



## Our World Our Family 2025 Information Packet

Dear Girl Scout Friends and Families,

You're invited to join us for Our World Our Family's (OWOF) 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! This weekend program takes place at Camp Lake Hubert and Camp Lincoln near Nisswa, MN. OWOF serves as a celebration of the end of the Girl Scout year and is popular among all ages, Grades K-12 and adults. Girl participants can choose from over 70 activities including STEM, sports and fitness, environmental education, art, leadership development and more!

### Dates to Know:

- **Event Dates:** Friday, September 5 – Sunday, September 7, 2025
- **Early Bird Registration:** May 13, 10:00am – June 30, 2025 (10% discount with deposit payment)
- **Regular Registration:** July 1 – July 13, 2025 (Full-cost, pay in-full)
- **Registration Closes (refund deadline):** Sunday, July 13, 2025, 11:59pm
- **OWOF Tips & Tricks Zoom:** Tuesday, August 26, 2025, 6:30pm

### New Registration Dates & Rates

In order ensure we are good stewards of finances; we have adjusted our registration dates to offer an **Early Bird Registration** and **Regular Registration**. Members who register during our Early Bird Registration period (May 13 – June 30) will get to take advantage of a 10% discount PLUS 50% deposit at time of registration. *See event cost details on page 2 and payment and registration details on page 4 in this packet.*

All participants will get to select their preferred activities for a customized OWOF experience! Once registration is completed through MyGS on GS Events, **all participants MUST complete The Activity Jotform (link will be available on the Event page online) to select their preferred activities.** Activities are designed to meet the needs of the grade level listed. Activity grade levels are based on the grade of your Girl Scout(s) for the upcoming school year (Fall 2025).

New activities this year will include scrapbooking, stained glass art, mixology, pickleball, gaga ball, and many more! We will also be continuing our classic OWOF activities including SWAPS, swimming, boating, eco art, fishing, soap making, and more. High ropes course, low ropes course, climbing wall, and riflery will be available for an additional fee with spaces based on age and activity capacities.

We will be offering adult training at OWOF again this year! Sessions include information focused on programs, highest awards, travel, product program, coffee with our CEO, and more. We will continue to offer Youth Mental Health First Aid training. We are delighted to provide adults and high school Girl Scouts with an opportunity to earn their American Red Cross CPR/First Aid/AED certification. **These two courses will have limited spaces available with require online pre-course work: be prepared to spend most of your day in these trainings.**

We are so excited to gather with you in September to celebrate 40 years of OWOF!

Yours in Girl Scouting,  
Program Team  
Girl Scouts Lakes & Pines

## General Event Information

### Girl Scout, Lakes & Pines DEI Statement

GSMWLP is committed to providing an inclusive environment which welcomes all girls, celebrates diversity, and ensures equity for all. All programs and events must foster a sense of belonging while providing a safe space for everyone to champion girl ambition.

### Let's Get Started!

**All Girl Scout youth must attend with adult guardians – this is NOT a drop off event.**

How many adults do you need? See the chart below for adult safety ratio requirements by Girl Scout level.

Events, Travel and Camping		
	<i>Two</i> unrelated adults (at least one of whom is female) for this number of girls:	Plus <i>one</i> additional adult for each additional number of this many girls:
Daisies <i>Grades K – 1</i>	6	4
Brownies <i>Grades 2 – 3</i>	12	6
Juniors <i>Grades 4 – 5</i>	16	8
Cadettes <i>Grades 6 – 8</i>	20	10
Seniors & Ambassadors <i>Grades 9 – 12</i>	24	12

### Event Cost by Length of Stay

There are multiple options for your OWOF experience. You may sign up as a troop or family and choose to stay for the full weekend (Friday – Sunday), one night only (Friday OR Saturday night), or spend the day with us (Saturday only).

Description	Arrival Time	Included in Fee			Departure	Early Bird Registration 5/13-6/30 <i>(50% deposit @ registration)</i>	Regular Registration 7/1-7/13
		Sessions	Nights	Meals			
All Weekend Sept 5-7	Friday Evening 6-8pm	7	2	4	Sunday Midday 11:30am	\$185.00 <i>(50% deposit @ registration)</i>	\$204
Friday Night Sept 5-6	Friday Evening 6-8pm	5	1	2	Saturday Evening 5:30pm	\$105.00 <i>(50% deposit @ registration)</i>	\$116
Saturday Night Sept 6-7	Saturday Morning 8-9am	7	1	3	Sunday Midday 11:30am	\$145.00 <i>(50% deposit @ registration)</i>	\$160
Saturday Only Sept 6	Saturday Morning 8-9am	5	0	1	Saturday Evening 5:30pm	\$85.00 <i>(50% deposit @ registration)</i>	\$94

### Additional fees for specialty activities (only pay if scheduled for these activities):

- **High Ropes Fee, Per Girl:** \$25.00 (1 session in length)
- **Climbing Wall Fee, Per Girl:** \$20.00 (2 sessions in length)
- **Riflery Fee, Per Person:** \$15.00 (1 session in length)
- **Low Ropes Fee, Per Girl:** \$10.00 (1 session in length)

## Adults at OWOF

- **Participate:** Pick your own session - whether it's an adult training, adult-only activity, or an activity designed for girls and adults to do together. Troop Leaders and parent chaperones play an important role: they are responsible for supervising their troop/child, helping them find their sessions, and meeting safety ratios.
- **Observe:** You may watch your troop or child at any of their sessions, except for high ropes, low ropes, climbing wall, or riflery.
- **Volunteer:** We need YOU! OWOF volunteers are a critical and vital part of making OWOF a success. Will you share your time and skills?

Based on your interests, consider these options: Lead a session (slime science, arts & crafts, nature walk, etc), offer your first aid or lifeguard certification/expertise, or help "behind the scenes" as a watcher at the waterfront, assist with parking, or help serve meals. **We have lots of opportunities – contact us at [customercare@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customercare@girlscoutslp.org) if you are interested in volunteering at OWOF.**

For each hour you volunteer (either behind the scenes or as a session presenter), you will be receiving a \$10 credit toward future 2026 GSMWLP council events or OWOF 2026. Please note that the total credit a volunteer can receive is \$70 (max) and that "behind the scenes" time cannot exceed 2 hours.

## Registration Information

### Finding the OWOF events online

Log into your MYGS Account and register through GSEvents and search for the event using the Zip Code **56459**

- **Registration opens** Tuesday, May 13, 2025, at 10 AM.
- **Registration closes** Sunday, July 13, 2025 at 11:59 PM.

*We highly recommend logging into your MYGS account ahead of time to ensure your troop/household information is correct prior to attempting to registration opening.*

### Selecting Your OWOF Event

Each length of stay will show as a separate event on our website. Be sure that you are registering for the correct event!

- **OWOF 2025 – All Weekend**
  - Friday, September 5, 6pm – Sunday, September 7, 2025, 11:30am
- **OWOF 2025 – Friday Night Only**
  - Friday, September 5, 6pm – Saturday, September 6, 2025, 5:30pm
- **OWOF 2025 – Saturday Night Only**
  - Saturday, September 6, 8am – Sunday, September 7, 2025, 11:30am
- **OWOF 2025 – Saturday Day Only**
  - Saturday, September 7, 8am-5:30pm

## Payment Details

- **Early Bird Registration 5/13 – 6/30:**
  - A 50% deposit is due at registration, **the remaining balance will be due by Sunday, August 3, 2025, 11:59pm**
- **Registration 7/1-7/13:** Participants MUST pay in-full at time of registration
- Girl Scout youth can apply up to 50% of event fee in Product Program Credits (Fall Bucks, Cookie Dough, Adventure Points).
  - Mail in or bring credits to the Waite Park or Duluth Office and allow up to two weeks for processing.
- We have youth scholarship funds available just for OWOF participants! If you have questions regarding our scholarship availability, contact us to learn more!
  - Submit [Form #6707 Scholarship Request](#) to [customercare@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customercare@girlscoutslp.org) for processing.

## Completing the OWOF Activity Jotform

A Jotform link will be available for you, along with a link to this packet, on the event pages!

- [OWOF 2025 Jotform](#)
- Participants will be placed in activity sessions on a first come, first serve basis and as session scheduling allows.
- Each registered participant must have a completed Jotform submitted by **Sunday, July 27, 11:59pm** to ensure ample time for scheduling
- The Jotform will include a list of all available activities, along with a place to submit participant details including food allergies, buddy/housing requests, and whether you are joining us at OWOF for the first time.
- **Participants should select the following number of activities, depending on length of stay:**
  - All Weekend & Saturday Night Only – up to (12) activities, will be scheduled for up to (7)
  - Friday Night Only & Saturday Day Only – up to (10) activities, will be schedule for up to (5)
- **Buddy Requests:** Please list your buddy on your Jotform! Make sure you and your buddy are picking sessions that are the same and match grade level for both participants.

## OWOF T-shirts and Sweatshirts

We're still working on our final design for OWOF apparel and patches! Stay tuned for communication regarding apparel options, design, and ordering process. We appreciate your patience as we create some amazing OWOF swag to celebrate 40 years!

## What happens once I register?

- After you register, you will be sent a brief, automated email, confirming that we have received your registration and deposit.
- About two weeks prior to the event start date, a confirmation email will be sent with each participant's schedule and cabin assignments (for those staying overnight), and other pertinent details. *Email will be sent to each household.*
- If your plans change, you must contact [customercare@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customercare@girlscoutslp.org) and provide details regarding your change in plans or need to cancel

## What if I need to cancel?

- Please email refund requests to [customercare@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customercare@girlscoutslp.org)
  - **By July 13, 2025:** refunds will be granted, minus a \$10.00 cancellation fee.
  - **After July 13, 2025:** refunds will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. *The request MUST be made prior to the event.*

Registration is on a first come, first serve basis and spaces fill quickly!

Have questions about the registration process? Contact us! 320-252-2952 | 218-726-4710 | [customer care@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customer care@girlscoutslp.org)

## OWOF 2025 – Activities

### Arts Programming

- **Intro to Clay Art, Grades K-3:** Using air dry clay, girls in this session will create their own clay art project to take home
- **Stamp Making, Grades K-3:** Learn how to make stamps out of sponges and create your own masterpiece
- **Gods Eyes, Grades K-5:** Gods eyes are a classic Girl Scout camp craft that use sticks and yarn to create your masterpiece
- **Watercolor Painting, Grades K-5:** Channel your inner artist as you learn how to paint using watercolors
- **Acting & Improv, Grades K-12:** Lights, camera, action! Learn basic acting and improv techniques through games and activities
- **Friendship Bracelets, Grades 2-5:** Learn how to make different types of friendship bracelets including loom bracelets, classic bracelets, and more
- **Paper Squishies, Grades 2-8:** Can you imagine a world without squishies? Join us to create your very own squishies so you never have to spend a day without one!
- **Pearler Bead Art, Grades 2-8:** Join us to make a piece of melty art to bring home!
- **Leather Stamping, Grades 4-12:** Join us for a classic OWOF activity and create your own piece of leather art
- **Ugly Dolls, Grades 4-12:** Learn the basics of hand sewing as you create your own ugly doll
- **Paracord Bracelets, Grades 4-12:** This is an OWOF classic activity! Make your own paracord bracelet in this session
- **Clay Coasters, Grades 4-12:** Use Sculpy clay along with various objects to add texture and create your own personalized coaster. You'll also learn about the history of clay art and pottery
- **Eco Art, Grades 4-12:** Join us for this classic OWOF activity and create your own piece of art out of recycled and found objects
- **Natural Cord Bracelets, Grades 4-12:** Make your very own bracelets out of natural cord and wooden beads
- **Terrariums, Grades 4-12 + Adults:** Step into a tiny emerald world where lush tropical greenery while you make your miniature garden
- **Acrylic Painting, Grades 6-12:** Learn the basics of working with acrylic paint and create your own masterpiece on canvas
- **Quilling, Grades 6-12:** Join us for this classic older girl craft session where you'll create a work of art out of paper
- **Calligraphy, Grades 6-12:** Practice your penmanship in this session and learn how to create art out of letters and writing
- **Jewelry Making, Grades 6-12:** Learn how to make beaded jewelry in this session including bracelets and necklaces
- **Metal Stamping, Grades 6-12:** Learn how to stamp and imprint on metal in this craft session
- **Insta-Worthy, Grades 6-12:** Put your skills to practice as you capture moments at OWOF! *Participants must have a phone that can take pictures for this session*
- **Scrapbooking, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** During this session you will create a 3D scrapbook suitcase so you can pack up all your favorite Girl Scouts Memories
- **Stained Glass, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** Learn the basics for creating stained glass projects using the wrapped foil technique
- **Basket Weaving, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** Weave and decorate a functional basket to bring home
- **Macrame Art, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** Add a touch of nature-inspired beauty to your home with your own macrame leaf art
- **Reverse Tie Dye, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** Design and decorate your shirt using stencils and bleach! Participants should bring an old cotton clothing item for this session.
- **Diamond Art, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** Create your very own diamond-art magnet!

## Woodworking

- **String Art, Grades K-5:** Learn how to safely use a hammer and nails to create your own string art piece to take home with you
- **Woodworking, Grades 6-12:** Develop your craftswoman skills as you work with various tools (manual and power) to create your own woodworking masterpiece

## Fishing

- **Classic Fishing, Grades K-12:** Spend your time on the dock as you learn the basics of fishing and the species of fish we find in our lakes!
- **Intro Fly Tying & Fly Casting, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** Learn the basics of fly-tying and casting, including tools, techniques, and materials used to tie flies. This session will provide you with the foundation needed to explore the hobby of fly fishing! *This course does not include fishing time on the water. Spaces are limited for this activity.*

## Outdoor Skills & Activities

- **Nature Bookmarks, Grades K-5 + Adult:** Collect natural objects to create your own nature-inspired bookmark
- **Midwest Mammals, Grades 4-12: Calling all animal lovers!** Discover native animals from the Midwest and explore their unique traits through hands on activities and games
- **Defying Gravity, Grades 4-12:** It's time to try defying gravity! Spend some quiet time relaxing in the treehouse as you admire the view and write poetry, do a crossword puzzle, write a short story, or read a book
- **Thriving in the Wilderness, Grades 6-12:** Do you like hiking and camping? During this session you will learn how perform first aid with only the stuff you can find in the woods and in your backpack

## Aquatics

- **Swimming, Grades K-12:** Join our OWOF lifeguards and spend some time swimming in the lake.
- **Canoeing, Grades 2-12:** Learn the basics or refine your skills during our canoeing sessions. All boaters will be supervised by a lifeguard and experienced instructor
- **Kayaking, Grades 4-12:** Learn the basics or refine your skills during our kayaking sessions. All boaters will be supervised by a lifeguard and experienced instruction

## Cooking/Baking *Please include details of food allergies when you submit your Jotform, when choosing any of these activities!*

- **Simple Snacks, Grades K-5:** Learn how to make your own simple snacks at home
- **Cookie Decorating, Grades K-12:** Join us in this classic OWOF activity and create your own edible artwork.
- **Campfire Cooking, Grades 4-12:** Learn how to make a simple meal/dessert over the fire, while practicing your campfire safety skills.
- **Buddy Burners, Grades 4-12:** Learn how to cook with a buddy burner in this classic OWOF session

## STEM Programming

- **Rocketeers, Grades K-5:** 3, 2, 1, blast off! Join us in this classic OWOF activity and learn what it takes to launch a rocket.
- **Candy Science, Grades K-5:** Put on your scientist hat (and goggles!) while you investigate which of your favorite candies are the most acidic, and which makes the best geysers!

- **Root Beer Science, Grades K-12:** Join us for an OWOF Classic as you learn the science of making root beer. *Please include details of food allergies when you submit your Jotform!*
- **Catapults, Grades K-8:** Create your very own catapult for this session! Grades K-3 will create catapults with Popsicle Sticks & Spoons, Grades 4-8 will create catapults with Pencils & Rubber Bands
- **Mixology, Grades K-8:** Learn all about reactions through the science of mixing ingredients together! Girls will get to test out elephant toothpaste, make their own cloud dough, and sensory jars in this STEM-tastic session.
- **Duct Tape Boats, Grades 2-8:** Make and test your own boat using duct tape and cardboard in this classic OWOF session.
- **Squishy Circuits, Grades 4-12:** Learn all about electricity and circuits using play-dough in this new STEM activity!
- **Stomp Rockets, Grades 4-12:** 3, 2, 1, blast off! Create a Rocket and learn how the force of your foot can make it launch
- **Crime Scene Chaos, Grades 4-12:** Figure out how to inspect fingerprints, translate handwriting, and learn other detective skills to solve a mystery!

### Life Skills

- **Yoga, Grades K-12 + Adults:** Join us with a certified yoga instructor to learn about yoga techniques to improve your mental wellness
- **Spa Day, Grades 4-12 + Adults:** Take some time for YOU! Make your own bath salts, paint your nails, and relax during this activity.
- **All Rise, Grades 6-12:** Come test your lawyer skills as you let your voice be heard during a mock trial
- **Session Helpers, Grades 9-12:** Spend a session or a few helping out with OWOF activities

### Classic OWOF Activities

- **Songs & Games, Grades K-3 + Adults:** Join us as we sing our favorite Girl Scout songs and play the best group games
- **Sit Upons, Grades K-5:** Make your own sit upon to use at Girl Scout camp or on the trail in this classic OWOF session
- **1912 and Beyond!, Grades K-12:** Travel back in time to the start of it all! Learn about Juliette Gordon Low and the history of Girl Scouts through games, crafts, and more
- **SWAPS, Grades K-12 + Adults:** Special Whatchamacallits Affectionately Pinned Somewhere, also known as SWAPS. Make your own SWAP to share with a friend!
- **Shrinky Dinks, Grades K-12:** Create your own miniature artwork to bring home or share with a friend!
- **Tie Dye, Grades K-12:** It's not OWOF if you don't come home with tie dye, is it? *Participants should bring a cotton clothing item to dye for this session*
- **Soap Carving & Knife Safety, Grades 4-12:** Learn about knife safety and practice your carving skills in this classic OWOF session.
- **Climbing Wall, Grades 4-12:** *This activity will take (2) sessions to complete and will cost an additional \$20.00 per girl. Spaces are limited.*
- **Low Challenge Course, Grades 4-12:** *This activity will cost an additional \$10.00 per girl.*
- **High Challenge Course, Grades 4-12:** *This activity will cost an additional \$25.00 per girl. Spaces are limited.*
- **Riflery, Grades 6-12 + Adults:** *This activity will cost an additional \$15.00 per person. Spaces are limited.*

### Field Games & Sports

- **Cheer, Grades K-5**
- **Soccer, Grades K-12**
- **Gaga Ball, Grades 2-12**



- **Archery, Grades 2-12 + Adult**
- **Volleyball, Grades 4-12**
- **Rugby, Grades 4-12**
- **Martial Arts, Grades 4-12**
- **Hobby Horsing, Grades 4-12:** During this session you will learn to gallop with your noble stick horse, while completing various equestrian-inspired obstacles
- **Disc Golf, Grades 6-12 + Adults**
- **Pickleball, Grades 6-12 + Adults**

### **Adult Sessions & Trainings**

- **CPR, First Aid, AED Training, Grades 9-12 + Adults:** Complete this training to receive your certification in Adult & Pediatric CPR/First Aid/AED from the American Red Cross with a certified instructor in this course. *Spaces are limited and online pre-course work is required. This training course will last several sessions.*
- **Youth Mental Health First Aid Training, Adults Only:** Complete Youth Mental Health First Aid training with a certified instructor in this course. *Spaces are limited and online pre-course work is required. This training course will last most of the day, Saturday, September 6.*
- **Cup Painting, Adults Only:** Use acrylic paint to create a masterpiece so you can sip in style!**Highest Awards, Adults Only:** Learn about the requirements for Girl Scouts Bronze, Silver, and Gold Awards, along with how to best support your Girl Scout(s).
- **2026 Girl Scouts Programming, Adults Only:** Talk with a member of our program staff team about all the exciting opportunities available to your troop in the 2025 Girl Scout year!
- **Troop Management, Adults Only:** Learn tips, tricks, and best practices to support mental wellness and mental health within your troop.
- **Product Program Info, Adults Only:** Learn all about the Fall Product and Cookie Sales seasons with our product program staff team.
- **Trips & Troop Travel, Adults Only:** Learn about our upcoming council-led trips, travel progression opportunities, and troop travel from our program staff team and panel of previous travelers.
- **Coffee with the CEO, Adults Only:** Spend some time with Leigh Ann Davis, our CEO, and talk over coffee!
- **Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion, Adults Only:** Learn about our DEI initiatives and practices at Girl Scouts Lakes and Pines

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Where do we sleep?** Girl Scouts partners with Camp Lincoln and Camp Lake Hubert for the facilities to host this event. Most of the log cabins are two stories and all are furnished with beds and mattresses – you must bring your own bedding. All cabins have bathrooms; shower houses are located nearby. Your group will be assigned to a cabin at either Camp Lincoln or Camp Lake Hubert. The two camps are about 5 miles apart – most of the activities and all of the meals happen at Camp Lake Hubert.

**Can I request to share a cabin with a specific troop or family?** We will do our best to accommodate housing requests when assigning cabins at OWOFF. Cabins have specific bed capacities. All requests will be considered on a first come, first serve basis as space allows. *Please include any details regarding cabin requests in the Activity Jotform.*

**Can I request a buddy for activities?** We will do our best to accommodate buddy requests for activities. All activities are designed for the grades as listed, so keep this in mind when requesting buddies.

**What are the cabins like?** Although all cabins have at least bathrooms, if not showers, they are still in the woods! Be mindful that nature and wildlife are all around us at camp. Keep scented and food items stored in sealed containers or in your vehicle. Be sure trash goes in trash cans! It's common to see deer, birds, mice, chipmunks, racoons, and other local wildlife throughout camp. Remember – we are sharing their space. Bring your sense of adventure!

**Should we bring extra food?** All meals are served at Camp Lake Hubert. Morning, afternoon, and evening snacks are provided – we eat well at OWOFF! You may bring additional snacks if you prefer, but please keep them stored in sealed containers or in your vehicle. Open food attracts animals and insects! *Please include details on food allergies when you complete the Activity Jotform.*

**What should I pack?** A packing list will be included in the confirmation email. Additional items we recommend bringing include a wagon to help transport belongings to your cabin, multiple flashlights/headlamps, water bottle, sunscreen, bug spray, shower shoes, picnic blanket for Saturday lunch, GOOD walking shoes – you will walk A LOT at OWOFF!

**What if someone in my group has food allergies or other special needs?** Dietary needs information is included on the event registration. *Please include details on food allergies when you complete the Activity Jotform.* The more information we have ahead of time, the better we will be able to support these needs!

**Do I need to be a member of Girl Scouts to attend? YES** All girls and adults attending OWOFF must have a current membership with our council! All adults must also have a current, eligible background check on file if they are staying overnight, transporting girls, or directly responsible for girls. *Take advantage of our Extended Year Membership (\$63 for youth, \$42 for adults) to register any new girls or adults (good through September 2026) and bring them to this awesome event.*

**Is financial aid available? YES**, we have scholarship funds reserved specifically for youth attending OWOFF! Scholarships may be requested to cover up to 50% of the full event cost. *Submit one [Program Scholarship Form](#) per youth to [customercare@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customercare@girlscoutslp.org).*

**What are SWAPS?** You are encouraged to take part in the Girl Scout tradition of exchanging small keepsakes known as SWAPS, Special Whatchamacallits Affectionately Pinned Somewhere. As you prepare and plan for OWOFF, consider adding SWAPS-making to your list (about 100 is a good idea). We recommend handing them out during Saturday lunch!

**Do Girl Scouts earn badges?** All participants receive the 2025 OWOF activity patch, commemorating this special weekend after completing their program evaluation! A variety of fun patches are available at the OWOF store.

**Will the Traveling Store be at OWOF?** **YES**, our traveling Girl Scout store is a favorite part of the OWOF experience. You may wish to bring spending money or Product Program Credits (Fall Bucks or Cookie Dough) for a Girl Scout shirt, necklace, or other fun keepsake. *Although we do accept card payment, we recommend bringing cash if able to.*

**Can I have another troop member attend if someone in my troop can't make it to OWOF?** All requests for registration changes must be emailed to [customercare@girlscoutslp.org](mailto:customercare@girlscoutslp.org). Our staff team will work with each request on a case-by-case basis as event capacity allows.

## Look for These Extras!

### Join us on a council-led trip

Considering going on a trip with us? Register for a GSMWLP sponsored trip at OWOF and receive 50% off the deposit!

- A \$50 deposit holds your space in one of our council-sponsored trips, saving you \$50!
- First five youth who “add a friend” to Girl Scouts receive the incentive once below criteria are met
  - Complete Add a Friend Form and make sure you are registered for a trip
  - Ensure your friend registers for Girl Scouts AND any of our trips
  - You and your friend each get \$100 off your trips

### Travel Grant Program opportunity through the Ann Bancroft Foundation

Ann Bancroft Foundation (ABF) grants are awarded to Minnesota girls each year to inspire and encourage them to imagine something bigger. ABF continues to support these girls on their journey to discovering themselves, unlocking their confidence and self-esteem and embracing and pursuing their dreams. These grants help give girls the tools they need to find success throughout their lifetime.

The Application is open to any K-12 grade Minnesota resident who identifies as a girl, including those who identify as cisgender, transgender, gender non-conforming and gender non-binary people. Grants are available to fund art, cultural, leadership, educational, outdoors/wilderness experiences, sport, athletic, dance equipment or participation fees. Fall applications open August 1 and application deadline is October 1 for the fall grant cycle. Spring applications open on February 1 and application deadline is April 1 for the spring grant cycle.

- Applicants must have an adult mentor, the mentor cannot be a family member (including parents/guardians, brother/sister, aunt/uncle, or grandparents)
- Apply for up to \$500 (max request)
- Fund must be used/completed by high school graduation.
- ABF will not fund activities that take place in the summer after graduation.

Learn more about the Ann Bancroft Foundation Grant Program [CLICK HERE](#).

*When a girl has confidence, everything is Possible. – Ann Bancroft*

## **Celebrate OWOF's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!**

Join us for a recognition celebration in honor of the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary! We will be hosting a GLOW PARTY at Camp Hubert following dinner on Saturday, September 6<sup>th</sup>. Stay tuned for additional details along with final event confirmation!

## **First-Time OWOF Participation**

Will this be your first year at OWOF? Let us know via the Activity Jotform to receive a special gift at check-in!

## **Troop Banner at Opening Ceremony**

Your troop is invited to decorate and bring their very own banner to display during our opening ceremony on Saturday at OWOF!

## **Polar Bear Plunge**

Join our lifeguards for our annual Polar Bear Plunge at the Camp Hubert swimming area on Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> @ 7am! All Girl Scouts who are brave enough to take a quick splash in the lake will receive a patch. Be sure to bring a towel and warm clothes to put on over your swimsuit.

## **Sunrise Service**

Join us for a non-denominational sunrise service at Camp Hubert's Bass Lake Chapel, on Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> @ 7am

## **OWOF Tips & Tricks Zoom Meeting**

Join us for an evening Zoom meeting and hear from our expert council staff about tips, tricks, and recommendations to ensure that you have an amazing weekend!

- **Date:** Tuesday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Time:** 6:30-7:30pm
- **Meeting Link:** <https://zoom.us/j/97040135684?pwd=HiOg4BVUSpgUKqKacbr3ahQaNOVP3z.1>
- **Meeting ID:** 970 4013 5684
- **Passcode:** OWOF25!

## **Want to be an OWOF V.I.P.?**

The OWOF V.I.P. Troop/Group gets to be the first in line for meals, a reserved parking space, and pick their cabin (based on cabin capacity)!

- Create and film your own 30 second video or reel themed: "Are you even a Girl Scout if you're not registered for OWOF?!"
  - Video must include wording on encouraging others to register and join in on the fun & celebrating 40 years of OWOF!
- Post the video to your Facebook and/or Instagram
- Tag our social media accounts:
  - Facebook: [Girl Scouts of Minnesota and Wisconsin Lakes and Pines](#)
  - Instagram: [@girlscoutslp](#)
- One lucky troop will get 2025 OWOF V.I.P. privileges!
- **Must be posted and shared with us by Sunday, August 3, 2025 to qualify**

# Our World Our Family Schedule

## Friday

6:00-8:00pm Arrival | Check-in  
9:00-10:00pm Campfire | Snack  
10:30pm Quiet Time  
11:00pm Lights Out

## Saturday

7:30-9:00am Breakfast  
9:15-10:00am Opening Ceremony | Snack  
10:00-11:00am Session One  
11:15-12:15pm Session Two  
12:30-1:30pm Lunch | Upper Athletic Field  
1:30-2:30pm Session Three  
2:45-3:45pm Session Four  
4:00-4:30pm Snack  
4:30-5:30pm Session Five  
5:45-7:15pm Dinner  
7:30-8:30pm Talent Show Camp Lincoln  
7:30-8:30pm Talent Show Camp Lake Hubert  
9:00-9:30pm Campfire | Snack  
10:30pm Quiet Time  
11:00pm Lights Out

## Sunday

7:30-9:00am Breakfast  
9:15-10:15am Session Six  
10:30-11:30am Session Seven  
12:00pm All Campers Depart