

GIRL SCOUT BADGE PROGRAMS

Kendall County Forest Preserve District offers engaging badge programs, designed to fulfill badge requirements! These programs are hosted at our forest preserves to connect scouts to their local natural environment.

Scout programs start at \$8 per scout, with a \$64 minimum. To register please contact: KCFPDeducation@kendallcountyil.gov

DAISY'S- OUTDOOR ART MAKER

ART CAN BE ANYWHERE AND ESPECIALLY IN NATURE! COME MAKE ART WITH NATURAL OBJECTS AND MEDIUMS

DAISY'S- ECO LEARNER

BECOME A PROTECTOR OF NATURE AND LEARN HOW TO BE PREPARED TO GO OUTDOORS

BROWNIE'S- ECO FRIEND

HELP THE GREAT OUTDOORS BY BEING OUTDOOR STEWARDS! LEARN HOW TO BE SAFE IN NATURE AND BUILD A CAMPFIRE

BROWNIE'S- BUGS

BUZZ THROUGH THE WORLD OF BUGS! CREATE A BUG POSTER AND MAKE A BUG CRAFT, FIND REAL BUGS IN THEIR HOMES, AND TAKE A HIKE TO SEE ALL THE BUGS WE CAN.

OUTDOOR BADGE PROGRAM

DOES YOUR TROOP WANT TO ENJOY THE GREAT OUTDOORS? WE HAVE AN OUTDOOR OR TRAIL ADVENTURE BADGE FOR EVERY AGE GROUP! LEARN AN OUTDOOR SKILL LIKE USING A COMPASS, TYING A NEW KNOT, OR PRACTICING FIRE SAFETY WITH A REAL CAMP FIRE

JUNIOR- ECO CAMPER

PUT THE LEAVE NO TRACE PRINCIPLES INTO PRACTICE AT YOUR OWN CAMPSITE AND TAKE A HIKE TO LEARN ABOUT CONSERVATION IN OUR FOREST PRESERVES

JUNIOR- FLOWERS

FIND OUT WHAT'S FANTASTIC ABOUT FLOWERS! LEARN ABOUT NATIVE FLOWERS, EXAMINE THEIR PARTS, AND SEND A MESSAGE THROUGH FLOWERS ON A POSTCARD.

CADETTE'S- NIGHT OWL

GET FAMILIAR WITH NIGHTTIME IN THE FOREST! GO ON A NIGHT HIKE, LEARN ABOUT THE WORLD AFTER SUNSET, FIND ANIMALS WHO WORK THE NIGHT SHIFT

CADETTE'S- TREES

LEARN ABOUT TREE SCIENCE AND WHAT TREES DO FOR US! TRY A TREE CRAFT AND DO A SERVE PROJECT TO HELP OUT SOME OF THE FOREST PRESERVE'S TREES.



Would your troop like to go camping? Earn a badge with us and get a discount on KCFPD bunkhouse rentals



KENDALL COUNTY FOREST PRESERVE DISTRICT

Girl Scout Badge - Registration Form

Scout Troop and Leader Information:

Troop Name & Number:	
Leader Name:	
Leader Cell Number:	
Leader Email:	
Leader Mailing Address:	

Check Mark your Desired Scout Program Below:

What is your age Group?	What Badge Program are you looking to schedule?		
√ ___ Daisy <i>(90 minutes)</i>	√ ___ Eco Friend	√ ___ Outdoor Art Maker	
√ ___ Brownie <i>(2 hours)</i>	√ ___ Outdoor Adventure	√ ___ Eco Leaner	√ ___ Bugs - Naturalist
√ ___ Junior <i>(2 hours)</i>	√ ___ Eco Camper	√ ___ Flowers - Naturalist	
√ ___ Cadette <i>(2 hours)</i>	√ ___ Trailblazing - Outdoors	√ ___ Night Owl - Adventure	√ ___ Trees - Naturalist

When would you like to Book your Scout Program?

In the boxes below- please write in your top three desired months/dates/times.
We will do our best to accommodate you, based on staffing availability and pavilion availability

	Your First Choice:	Second Choice:	Third Choice:
Requested Month:			
Requested Date:			
Requested Time of the day:			

Education Department Scout Badge & Field Trip Policy

- Dates for Scout badges & field trips are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis. Booking well in advance of your program is highly recommended. September, October, April, and May are the busiest times of the year.
- Adult-child ratio: It is suggested that there be a 1:6 ratio for children up to age 8 and 1:10 ratio for children 8-18. Adult leaders are expected to be involved with the program and not use their cell phones during program time.
- Scout Leaders and adult leaders are expected to use proper behavior management with their groups:
 - Outdoors: For everyone's safety and enjoyment of the field trip, we require visitors to stay on the marked trails and follow instructions given by their Kendall County Forest Preserve program educator / leader. Visitors must place garbage in a garbage can. Visitors are expected to show respect for the natural world during their visit. Prohibited activities include picking any plant or fungi, removing any natural thing from a Forest Preserve, and disturbing wildlife. Other activities may also be excluded- please refer any additional questions to your Kendall County Forest Preserve Educator.
- Payments can be made with check or credit card. Credit Card payments can be made in person or over the phone. The District charges an additional 2.5% fee for all credit card payments. Check payments are made payable to: Kendall County Forest Preserve District and mailed to KCFPD – Accounts Receivable, 110 W. Madison St., Yorkville, IL 60560.
- Payment must be received at least thirty days prior to the event. Failure to receive payment thirty days prior to the event may result in cancellation of your reservation. A signed invoice must be returned to the Forest Preserve from the group to confirm a reservation.
- The invoiced amount is based on the per child program fee multiplied by the anticipated number of children attending. A minimum of 8 children is required to register. The program fee will not be reduced, or refunded if less children attend. If additional children participate, a supplemental payment is due to the District on the program date.
- Cancellations:
 - More than thirty days prior to the field trip: Full refund
 - Less than thirty days prior to the field trip: No refund
 - Programs will be cancelled when there are thunderstorms or severe weather warnings. The District will conduct a program if there is rain. Please come prepared with appropriate weather-related clothing (i.e., ponchos, rain gear, etc.). If the Forest Preserve cancels a program, we will make every effort to re-schedule. If there is not a date that will work for both parties, a full refund will be given.
- Shelter rentals: Shelter arrangements are handled separately from field trip reservations. If your group would like to rent a shelter, bunkhouse, or other facility to use during their visit, arrangements can be made by calling the Kendall County Forest Preserve District's main office at 630-553-4025. Scout Troops who book a badge program with us can take advantage of discounts on bunkhouse and group campsite rates for the night before or the day following your troop's program date – please ask.

Payment Instructions

Payment Amount is:
\$8/Scout
With a minimum of
\$64 per program

What is your headcount of expected Girl Scouts for this program:

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Your total amount due is (based on your headcount):

\$

Full payment must be received 30 days prior to your program. Failure to receive payment 2 weeks prior to your program may result in cancellation of your reservation. A signed invoice is required to be returned to the Forest Preserve from the Scout Leader at the time of booking your program/event.

Payments:
Check or credit cards
are accepted.

For credit card payments, please fill out attached credit card payment form (*a 3.5% Processing Fee applies*) The original number (headcount) of children determines the cost of the program (The minimum amount of a Scout Program is \$64). There is no refund or credit given back to your institution, if any of this original number of children do not attend on the day of the program. If you have more children show up & participate on the date of your program, a supplemental payment will be required to be given to the KCFPD that day.

Checks are made payable to: *Kendall County Forest Preserve* and mail to:
110 W. Madison St., Yorkville, IL 60560

I have read the above Scout Badge Rules & Policy Details and I agree to the above Scout Program rules and Payment Instructions as stated above.

Signature of Troop
Leader is required:

Date:

For additional information and questions: Email us at KCFPDeducation@kendallcountyil.gov

Credit Card Payment Form

(3.5% Processing Fee Applied)

Name:

Event Date:

Reservation Fee:

Name on card:

Billing address:

City:

State & Zip:

Card type (circle one): Visa MasterCard Discover Card

Card number:

Security Code (on back):

Expiration Date:

I authorize Kendall County Forest Preserve District to charge my credit card the amount indicated above as noted.

Signature: