

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Newsletter January 2020

Happy New Year!



New year, new Girl Scout memories to be made. We are so excited for more bold adventures this year!



Save the Date!

Mark your calendars! All Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Regional Centers will be closed on Monday, January 20th, 2020 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Normal business hours will resume on Tuesday, January 21st.

Annual Town Hall Webinar

Join us on Tuesday, January 28th at 6:00 PM for the annual Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Town Hall Webinar! Learn about Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan successes for the 2018-2019 membership year, what's going on now, give your feedback on what is working and where we can continue to grow and make improvements.

Register [here](#) today!

Volunteer Boot Camp

Mark your calendars! Volunteer Boot Camp dates have been set for the fall of 2020! Join us at Camp Linden from October 9th - 11th, 2020, and Camp Merrie Woode from November 6th - 8th, 2020. Class information and registration will become available closer to the events.

Older Girl Opportunity: Facilitator-in-Training

Adult Learning Facilitators are volunteers that teach classes and advocate for the education of the council -- but adults can't do it alone! We need the wisdom and enthusiasm of girls to make our adult education as powerful as it can be. Girls seventh grade and up can take this weekend at camp to explore techniques of being a facilitator. You can have a voice in the Girl Scout education provided to volunteers. Girls will work with a mentor, discuss learning styles, and practice teaching a class. This is an opportunity

to add leadership experience to your resume and future applications. Following this weekend, girls will continue to work alongside facilitators in adult trainings and education and have the opportunity to work alongside staff and volunteers for girl programs. Girls could ultimately lead their own trainings!

Dates: Saturday, February 8th through Sunday, February 9th

Location: Camp Linden

Price: \$50 per girl

Register [here](#) today!

Product Program Updates



Saginaw Region: Rewards are due on January 7th for cookies, and Treats & Reads will begin on February 3rd. The final Bling Your Booth Contest is coming up, too! Check out our [Facebook page](#) for more information and to choose your

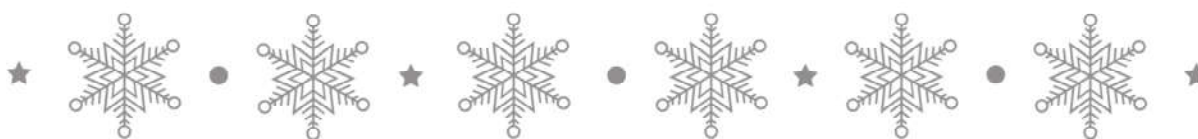
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Initial Cookie Orders are in full swing in Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing, and Ypsilanti/Ann Arbor. Initial orders are due January 24th. Earn the butterfly pictured above by selling 175 packages or more! Digital Cookie girl-delivery ends January 24th, and online orders can be shipped through May.

Cheer-Off and Tip-Off: Register now to be part of our Cookie Kick-Off Events and cheer on our women's basketball teams!

- Sunday, January 12th: Cheer-Off! Activities and cheer contest begins at 1:00 PM, game starts at 3:00 PM. Register [here](#)!
- Sunday, January 26th: Tip-Off! Activities begin at 1:15 PM, game starts at 2:00 PM. Register [here](#)!

Super Bowl Weekend is a great opportunity for all regions! All regions will have a special opportunity to provide cookies to customers for Super Bowl. Contact your Regional Product Program Specialist for further details.



January Programs



Sunday, January 12, 2020

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Cheer Off at the
Jack Breslin Student Activities Center - East Lansing

Saturday, January 18, 2020, 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Badge Fest: Storytelling for all grade levels
at Ypsilanti Regional Center



Saturday, January 25, 2020, 9:00 PM - 2:00 AM

Bright Light, Big City! Mall Lock-In for
Junior, Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador Girl Scouts
at Briarwood Mall in Ann Arbor



Saturday, January 26, 2020



Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Cookie Tip-Off
for friends & family at the Crisler Center in Ann Arbor



February Programs



Saturday, February 22, 2020
World Thinking Day 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
at the Kalamazoo Regional Center,
Ypsilanti Regional Center, & Frankenmuth Fischer Hall

Saturday, February 22, 2020
Top Chef: Simple Meals 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM
for Juniors at Michigan State University
- Anthony Hall in East Lansing



Saturday, February 22, 2020
Top Chef: New Cuisines 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM
for Cadettes at Michigan State University
- Anthony Hall in East Lansing



Saturday, February 29, 2020
STEM Badge Day 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
for all grade levels at Delta College in Saginaw



Did you know...

You can attend any Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Events as a troop, or you can go one-on-one with your girl! All events listed in the Source are perfect for troops to attend, or for girls to attend with their parents.

Registration for events is on EventSmart »

Sale of Camp Oak Hills

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan reached an agreement on December 31st, 2019, to sell Camp Oak Hills. We look forward to using the funds from the sale to build reserves and improve the overall financial health of Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan and provide bold programming for girls.

Give her a summer that she'll never forget. Girls that spend time outside and away from screens reduce anxiety levels, build self-confidence, and create lifelong friendships. Support the dynamic, bold Girl Scout experience by taking advantage of the numerous opportunities that Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan provides for girls.

- Go troop camping at your Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan camps.
- Send a girl to overnight camp. Every girl needs to go to overnight camp! Register now at girlsoutcamp.org.
- Register for Day Camp in Kalamazoo at girlsoutcamp.org.
- Go to a program found in your [Source](#).

Sending a girl to camp is good for her and supports Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan outdoor programs and camps.

G.I.R.L. 2020 - National Girl Scout Convention!



Join us for the world's largest girl-led event for girls and young women and everyone who supports them! It's going to be one epic celebration. Thousands of girls and their supporters will come together from around the world October 23-25, 2020 at G.I.R.L. 2020 in Orlando, Florida.

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan will send delegates to vote on behalf of our membership. More information, including how to apply to be a delegate, can be found on our website.

[LEARN MORE](#)



Summer 2020 Overnight Camp Guide & Registration Available Now!

The wait is over, camp online registration is open!



**WE HAVE LOTS OF FANTASTIC
OPTIONS TO CHOOSE FROM:**

- SISTERS & BEST FRIENDS
- HORSE CAMP MINI
- GOLDEN ARROW GAMES
- BEGINNER BACKPACKING
- ME & MY GUY — LET'S BUILD
- PICTURED ROCKS TRIP



**TAKE A LOOK AT THE REST
ON OUR WEBSITE AT
GIRLSCOUTCAMP.ORG**



Visit our website to view the Camp Guide and get your girl registered for the summer experience of a lifetime! Early bird pricing is available until February 15th. Save \$5 on Troop or Family Camping, \$15 off 3-day overnight camp sessions, \$25 off 6-day overnight camp sessions, and \$55 off 13-day overnight camp sessions! Get registered today!

Camp Info



Retail Updates

Loyalty Point Redemption will take place from January 13th through the 31st.

Did you know? We have amazing retail shops in Ypsilanti/Ann Arbor, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing, and Saginaw? Stop in and get all your Girl Scout essentials.

[Like us on Facebook for more updates »](#)

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GIRL SCOUT DAYS

January 22 - Wings Stadium 7:00 PM

January 24 - Breslin Center 7:00 PM

January 27 - The Dow Event Center 7:00 PM

For questions about the Breslin Center or The Dow Center
contact: Kristen Joiner at 679-497-1851 or
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For questions about the Wings Stadium contact:
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**PRE-GAME MEET-N-GREET WITH A FEMALE
GLOBETROTTERS OFFERED TO ALL SCOUTS!
ALL GIRL SCOUTS ALSO RECEIVE A HARLEM
GLOBETROTTER PATCH!**



Registration is available online for [Saginaw](#), [Kalamazoo](#), and [East Lansing](#) events.



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