to use the engineering design process to create a unique work of art—and a written statement—to show how engineers make the world a better place. It's the perfect blend of STEM and creativity, and a great tie-in for earning Girl Scout engineering or art badges!

Prizes: \$1,000 for first place in each grade category. Deadline: February 1, 2026. Learn more and enter below.

### LEARN MORE



### Travel Mode: On!

Where in the world will you find yourself this summer? On an outdoor adventure to Yellowstone National Park? Learning about the environment while hiking and camping in Washington State? Or mountain biking in the hills of the Ozarks.

Wherever you see yourself, Girl Scout Destinations has a trip that unlocks your passions. With more than 20 trips to choose from, you never know where you'll find yourself. Get out there, explore the Girl Scout Destination made just for you, but don't wait too long to unlock your summer of fun. Apply now!

### APPLY NOW

### Girl Scout Spotlight



During Troop 72664's Girl “Scoutsgiving” dinner and give-back event, they partnered with The Period Project to pack 350 hygiene kits that support girls in the Richland 2 school area. The Period Project works to educate on period poverty and provide critical menstrual supplies to community members who need them most. Way to go, Girl Scouts!

What's your Girl Scout or troop been up to lately? We'd love to spotlight you on our social media and/or newsletters. Let us know [here](#)!



Have a question? Don't be shy!  
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