

CAMP EVELYN CAMP MANITOUE SUMMER 2026



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THERE IS SIMPLY NOTHING LIKE IT

Take a deep breath. Catch the scent of pine cones mixed with roasting marshmallows, and you are ready for your summer camp adventure.

There are leaves to rustle through, water to plunge into, and trails to explore. There are campfire stories that will make you laugh and shiver, like the night air causing you to snuggle deeper into the warmth of your sleeping bag ... drifting off to dream of the fun you'll have tomorrow.

At summer camp you can come for the day, for three, five, or even 12 nights. You can bring a buddy or come on your own, but in no time you will know all the girls in your camping unit just like your friends back home. That is just the “nature” of summer camp – friends made summer after summer often become your friends for life. You might even come to camp with your whole troop or with your favorite adult!

**Register at
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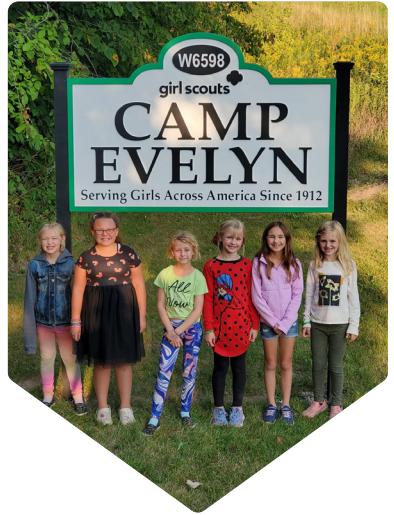


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OUR CAMPS

Camp Evelyn

Camp Evelyn is nestled on 240 acres of beautifully wooded property near Plymouth, Wisconsin. You will love jumping off the dock into the clear waters of Crystal Lake, getting your feet wet while looking for wildlife in the Mullet River, practicing archery, having fun in the pool, hiking around camp, challenging yourself on our low ropes course, and more!



When you come to Camp Evelyn, you will call one of these units your home:

Dacha • The Glen • LaForet • T-Line



Camp Manitou

Camp Manitou is nestled on 140 acres in Shoto, Wisconsin, and is on the banks of Serenity Lake in Manitowoc County. You will love swimming, fishing, stand-up paddle boarding, and boating in Serenity Lake. You can try your hand at disc golfing, geocaching, exploring, hiking the trails, and more.

When you come to Camp Manitou, you will call one of these buildings your home:

The Cedars • Pine Troop House



OVERNIGHT CAMP

All sessions are at Camp Evelyn. Check-in: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. & check-out: 3:30 p.m.

A CLASSIC CAMP SAMPLER: A 3-NIGHT ADVENTURE

Experience a taste of summer magic with our Classic Camp Sampler! This 3-night program lets you dive into three different day camps, offering a unique mix of water fun, creative crafts, and gooey science. There will also be plenty of time for songs around the campfire, s'mores, and awesome late-night activities.

3-night: June 7-10 | For girls entering grades 1-6 | \$350



CAMP OF A SHOWGIRL



Step into your spotlight! Inspired by Taylor Swift's newest era of dazzling spectacle and powerful self-expression, Camp of a Showgirl is where confidence meets creativity. This camp is a full-scale production focused on finding your inner star and sharing your unique story. Over the week, you'll dive into the performing arts, crafting your own "acts" that blend music, creative writing, dance, and set painting and design. Our special presenters will guide you in mastering stage presence, developing memorable characters, and transforming personal experience into captivating performance. From costuming workshops to rehearsing, you'll learn that being a "Showgirl" is about more than glitter—it's about owning your story. Join us to build the ultimate performance, forge lasting friendships, and leave ready to command any stage life puts you on!

5-night: June 14-19 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$492

3-night: June 14-17 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$350

CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE

At Choose Your Own Adventure camp, you are in charge. Each morning, you'll meet with your fellow campers to review a "menu" of both classic camp activities and specialized workshops. From mastering archery on the range, relaxing at the pool, swimming and boating at Crystal Lake, or even watching an outdoor movie, you'll hand-pick the sessions that spark your interest. Design your perfect day, build a personalized schedule, and take the lead in discovering new passions. This isn't just a camp—it's your summer, your way.

5-night: June 14-19 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$492

3-night: June 14-17 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$350





RETRO REWIND: CAMP Y2K

Step into a time machine and travel back to the early 2000s! Our Retro Rewind: A 2000s throwback camp is a vibrant, week-long celebration of all things Y2K. You will unleash your creativity by making your own friendship bracelets, bedazzling camp gear, and mastering the art of tie-dye. We'll crank up the pop-punk hits for epic lip sync battles and channel our inner director by choreographing and filming our very own music videos. This isn't just a trip back in time—it's a chance to put a modern twist on a classic era, blending nostalgic fun with today's creative tools. Get ready for a week of bold fashion, unforgettable music, and endless fun!

5-night: June 21-26 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$492

3-night: June 21-24 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$350

HORSING AROUND

Calling all horse lovers! During this fun-filled week, your hours of horse time will include a riding lesson in the ring, trail riding, and lessons on grooming, saddling, and horse safety. This program is appropriate for experienced and new horseback riders. There will still be plenty of time to enjoy all that Camp Evelyn has to offer. Please bring long pants/jeans and sturdy riding boots/shoes.

5-night: June 21-26 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$790



CAMP PET PARADISE



Do you dream of spending the day with dogs, cats, and more? At Camp Pet Paradise, you will get to do just that! This camp is a celebration of all things pets, with a focus on hands-on interaction, playtime, and learning. We'll explore the world of domesticated animals and discover how to be a great companion to them. We'll also spend a memorable day at the humane society where we'll learn about the important work they do and get to meet some of the amazing animals there. It's a chance to not only connect with pets but also to understand the value of compassion and community service.

3-night: June 28 - July 1 | For girls entering grades 1-8 | \$350



SCHOOL'S OUT, CAMP'S IN: YOUR ULTIMATE SUMMER ESCAPE

This is a summer camp designed for those who just want to relax. Our School's Out summer camp is all about laid-back living and unforgettable experiences. We believe that the best days of summer are the ones with no alarm clocks, so our schedule is built around sleeping in and enjoying time with friends. From thrilling trips to the local water park to cozy movie nights, our camp provides the perfect escape from the school year hustle. There will be plenty of time for your favorite classic camp activities such as relaxing poolside, archery, and challenging yourself at the low ropes course.

3-night: June 28 - July 1 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$350

K-POP ACADEMY

Get ready for your debut at the K-pop Dream Catchers Academy! The world's dreams and good vibes are fading, and it's up to you and your idol group to bring the sparkle back. Each day, you'll learn the secrets of being a pop star—from dazzling choreography and glitter-filled art to creating your own group song. But this is more than just a dance camp! You'll embark on magical missions to collect "dream sparkles," solve enchanting puzzles, and use your creativity to chase away the grumpies and fill the world with happiness. Join us for a week of music, magic, and friendship!



5-night: July 5-10 | For girls entering grades 1-8 | \$492

3-night: July 5-8 | For girls entering grades 1-8 | \$350

CAMP EVELYN ADVENTURE SEEKERS



Prepare for a summer of action with our Camp Evelyn Adventure Seekers camp! This is the ultimate outdoor experience for girls entering grades 6-12, designed for campers who love to get outside and explore. Every day is a new challenge! We'll become navigators and explorers, kayaking and paddle boarding, then switching gears to hike through the stunning sand dunes of Kohler-Andrae State Park where we'll practice orienteering. Get ready to push your limits, make new friends, and test your courage on a high ropes course and give rock climbing a try! Join us for a week packed with epic adventures that will build confidence, teamwork, and a lifelong love for the outdoors.

5-night: July 5-10 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$500

WATER WONDERLAND

Dive into an unforgettable summer adventure at Water Wonderland! Camp Evelyn is a watery paradise where fun and excitement meet. Explore the crystal-clear depths of our lake, cruise through the waves on a paddle board, and cool off in the refreshing pool. Feel the thrill of the river as you float along on a river tube surrounded by nature's beauty. From splashing around to soaking up the sun, Water Wonderland is your ultimate summer escape!



5-night: July 12-17 | For girls entering grades 1-8 | \$492

3-night: July 12-15 | For girls entering grades 1-8 | \$350



AQUA ADVENTURES



Aqua Adventures is more than just a camp; it's a thrilling journey of exploration, challenge, and camaraderie. Designed for adventurous girls entering grades 6-12, this camp offers an exciting mix of water sports and outdoor fun. From conquering the waves on a surf bike to discovering hidden gems on a kayak, you'll push your limits and create lasting memories. For the ultimate aquatic thrill, we'll introduce you to the wonders of the underwater world with scuba diving experiences. Whether you're a seasoned water enthusiast or a complete beginner, our expert instructors will guide you every step of the way. Get ready to make a splash, build confidence, and forge lifelong friendships.

5-night: July 12-17 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$515

CAMP HARRIET POTTER: A MAGICAL ADVENTURE

Welcome, young witches, to Camp Harriet Potter! This is your chance to step into a magical world where every day is a new adventure. You'll be sorted into your very own house and join your new friends for a week of enchanting fun. Attend classes like Potions, where you'll mix colorful, bubbly drinks, and Herbology, where you'll plant magical seeds that grow into sparkling treasures. We'll also play exciting games like our very own Quidditch match and go on magical scavenger hunts. Get your wands ready for a summer full of friendship, laughter, and a little bit of magic!



5-night: July 19-24 | For girls entering grades 1-6 | \$492

3-night: July 19-22 | For girls entering grades 1-6 | \$350

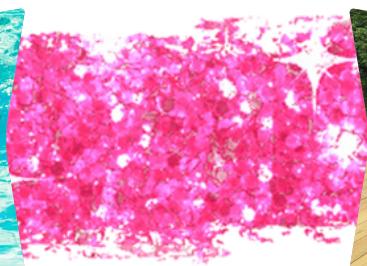
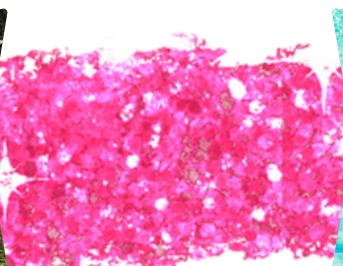
CAMP HARRIET POTTER: THE ADVANCED WITCHCRAFT ACADEMY



Are you ready to test your magical abilities? Welcome to Camp Harriet Potter, where we've created a rigorous and immersive program for seasoned witches. Upon arrival, you'll be sorted into a house and spend the week earning points for the coveted House Cup. Your days will be filled with advanced coursework in Potions, Charms, and Defense Against the Dark Arts. You'll hone your athletic talents in a competitive game of Quidditch, unravel a camp-wide mystery, and participate in a final magical tournament. This isn't just a camp; it's a test of your courage, wit, and magical prowess.

5-night: July 19-24 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$492

3-night: July 19-22 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$350





CAMP CRYSTAL LAKE

Spend a week of unforgettable fun at our beautiful Crystal Lake House! Enjoy the perfect blend of relaxation and adventure as you explore the crystal-clear waters of Crystal Lake. Dive into swimming, paddle boarding, surf biking, canoeing, and kayaking, all from the comfort of our lakeside retreat. Enjoy campfire nights, s'mores, and stargazing under the vast night sky. Make lasting memories with friends as you experience the beauty of nature and the thrill of water sports.

5-night: July 26-31 | For girls entering grades 6-12 | \$492



Dive into a world of enchantment and adventure as we explore the magical realm of mermaids! You will discover the secrets of the ocean, learn mermaid lore, and unleash your inner mermaid. From swimming and water sports, to arts and crafts, every activity will be infused with mermaid magic.

3-night: July 26-29 | For girls entering grades 1-6 | \$350

WICKED ADVENTURE & DISCOVERY CAMP

Unleash your inner spirit and journey to our own version of Shiz University, where each of you is a scholar ready for adventure! This week, you will immerse yourself in the vibrant world of Oz by tackling Wicked challenges and engaging in Emerald City design projects. You will explore the power of Defying Gravity through team-building expeditions and use the inspiration of the Grimmerie to fuel extraordinary art and creative writing. This camp is dedicated to embracing friendship, standing up for what's right, and discovering that being wicked is just another word for finding your confidence and becoming your most wonderful self. Get ready for a week of vibrant color, hands-on creation, and high-flying adventure!

5-night: August 2-7 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$492

3-night: August 2-5 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$350



ULTIMATE SUMMER SEND OFF



Our Ultimate Summer Send Off camp is the perfect way to cap off an unforgettable season. It's a high-energy, celebratory finale where every day is packed with non-stop fun and friendship. This week is all about coming together for a series of epic events. From a massive, friendly water balloon battle to a vibrant tie-dye and slime party. We'll celebrate all the memories we've made with a camp-wide scavenger hunt, a hilarious talent show, and a special campfire farewell feast. Join us for a week that's all about pure joy, crazy fun, and making sure the summer ends with a bang!

3-night: August 9-12 | For girls entering grades 1-12 | \$350

JUNIOR JAMBOREE



Join us for a week of adventure and sisterhood at the Camp Evelyn Junior Jamboree, designed for Girl Scouts entering grades 4-5. Our program is packed with activities to help you earn badges, build confidence, and create lasting memories. Spend your days mastering outdoor skills like shelter-building and fire-building to earn your Camper badge, exploring the natural world for your Animal Habitats badge, and getting hands-on with tools for your Craft and Tinker badge. Under the guidance of our trained and enthusiastic camp counselors, you will develop teamwork and leadership skills while participating in classic camp fun like singing songs around the campfire, sharing stories under the stars, and of course, swimming in the pool.

3-night: August 9-12 | For girls entering grades 4-5 | \$350

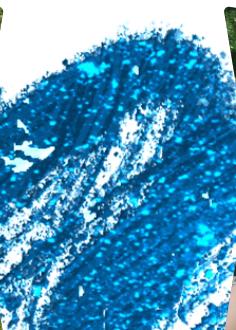
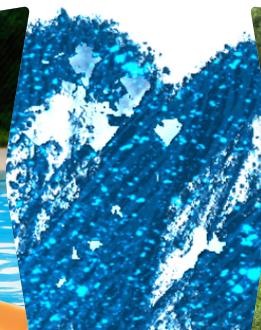
LEADERSHIP CAMP

All sessions are at Camp Evelyn. Check-in: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. & check-out: 3:30 p.m.

LEADERSHIP LAB

Ready to be a game-changer? The Girls' Leadership Lab is an action-packed camp where you'll get hands-on experience in what it takes to be a great leader. This is the perfect opportunity for Cadette Girl Scouts to build the confidence and skills needed to earn their Program Aide (PA) pin. We'll ditch the textbooks and dive into real-life challenges, from navigating a trust course, to designing a community project, all while practicing leadership with younger campers. You'll learn to think on your feet, work through conflict, and lead with empathy, walking away with a toolkit of skills that will last a lifetime and bring you one step closer to earning your pin.

5-night: August 2-7 | For girls entering grades 6-8 | \$492



PROGRAM AIDE TRAINING



Are you a confident and enthusiastic Girl Scout ready to inspire the next generation? Our Program Aide Training is designed to equip you with the skills and knowledge needed to become a successful Girl Scout Program Aide. Through hands-on training and mentorship, you'll learn how to plan engaging activities, build strong relationships with younger girls, and foster a supportive and inclusive environment. Discover your leadership abilities as you master essential skills such as communication, problem-solving, and teamwork.

June 7 from 3:00-6:00 p.m. | For girls entering grades 6-8 | \$25

Once you complete this in-person training, the virtual Program Aide Training offered online, or the equivalent, you are able to assist at our Camp Evelyn or Camp Manitou day camps. Tasks might include prepping activities, clean-up of activities, leading games and songs, or assisting the camp counselors with day camp groups. Your Program Aide application must be submitted and accepted prior to your participation.

COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING 1

Our Counselor-in-Training program is a great way for you to evolve your relationship with camp and help deliver the experience you fell in love with to a new generation of girls. You will have the chance to observe staff members and work alongside them while learning and practicing how to teach campers new skills. Spend time at camp learning about behavior management techniques, operational skills, and leadership. When you are not busy learning new things, you will get to enjoy all of the classic camp activities with your bunkmates.

July 5-17 | For girls entering grades 8-12 | \$800



COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING 2



Do you think you have what it takes to become a future camp counselor? You will experience what it's like to be a camp counselor under the supervision of one of our lead counselors. Plan and lead all-camp activities, assist with day camp, and learn about the different jobs that make camp possible. Beyond learning skills like communication and organization, you will elevate your thinking about the ways you can bring your unique strengths to camp and to the world at large.

July 19-31 | For girls entering grades 9-12 who completed CIT 1 | \$800



COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING 3

This program is geared at providing you with hands-on experience working in a unit or another area of the camp. You will work right alongside our experienced counselors and be assigned a mentor who will check in with you on a weekly basis. Spots are limited and an application is required. Once you register for the session, an application will be sent to you. If these dates don't work for you, please let us know. We are flexible about arranging other dates. After successful completion of the CIT 3 program, you may be invited back to volunteer and/or apply for a position as a paid junior counselor for the remainder of the summer.

June 14-26 | For girls who have completed CIT 1 & 2 | FREE

MOMS, POPS & PALS

At Camp Evelyn. Check-in: 9:00 a.m. & check-out: 10:00 a.m.

Join us for a weekend filled with fun and adventure! Bring your favorite adult and enjoy activities like kayaking, swimming, archery, and conquering the low ropes course. We'll also have plenty of time for campfire sing-alongs and delicious s'mores. Create lasting memories with your loved one in a fun and supportive environment.

**August 1-2 | For girls entering grades K-12 & adults
\$236 (1 adult + 1 girl), \$100 per additional participant**

Please note: To ensure a safe camping experience for everyone, adults who are not currently registered Girl Scout members will pay an additional \$30 and become members. Background checks will be completed. Only those passing the background check will attend the session. Refunds, less the \$30, will be given to anyone not passing the background check.



DAY CAMP

Sample camp for a day! Participate in daytime camp fun like theme week activities, swimming, hiking, art projects, singing camp songs, playing games, and nature activities, all while building independence. Open only to girls entering grades **K-6** in the fall. All day camps cost **\$59**.

Check-in starts at 8:30 a.m. and check-out starts at 4:00 p.m. **CAMP EVELYN:** lunch is provided. **CAMP MANITOU:** lunch is not provided; please pack a lunch. Our camp counselors will provide supervision and magical experiences at our day camps. They are girl-only events. Adults may not remain on camp property during the session. Be prepared: day campers often have so much fun they will want to participate in an overnight session as soon as possible!

Camp Evelyn Days: **June 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 18, 25** **Camp Manitou Days:** **June 29, 30**

July 9, 16, 23, 30

August 6, 13

July 1

August 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

Camp Evelyn



Mermaid Academy – June 8: Earn your mermaid fins this summer at our magical Mermaid Academy! Enjoy a special mermaid makeover which includes hair, glitter makeup, and nails. Make a crown and other accessories to go along with your mermaid costume. Part of the day will involve taking a dip in the Atlantic Ocean (the pool).



Water Wonderland – June 9: Splash into summer fun at Camp Evelyn! Join us for a day of water-filled adventures. Cool off in our refreshing pool with an extra block of swim time. Feel the thrill of floating down the river on a tube. Learn exciting new water games all while making new friends!

Slime Spectacular – June 10: Get ready for a gooey, gloppy, and totally awesome adventure! Our Slime Spectacular camp is all about exploring the wonderful world of slime. From creating your own custom slime concoctions to learning about the science behind the slime, you'll have a blast. We'll experiment with different textures, colors, and scents to create the ultimate slime masterpieces. Plus, we'll have slime-themed games and challenges!

Experimenting with Fun: A Lilo & Stitch Summer – June 11: Get ready for a summer camp that's out of this world! Embark on a Lilo & Stitch-themed adventure! From creative projects inspired by Lilo's love for art to team activities that celebrate the meaning of 'ohana,' this camp blends the warmth of friendship with the fun of tropical activities. Join us as we "stitch" together unforgettable memories!

Fairytale Adventures – June 12: Enjoy a magical day at Camp Evelyn filled with adventures straight from fairytales. Follow the breadcrumb footsteps on a scavenger hunt through the woods where you will find a hidden stash of candy. Just be sure not to get caught by the witch. Search **12** for magic beans and gold coins and learn ballroom dancing.





Camp of a Showgirl – June 18: Inspired by Taylor Swift's newest era of dazzling spectacle and powerful self-expression, Camp of a Showgirl is where confidence meets creativity. This one-day program is focused on finding your inner star and crafting a signature performance moment. During the day, you'll dive deep into the performance trifecta: story, style, and stage presence. You will brainstorm personal themes, design a costume element or prop, and master the techniques needed to command any stage. You'll learn that being a "Showgirl" is about more than glitter—it's about owning your story.



Retro Rewind: Camp Y2K – June 25: Step into a time machine for a day of Y2K fun! We'll spend the day celebrating all things 2000s, from crafting friendship bracelets and tie-dye, to mastering the moves for our very own music video. Get ready for a day of pop-punk beats, bold fashion, and nostalgic fun that puts a modern twist on a classic era.

K-pop Academy – July 9: Get ready to sparkle and shine at the K-pop Dream Catchers Academy! In this jam-packed, single-day adventure, you and your idol group will embark on a special mission to bring joy back to the world.



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Wicked Adventure & Discovery – August 6: Spend a dazzling day at Shiz University for our wickedly wonderful one-day camp! Dive into the world of Oz with high-energy Wicked adventures and hands-on Emerald City design projects. We'll tackle team challenges like the Defying Gravity quest and discover the courage to be ourselves. Get ready for an action-packed day of friendship, creativity, and finding your true colors!

Ultimate Summer Send Off – August 13: Our ultimate summer send-off is a one-day camp designed to be the biggest, most exciting party of the summer! Get ready for a day packed with non-stop fun and friendship. We'll kick things off with a massive pool party and a water balloon battle. After all the splashing, it's time to get creative with a sticky slime party. We'll celebrate all our summer memories with a special farewell treat and end the day with a final dose of pure fun. Join us for an unforgettable day that's all about making sure the summer ends with a bang! **13**

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Unicorn University – August 7: Get ready for a day of pure magic! Our unicorn day camp is a fantastical adventure where every moment sparkles. Dive into a world of wonder, creating your own unicorn gear, decorating enchanted unicorn cookies, and going on a magical quest. Join us for a day filled with creativity, friendship, and all the glitter you can dream of!

LIFE AT CAMP

DELICIOUS MEALS



There is nothing like activity and fresh air to make a girl HUNGRY! Camp meals and snacks are healthy and kid-friendly. Most meals are prepared by our cooks and are eaten in the dining hall. Three- and five-night campers: you will also cook at least one meal yourself outdoors.

Some of the foods we eat at camp are: French toast sticks, eggs, walking tacos, mac and cheese, grilled cheese and tomato soup, and pizza pudgie pies. Plus there's always plenty of fruit, veggies and dip, and salad!

SWEET DREAMS

At Camp Evelyn, you will sleep on cots covered with mosquito netting in tents set up on raised platforms or in cabins. Blankets, pillows, sleeping bags, sheets from home, and maybe even a favorite stuffed animal will make your cot comfy and cozy. Counselors sleep in tents or cabins that are VERY close by, but not in the same tent or cabin as you. Decisions on what unit you'll call home for your time at camp will depend on how many girls are at camp that week, your age, the camp session, and the availability of our units. At Camp Manitou, you will sleep in troop houses on mattresses, slumber-party style.



KAPERS

Kapers are chores. It is important in Girl Scouting to learn that everyone must do their share. In small groups, you will take turns doing kapers like setting and clearing dining hall tables, sweeping, raising and lowering the flag, keeping your tent or cabin mess-free, and helping camp be as beautiful as it can be.

CAMP STORE (CANTEEN)

The Camp Evelyn store (Canteen) is bursting with camp goodies, including T-shirts, stickers, water bottles, toys, additional activity items, snacks, and more. A popular item, the yearly camp T-shirt, will cost \$30. All Camp Evelyn campers will have the opportunity to visit the Canteen at least once during their session, including Camp Evelyn day campers.

Parents: Help your daughter bring her camp memories home by depositing funds into her camp store account when you register for camp, anytime before camp, or during check-in. Cash, check, credit card, and program credits earned in the cookie sale are accepted in the Canteen. Any remaining balance at the end of the camp session can be donated to camp or will be refunded to you following the camp session.

Let your daughter know you will be thinking of her with a camp care package! Care packages are purchased when you register and are given to your daughter on her first day at camp.

This year's care package costs \$40 and contains: a cotton backpack, plush key chain, water bottle, bandana, sunglasses, postcards, and a camp bracelet.

THREE VARIETIES OF CAMP FUN

ALL-CAMP ACTION

You'll love the magic that comes only from a large group all together. So a few times per week the whole camp gets together for talent shows, dance parties, campfires, games, scavenger hunts, pool parties, guest presenters, and more!

UNIT UNITY

The girls who live together in your camp community, called a "unit," are close to your age and become your closest friends. Together you might stay up late, share stories before bed, cook your dinner over the fire, conquer an obstacle course, jump in the lake, play games, laugh like never before, or inspire each other with unique art projects.

INDIVIDUAL ADVENTURES

Each of you are special with unique talents and interests. Every day you will get to choose from activities that are open to girls from the entire camp. This allows you to make new friends and to try different activities like archery, stand up paddle boarding, kayaking, log rolling, river stomping, games, and so much more.

CAMP PACKING LIST

Get ready for camp using this handy packing list.

Camper pro tip: If you help pack, you'll know what you have and where it is. Plus, you'll have an easier time packing to go home!

Suitcase/Duffel:

- Flashlight or headlamp with new batteries
- Hiking/sturdy shoes, tennis shoes, Crocs/Tevas
- Light jackets, sweatshirts, fleece, or sweaters (1 or 2)
- Short-sleeve shirts for each day, plus extras
- Jeans or pants (1 or 2)
Long-sleeve shirts (1 or 2)
- Pillow and pillowcase
Sleeping bag or blanket
- Poncho, rain coat or rain gear
- Shorts for each day, plus extras
- Mess kit: fork, spoon, knife, bowl/plate, cup
- Sleepwear
- Socks for each day, plus extras
- Towel(s)
(bath and beach type)
- Underwear for each day, plus extras

Backpack/Tote Bag:

- Body wash or soap
- Brush, comb, and hair ties
- Deodorant
Facial tissue
- Feminine hygiene products
- Insect repellent
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Shaving cream and razors
- Sunscreen (waterproof) and lip balm
- Swimsuit (1 or 2)
- Towel(s)
(bath and beach type)
- Toothbrush and paste
Washcloth or shower puff
- Water shoes
- Water bottle

Optional:

- Bandanas, hats or visors
- Belt
- Book, deck of cards, quiet games for Me Time
- Fitted twin sheet for cot
- Inexpensive or disposable camera
- Items for tie-dying (white t-shirt, pillowcase, etc.)
- Laundry bag
- Stationery, writing utensils
- Pre-addressed and stamped envelopes
- Waterproof watch
Battery-operated fan
- Sunglasses
- Stuffed animal
- Flip flops (for use in shower house only!)

Day Camp Packing List:

Backpack, sunscreen, bug spray, water shoes, swimsuit and towel, extra set of clothes, water bottle, cold lunch (required for Camp Manitou sessions)

CAMP READINESS QUIZ

Take this simple interactive quiz to help see how ready you are for camp! You might need your parent to help you out with some of the answers. Check the scores at the end for our recommendations and tips to make sure you're ready for camp!

1. What grade are you in?

- A. K - 2nd grade
- B. 3rd - 5th grade
- C. 6th grade and up

2. How many times have you spent the night away from home?

- A. 0-5 times
- B. 5-10 times
- C. 10 or more times

3. How many nights, in a row, have you spent away from home?

- A. 0-1 nights
- B. 2-3 nights
- C. 4 or more nights

4. How do you feel about wildlife, dirt, bugs, and nature in general?

- A. I'm scared or very unsure about nature.
- B. I have some hesitation or fear about bugs or wildlife but otherwise I'm pretty comfortable in nature.
- C. I'm just as likely to have a worm in my hand as a crayon.

5. Have you ever gone camping?

- A. No, not yet.
- B. Yes, in a modern cabin setting.
- C. Yes, in tents or rustic cabins.

6. How do you react to a new situation (first day of school, first day of a sports season, new environment or playground, etc.)?

- A. I'm very hesitant and cling to Mom or Dad.
- B. I'm hesitant at first but usually get over it fairly quickly with a little reassurance.
- C. I'm off and running before I can even say goodbye.

7. How do you interact with your peers?

- A. I have trouble communicating with them and rely on adult help.
- B. I interact positively with my peers with little interference from adults.
- C. I interact positively with my peers and usually solve conflicts without adult help.

8. Can you do your own daily self-care such as tooth brushing, hair brushing, hand washing, getting dressed, and tying shoelaces?

- A. I cannot do most of these things without adult help.
- B. I need minimal adult help with any of these things.
- C. I don't need any adult help, other than a reminder to do these things.

9. How well do you follow instructions?

- A. My parents or other adults usually have to repeat instructions many times before I will do it.**
- B. I usually follow instructions but sometimes have to be reminded.**
- C. I am very good at following instructions and will ask questions if I'm not sure.**

10. When my family or troop talks about summer camp I...

- A. Get nervous and seem concerned.**
- B. Have a lot of questions but seem interested in the idea.**
- C. I'm begging to go.**

11. What is your gut feeling about how you will do at summer camp?

- A. I'm not sure, I think I might not be ready.**
- B. It might be hard, but I think I'll be fine.**
- C. I'm confident that I will have an amazing time.**

Add 1 point for each question you answered A, 2 points for each question you answered B, and 3 points for each question you answered C.

My Points Total = _____

If you scored 11-16 points: You should absolutely come to camp this summer and we have a few ideas to make sure you'll have the best time! Talk with your parents and see what you can do to change your score. Can you learn to tie your own shoes before camp? Can you try some overnights with your troop or friends to practice being away from home? Can you get outdoors more or maybe learn more about bugs and wildlife you might encounter so you aren't afraid? If you work on these things, you'll be ready for an overnight camp experience! You can also come to our spring camp events to see camp and meet your counselors before summer camp. You can also try out a day camp before coming to your first overnight camp to feel even more prepared.

If you scored 17-25 points: You're ready for camp! A great way to make sure you're prepared is to be part of the planning process. Help pack for your camp session, keep practicing things you'll need to do at camp, and make a plan for everything you want to do while at camp.

If you scored 26-33 points: It's time for camp! You're going to love your camp experience. You might want to come to multiple sessions this summer since you're an expert camper. Get ready to pack your own bags because we'll see you this summer.



PARENT INFORMATION

Hey parents! These next few pages are for you. Get all the information you need to understand the importance of summer camp, feel comfortable sending your daughter to camp, learn how to register, and more!

SAFETY

Safety is priority number one at camp. Our counselors complete intense training on how to keep girls safe while still having lots of fun. Camp Evelyn and Camp Manitou are operated by the standards of Girl Scouts of the USA, which meet or exceed the standards of the local and state health departments.

All counselors pass a thorough screening process including criminal and sexual offender background checks. All counselors are certified in CPR and first aid, and many are lifeguards. A qualified health supervisor is on-site at all times, and a doctor is on call. Our camps are a safe place, and you can rest comfortably knowing your daughter is being well taken care of.

We don't let a little rain stop us – and sometimes it's even fun to play in the rain – but some program activities are dependent upon the weather. In the event that there is severe weather in the area, all girls are moved to our storm location on camp property.

CELL PHONES & KEEPING IN TOUCH

Camp is purposefully a place where girls can be “unplugged,” allowing them to fully connect with each other and the environment. Cell phones and other electronic devices are not allowed at camp.

A letter or email from home can make the difference between a good day and a great day! Mail a letter to your daughter before her camp session and have her pack pre-addressed envelopes and stamps so she can write back! There are also CampGrams available on CampDoc. This is a one-way communication tool that lets you send messages to your daughter while she is at camp. We post photos daily to the Camp Evelyn Facebook page and our photo program, Waldo Photos, so that you can follow along with all the fun your daughter is having at camp. More information about CampGrams and Waldo Photos will be provided after you register for camp.

SPECIAL NEEDS

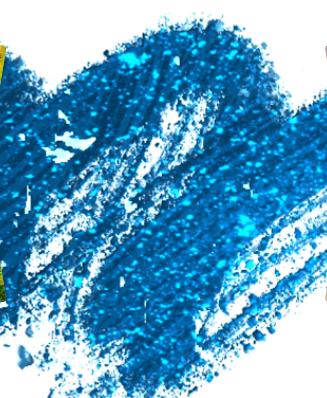
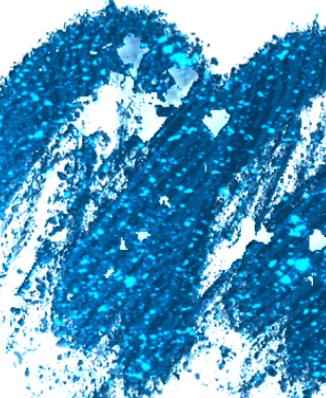
EVERY GIRL deserves the chance to camp. Our camps can accommodate most physical, medical, developmental, dietary, behavioral, or communication needs. Contact the Director of Camp and Program to discuss the nature of your daughter's specific needs and any concerns or questions you might have.

WHY CAMP?

Summer is when some of the most fun childhood memories are made, but it's also an awesome opportunity for your daughter to grow, learn, and become her best self. Here are seven amazing benefits your daughter will get from her overnight summer camp experience:

1. **She'll make new friends.** There's nothing quite like giggling over games in the tent or cabin or singing with new besties around a campfire. That's why it's actually good to send her to camp where she might not know many (or any) other girls! Having a diverse group of friends, not just kids she knows from school, will broaden her horizons and help her see her own worth, too.
2. **She'll see all she can be.** In an all-girl environment like camp, girls are more comfortable trying new outdoor activities, and they get to take the lead every single time – meaning there's plenty of room at the top for your daughter to take charge and flex her muscle, both when it comes to outdoor adventure and crucial leadership skills that will last her a lifetime.
3. **She'll turn off her phone and tune in to nature.** Getting out in nature, soaking up the sun, or dashing inside during a sudden downpour is way more exciting than any app she might have on her phone and is all part of the adventure of camp. Unplugging for a while will keep her more present and truly enjoying every moment instead of simply watching it from a screen.
4. **She'll grow her grit.** The truth is, she might scrape a knee or elbow while she's away – and that's a good thing! When she learns to get back up after minor setbacks, like scrapes and bumps, she's building resilience and learning that she's a lot tougher than she thinks.
5. **She'll meet new mentors.** Having a variety of awesome role models will help your girl see the many ways to be successful and happy in life. And the incredibly supportive staff and counselors at camp are ready to step up to the plate and inspire!
6. **She'll gain independence.** Being away from home – especially if that's a new thing for her! – might be a bit intimidating to both your daughter and you. But having that time away to explore and try activities on her own will make her more self-reliant and able to discover new things to share and teach you when she returns home.
7. **She'll have tons of time for play.** Playtime is anything but a waste of time. In fact, studies show that play allows the neurons in a child's brain to form new connections – and that this rewiring helps boost emotional intelligence, decision-making skills, creativity, and problem-solving abilities.

The truth is, sending your daughter off to overnight camp is one of the best gifts you can give her. The fun, outdoor adventure, and friends will enrich her life and – perhaps without her even noticing it – give her the courage, people skills, and leadership chops to succeed at whatever she sets her mind to.



CAMP REGISTRATION

Registration, health information, required forms, camp photos, and camp letters are all on one easy-to-use system ... CampDoc.com!

Simply create an account or log in to register. You can even add on items like a camp T-shirt or care package.



Scan to register on CampDoc



Scan to visit the camp pages on our website

A confirmation email will arrive shortly after you register. This email contains links to vital information and will provide details about required health and transportation information you will need to provide to us. It is important that you read through this email and the links very soon after receiving it. Please check your spam/junk folder if you do not see it in your inbox. If you do not receive a confirmation email from us within 24 hours, please contact us at hope@gsm Manitou.org or 920-565-4575.

Program credits and free sessions earned in the 2026 Cookie Sale and financial assistance can all be used when registering your daughter for camp.

Both our website & CampDoc have detailed instructions on how to use program credits, free sessions, and financial assistance.

When registering, you can even set up a payment plan to have the camp fee charged to you over time rather than all at once.

All girls entering grades K-12 are welcome at camp! If your daughter isn't a Girl Scout yet, you will add the \$50 Girl Scout membership dues to the camp fee during the registration process so that your daughter will become a member. For an incredible deal, pay \$91 to be a member for a whole additional school year.

After registering for a session, refunds less a processing fee are considered on a case-by-case basis with three weeks' notice or due to an emergency.

If you have questions or need assistance with registering your daughter for camp, please contact us at 920-565-4575 or hope@gsm Manitou.org.

For CampDoc.com log in or technical issues, please visit support.campdoc.com or call 734-619-8300 ext. 2.

VISIT CAMP THIS SPRING

AMAZING SCAVENGER HUNT ADVENTURE

Turn Camp Evelyn into a giant board game with this fun scavenger hunt adventure. You will combine the excitement of the *Amazing Race* with the challenge of solving clues and completing puzzles. Along the way, you will also learn some Camp Evelyn and Girl Scout history. At least one adult must be present with each team. Bring your walking shoes as clues will be located throughout the camp! The winning team will earn a 1-night stay in one of our camp buildings.

April 25 from 9:00-11:30 a.m. | For girls in grades K-12 | \$10 per person

CLEANING WITH MEANING

We welcome everyone and anyone who loves Camp Evelyn to come join us as we “spruce up” camp for the summer season. There will be projects for everyone! The morning will start with trail maintenance, deep cleaning, organizing, and putting up our platform tents. We will make sure to celebrate our service with a delicious meal and s’mores over the campfire. In the afternoon, we will continue our work, but not without a few songs and stories from fellow campers, past, present, and future!

May 16 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. | Adults & girls in grades 6-12 | FREE - Lunch Included

CAMP MANITO SAMPLE DAY CAMP

If you want to visit camp before summer or just can't wait for camp to start, this day is sure to be a fabulous experience! Sample some of our classic camp activities such as hiking, boating (weather permitting), songs, and art projects. There will also be time for a guided tour and a summer camp Q&A. Please note: this is a girl-only drop-off event. Camp counselors will provide all activities and supervision. Lunch is not provided, so please pack a cold lunch.

May 23 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. | For girls in grades K-5 | \$30 per person

CAMP EVELYN DAY

Join us for a fun-filled day at Camp Evelyn! Meet your camp counselors and visit the unit where you will stay at camp. Participate in classic camp activities such as archery (Brownies and up), swimming in the pool (weather permitting), arts and crafts, and hiking to Crystal Lake. Take a tour through camp and get all your questions about camp answered by one of our counselors. Bring your family or your entire troop! Lunch and s’mores over the campfire will be provided.

May 30 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. | For girls in grades K-12 | \$15 per person



SAVE THE DATE!

We're throwing an epic
celebration for the United
States' 250th birthday!

Party in the USA
July 11 at Camp Evelyn
\$10/person
All ages!

SEE YOU THIS SUMMER!



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