

Girl Scout Offerings at Discovery Center!

Come to the Discovery Center with your troop! We offer several ways for your troop to earn Try-its, Badges, and Interest Projects while having a wonderful time at the museum.



1. **Schedule a specific program**
2. **Super Science Nights for Brownies and Juniors**
3. **Rent space for your own program**
4. **Earn our very own Discovery Center Patch**
5. **Camp-ins**

1. Schedule a specific program

The Discovery Center Girl Scout programs are designed to complete all of the requirements for the Try-its, Badges, and Interest Projects listed below. We look forward to offering additional new programs after November 1st to meet the latest requirements. Please check our web site after November 1 to see the new offerings.

Fees:

- Minimum payment: \$42/troop, for up to 7 girls, \$6 per additional girl
- One (1) adult free for every 7 girls.
- Troops must have a 1:7 adult to child ratio
- \$6 for each additional adult

Reservations: Call (615) 890-2300 for reservations or questions about the programs.

Program FAQ:

- Each program lasts from 1 to 1 ½ hours and will be lead by a Discovery Center Staff member.
- Programs are available during museum hours.
- Materials will be provided. You may schedule up to 2 programs per day.
- Cost is per program. (1 program= \$42 minimum, 2 programs= minimum of \$84)
- Girls are welcomed to explore the museum with their leaders following the program.
- Except for the Discovery Center patch, we do not supply the actual Badges or Try-it patches. Badges and patches must be purchased at the council office by the troop leaders.

The following programs will be offered from September 1, 2011 to June 1, 2012:

Daisies: New programs will be offered after November 1st. Please check our web site for updates.

Brownie Try Its:

- Animals
- Science In Action
- Colors and Shapes
- Me and My Shadow
- Water Everywhere
- Watching Wildlife

New programs will be added after November 1st. Please check the web site then.

Junior Badges:

- Water Wonders

New programs will be offered after November 1st. Please check the web site then.

Cadets and Senior Interest Projects:

- All About Birds - page 50
- Museum Discovery - page 130 (Museum Discovery is not the Discovery Center patch listed below.)

New programs will be offered after November 1st. Please check the web site then.

Please note: Badges must be purchased at the council office by the troop leaders. Cost does not include the cost of the badge.

2. Super Science Nights

Level: Brownies and Juniors

Fees: \$10 per girl, 1 adult free for every 7 girls.

Troops must have a 1:7 adult to child ratio. \$10 for each additional adult.

Reservations: Reservations Required. Please call (615) 890-2300 to reserve your troops spot.

- **Brownie Super Science Night**

November 11, 2011 • 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Brownie Super Science Night: An evening of fun just for Brownies! Girls can rotate through stations to complete all of the requirements for up to 3 try its in one evening: Animals, Colors and Shapes and Me & My Shadow. Plus, additional activities based upon the requirements for badges in the new books and free time in the museum.

- **Junior Super Science Night**

February 24, 2012 • 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Junior Super Science Night: We are planning a super fun evening just for Junior Girl Scouts! Girls can rotate through stations to complete all of the requirements for up to 3 badges in one evening. The exact badges will be announced as soon as the new materials are published. Be sure to check out our web site after November 1, 2011. The girls can also enjoy free time in the museum.

Please note: Badges must be purchased at the council office by the troop leaders. Cost does not include the cost of the badge.

3. Girl Scout Museum Rentals

Level: All

Fees: \$25/hour

Reservations: Reservations Required. Please call (615) 890-2300.

Need more space to complete a badge or try it for your troop? Not enough room in your kitchen for a cooking badge? Call to reserve a room at the Discovery Center for only \$25 an hour. We have a full service kitchen and 3 additional classrooms available. Our kitchen is equipped with utensils, a microwave, 3 ovens, a 4 eye cook

top, 5 sinks, refrigerator, freezer, several tables, and a large counter for easy demonstration and preparation. Our three additional rooms vary in size and amenities. Please call (615) 890-2300 for additional information.

All rooms are available for reservations Monday through Friday from 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Please bring your own materials. Rental includes the room and table set up only. Staff, consumable materials, actual badges or try its, and clean up are not provided.

4. The Discovery Center Patch

Grade Levels: All

Fees: \$6 per girl; \$6 per adult. Troops must have a 1:7 adult to child ratio

Reservations: Reservations Required. Please call (615) 890-2300.

Come explore the Discovery Center at Murfree Spring! See the wetlands, visit animals, slide down our 2 story slide, have fun with hands-on experiments! We have designed our own Discovery Center patch for you to add to your Girl Scout patches. Your troop can complete the self guided tour and earn our Discovery Center Patch at the end. The patch is included in the price. Programs available during regular museum hours.

Please note: This is the only actual patch available at the Discovery Center.

5. The Discovery Center Patch

Grade Levels: All

Fees: \$450 minimum for up to 16 girls and 4 adults. Troops must have a 1:8 adult to child ratio
\$25 for each additional child; \$25 for each additional adult

Reservations: Reservations Required. Please call (615) 890-2300.

A fun alternative to a camp out! Come spend the night at the Discovery Center! Arrive on Friday night at 6:00 p.m. and stay over night until 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning.

Cost includes:

- A fun-filled night of activities in the museum
- A program designed to complete the requirements for one badge or try-it
- Activities to complete our very own Discovery Center Patch and the patch itself
- 2 staff members
- Pizza Dinner, evening snack, and a continental breakfast for all participants prepared by our staff