

Adult Learning

Girl Scouts of Central Illinois offers learning opportunities as part of our commitment to adult volunteers. Courses are offered in a variety of formats: online, via home study, or at GSCI service centers.

Registration deadline is one week prior to the session. Register online at www.girlscouts-gsci.org or call Cam Lahart, Volunteer Development Specialist, at 800-640-8671 ext. 1410.

Orientation to Girl Scouting

Orientation to Girl Scouting is a general overview of the Girl Scout program and is required before beginning any volunteer position. You may take this session online at <http://training.girlscouts.org>. Password: discover. When setting up the learning log, enter adultlearning@girlscouts-gsci.org.

Getting Started

This Learning Opportunity is designed to help your troop get started: family meetings, safety issues, ideas for first meetings, and council forms. Required for all new leaders, this session is scheduled with your Membership Specialist.

Leadership Essentials

Leadership Essentials is designed to equip leaders with information about how to lead girls to discover, connect, and take action using journeys and badges. It will cover leadership and management skills, plus grade appropriate program information. All grade levels are included in the course. Leadership Essentials can be taken:

- Online at <http://training.girlscouts.org>. When setting up the learning log, enter adultlearning@girlscouts-gsci.org.
- Via Home Study available from Girl Scouts of Central Illinois

Classroom Learning Opportunities

Girl Scouts of Central Illinois offers several learning opportunities throughout the year in a classroom setting. The registration deadline for classroom learning opportunities is one week prior to a given session. Classroom learning opportunities include:

- **First Aid/CPR**
- **Basic Outdoor Training**
- **Thirsty Firsty**
- **Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting**
- **Journeys**

To learn more about all council-sponsored adult learning opportunities and to view a course schedule and register, please visit our website at www.girlscouts-gsci.org. For additional information contact Cam Lahart, Volunteer Development Specialist, at clahart@girlscouts-gsci.org or 800-640-8671 ext. 1410

Women's Retreat

Renew, relax, and rediscover the wonder of camp. Camp Tapawingo's beautifully varied landscape provides the perfect setting for this holistic retreat for women. Bring friends, or take the opportunity to get away by yourself and meet new people. Professionals in the fields of health, exercise, the arts, and outdoor education will provide a variety of physical, mental, and spiritual activities to choose from, including canoeing, archery, guided hikes, massage, yoga, horseback riding, and testing your skills on the challenge course.

Who: Women age 18 and older

Date: Friday, October 14 - Sunday, October 16, 2011

Location: Camp Tapawingo, Metamora

Time: 7:00 p.m. Friday - 11:00 a.m. Sunday

Fee: \$40 per adult

Min/Max: 25/100

Breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday, breakfast on Sunday, and snacks are provided. Participants should eat dinner before arriving on Friday.

