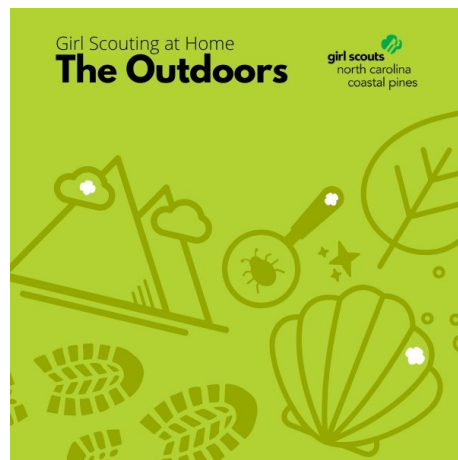


Girl Scouts North Carolina Coastal Pines invites girls, families, and volunteers to stay involved while at home. We know that today's girl is ready to pivot on a moments notice and is willing to embrace new ways to explore Girl Scouting. That's why we're promoting these options for engaging with us while you're at home today ... or any day!

THE OUTDOORS encourages Girl Scouts to nourish their love of the great outdoors and their connection with nature. Each Thursday, join us to explore and celebrate the beautiful world around us, while developing a lifelong appreciation for nature and the out-of-doors. Join the conversation online. **#OurGSNCCPCCommunity**



[Check out the virtual tour of Camp Graham here.](#)

Sending Mail to your Camper:

(Camper's Name) (Camper's Session)

344 Regional Water Lane

Henderson, NC 27537

Email Your Camper:

campgraham@nccoastalpines.org

Please put in your camper's name and program name in the subject line when sending emails. These messages will be printed once a day and then given to your camper's counselor for distribution. As campers do not have access to computers, they will not be able to respond to emails. Please do not send pictures or images that require a lot of ink to print.

Check out the typical camp day!

7:00 a.m. Wake Up

8:00 a.m. Breakfast/Flag Ceremony/ Kapers (chores)

9:30 a.m. Morning Activities

12:30 p.m. Lunch and Rest Time

2:30 p.m. Afternoon Activities/Unit Time

6:00 p.m. Dinner/Flag Ceremony

7:15 p.m. All-Camp Activity

9:30 p.m. Shower Time and Lights Out

Need a copy of a Journey, badge requirements or want to order patches? While our shops are closed, please feel free to [shop online](#) or [email](#) us for merchandise needs. We will provide free shipping within in our council footprint on orders emailed to us (please provide phone number in email so we can call you for payment details).

Questions? programteam@nccoastalpines.org

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Where do campers sleep?

Girls are grouped in units, and may sleep in cabins, treehouse, or platform tents depending on their program choice. Each unit has trained counselors housed in separate quarters within the living unit but close enough to supervise campers. In our Brownie sessions counselors sleep in the same cabin as girls.

Can my camper attend camp with a buddy/friend?

During registration, a buddy's name can be listed. Buddies must be in the same age group and must register for the same session. We are not able to honor requests for more than one buddy.

My child has specific needs. Can she attend camp?

Each year, many girls with specific needs participate in our camp program. Girls must be able to function in a 6:1 girl-to-adult ratio. Specific needs may include a range of physical, medical, development, dietary, behavioral, or communicative abilities. It is our hope to be able to serve all girls wishing to attend camp. Providing a safe positive experience to all campers is of utmost importance to us. The council reserves the right to make decisions of participation based on the extent of the girl's needs and our ability to meet those needs in the camp setting, as well as other factors as deemed appropriate. We are concerned about the health and safety of all campers, and we want to ensure we have appropriate professional medical services to meet needs. Please contact Camp Graham's Director at campgraham@nccoastalpines.org to discuss the camp program and nature of your girl's needs before registering for camp.

Can I visit my camper during a camp session?

To help maintain program continuity and ensure the safety of campers, visitors are only allowed at camp during open house and arrival/departure hours.

My camper has specific dietary needs or restrictions. How are menus managed at camp?

Menus are planned with the general camp population and economy of associated costs in mind. We will make every attempt to provide for specific dietary needs within the scope of our regular menus. Please contact Camp Graham's Director at campgraham@nccoastalpines.org for more information.

Can my camper call home during the week?

Campers are not permitted to make or receive phone calls. We encourage independence and self-reliance during camp. Camp Graham's Director will contact parents if a camper has a medical problem, is excessively homesick, or has an emergency. Please let your child know before camp that she will not be able to call home and that you are comfortable with this. It is important not to send your child to camp with a cell phone. There is little coverage at camp and more importantly, it will send a conflicting message to other campers. We are partners with you in your child's summer experience, and we hope that you will support us with this camp policy.

What happens if my camper has a difficult time adjusting to camp?

Camp staff will do everything possible to help girls adjust to camp life. However, resident camp staff reserve the right to send home any camper who consistently exhibits inappropriate behavior or endangers herself or others. A camper's parent/caregiver is responsible for picking her up and fees will not be refunded.

What measures are taken to ensure my child's safety while at camp?

We are dedicated to providing safe and secure camps. Each camp follows the guidelines set by the American Camp Association as well as those set by Girl Scouts of the USA through Safety Activity Checkpoints. Staff are housed in close proximity to camper cabins and tents, and buildings and grounds are checked nightly. All camp staff and adults spending the night at camp must successfully complete a criminal background check.

If our plans change, how do I cancel my child's session? Can I get a refund?

Please notify our customer care team as soon as possible if plans change and your camper can no longer attend camp. Once you register for a session, you have made a commitment to that session and are responsible for payment in full. Refunds are available under special circumstances less the non-refundable deposit. Please see page 24 for our refund and cancellation policy.

Who can attend Girl Scout camp?

Camp is open to all girls ages 5-17. Some programs have entering grade requirements or prerequisites which must be met to ensure the health, safety, and well-being of all campers.

My camper is not a member of Girl Scouts – North Carolina Coastal Pines but would like to attend camp. Can she attend? Are there additional fees?

Girl Scout camps are open to all girls. Girls who are not members of Girl Scouts - North Carolina Coastal Pines pay an additional \$100 on their camp bill per session.

When is the last day to register for camp?

Camp registration closes two weeks prior to the session your camper wishes to attend. Exceptions can be made if space is available. Please note: adventure trip campers and overnight offsite camps will also need to have had a physical completed by a physician within the past 12 months.

When can I expect to receive confirmation information about Summer Camp?

Once you have completed your registration for camp, you can log back in your MYGS account and have access to the 2020 Summer Camp Confirmation on the My Activities page. Confirmation packets will be emailed to all campers registered as of May 1, 2020.

Who are the camp staff?

Camp staff members are enthusiastic, talented, and caring. They are selected based on maturity, program experience, and genuine desire to work with girls. Counselors are 18+ years old with the exception of older Girl Scouts completing our Counselor-in Training (CIT) programs. While most camp staff are from North Carolina, we work to recruit diverse staff from many different countries around the world. These staff members share their culture with the campers through camp activities.

What type of training does camp staff receive?

Before camp begins, staff attend an intensive on-site training which includes activity programming, outdoor skills, songs, games, first aid and safety, emergency procedures, team building, program age level characteristics, working through homesickness, and more.



Camp Extras!

Pamper your camper with fun camp extras! To make your camper's week more memorable, pre-order care items from our Trading Post Shop at a discounted price. The pre-ordered care items will be available for pickup at camp check-in. These items will also be for sale in the Girl Scout Trading Post shop during camp season while supplies last.

Camp Essentials Care Kit – \$35

Your camper will receive camp essentials including a water bottle, cooling towel, camp journal with pen, camp postcard with stamp, and a stuffed camp friend - all in a cool camp bag!

Camp T-shirts – \$13

Order your "Ready. Set. Camp!" T-shirt now! T-shirts are \$13 and come in youth medium and large and adult small through 4XL.

Camp Photos – \$6

A photo of your camper with her unit is a fantastic way to bring home lasting memories of new friends and a great time at camp. Photos are distributed on the last day of the session.

Trading Post

Parents can purchase council gift cards to be used at the camp's Trading Post shop. Campers will use the funds during their camp week to shop at the Trading Post for camp themed items such as T-shirts, fun patches, plush animals, flashlights, disposable cameras, and more. Cash is not allowed at any camp. All cards are kept in the Trading Post during the camp session and returned on the last day of camp if there is a balance remaining. Remaining balances will be kept on the Trading Post card. Trading Post cards can be used from year-to-year for Trading Post purchases as well as in all council shops, or they may be donated to the council at the end of camp. During each camp's open house, the Trading Post will be open for shopping and a sneak preview of Camp 2020 merchandise!

Please Note: All camp extras must be paid for in full at the time of registration or purchased at camp check-in. T-shirt sizes cannot be guaranteed if purchased at camp. All camp care packages and items are available only while supplies last.

