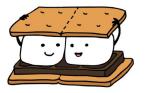
Have S'more Fun and Make S'more Friends!



We encourage troops and service units to host a Back-to-Troop party event in August, the back-to-school month for so many. With the 2024-25 Girl Scout year just around the corner, it's a perfect time to thank those who renewed their membership and invite new members to join!

We are asking Girl Scouts (both girls and adults) to bring a friend to introduce them to the wonderful world of Girl Scouting!

Bring your family, your troop, and your friends interested in Girl Scouting, and let's have s'more fun.

Suggestion:

Have a S'more Fun, S'more Friends Party! When:

Host an event in August (National S'mores Day is August 10) or in September to get the troop together and welcome some new members.

Who to invite:

Invite returning families and friends – add a "bring a friend" theme.

For Girl Scouts

My troop is throwing a S'mores party for our Back-to-Troop celebration. I'd like you to be my guest! Date: Time: Place: Extra details:	O N	ur Girl Scout Troop eeds S'MORE Friend	> s!
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For Troop leaders

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Bring the whole family to celebrate doing s'more w throwing a s'mores themed party for our Back-to- to thank everyone who has renewed. Plus, we are adults! to bring a friend to introduce them to the Girl Scouting. What better way to make the world	Troop celebration and asking Girl Scouts (and wonderful world of
Date:Time:	
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Extra details:	

Two invites to choose from at www.gsccc.org/marketing#smore



Plan your event using some of these S'more Fun activities!

S'MORES SWAP

- · khaki/tan foam sheet
- · brown or black foam sheet
- · cotton ball · safety pin
- 1. Take the foam pieces and cut them into small squares.
- 2. Assemble the khaki piece, then the cotton ball, next the brown or black piece of foam, and finally the last khaki piece.
- 3. Pin this all together to create a smore's swap!
- 4. Add your troop number.

S'MORES STEM STATION

This S'mores STEM Challenge will introduce Girl Scouts to STEM in a fun and sweet way! You'll need enough materials to accommodate every Girl Scout and guest.

Materials needed:

Graham crackers, marshmallows, and some plain chocolate.
Consider adding some wooden skewers or popsicle sticks.

You may want to divide Girl Scouts/guests by age/grade and add a time limitation to make it a bit competitive.

Give each child the same amount and give them a challenge. First challenge is to make something that would hold four pieces of chocolate off the table.



Outdoor and Indoor S'mores Games Stations

S'MORES IN A BUCKET - Draw or make a line on the ground and line players up behind it. Place buckets about 10 feet away. Players have 1 minute to toss as many marshmallows into the bucket as they can. The player who gets the most in the bucket wins!

BUILD A S'MORE - Give the players all the ingredients needed to make a s'more and two chopsticks or kabob sticks. They have to build a s'more using only the sticks. Each player races to make as many s'mores as possible in one minute. This is trickier than it sounds!

S'MORES RELAY - This is a classic relay, but to give it a fun, summery twist, players carry a s'more on a spatula from one designated spot to another. The team that gets the most s'mores across the line in one minute wins!

GIMMIE S'MORE - Start by placing a graham cracker on the player's forehead; they have to slide it down from their forehead into their mouth without using their hands. BUT, after finishing that, try it with a marshmallow and then a piece of chocolate! See if anyone can do all three! (You can give them a minute for each one.)

Girl Scout Bingo





WORD SEARCH

Download game sheets at www.gsccc.org/marketing#smore



MATERIALS

- Cardboard pizza box
- Scissors
- · Plastic wrap
- Aluminum foil
- · Black construction paper · Clear tape
- Newspapers
- Wooden spoon

To do some cooking with your solar oven, you will need sunlight and fairly warm outside temperatures (above 75 degrees is recommended, and the hotter it is the better). It should also not be windy. Solar cooking is slow cooking. Be prepared to leave your food in for a while!



- 1 Have an adult help you cut along three sides to make a flap in the lid of the pizza box.
- 2 Cover the inside of the flap with aluminum foil.
- 3 In the box opening where you cut the flap out of, wrap plastic sheets around it so it looks like a window.
- 4 Inside the box, tape black construction paper along the bottom. Roll up sheet of newspaper to create a border around the cooking area.
- 5 Take your solar pizza box over to a sunny spot.
- 6 Use the wooden spoon to prop open the flap at an angle so it faces direct sunlight.
- 7 Use mittens or a towel when you lift your dish out of your solar oven.

