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**Girl Scout Camps Provides Economic Stimulus for Working Parents
Average Per Week Cost of Resident Camp is \$280; Day Camp \$ 130**

Baltimore—For parents in need of an affordable camp—resident or day—option for their girls this summer, Girl Scouts of Central Maryland’s (GSCM) summer camps have the answer. On June 22 the first of eight summer resident camp sessions begins at Camp Conowingo in Cecil County, MD. For one week, at an average price of \$280, girls can swim, hike, horseback ride, kayak along the Susquehanna River, experience nature and learn about the outdoors with groups of other girls their age. Best of all, you don’t have to be a Girl Scout to attend Girl Scout camp. For those girls who prefer day camp, the first session also begins on June 22 with Carnival in the Park at Piney Run for girls entering K-5 grades. Cost for a week of fun in the outdoors: \$100. Spirit of America Harford Area Day Camp—Camp Conowingo also begins on June 22 for \$98 per week. For a full listing of resident and day camp offering or to learn more about GSCM camp properties, visit www.gscm.org/camp.

Opportunities for Girls to Attend Camp for Free

Volunteers are needed to help Rainforests at Camp Woodlands and/or Camp Oregon Ridge - Pioneer Camp. Daughters of these volunteers will be eligible to attend the day camps for free. Responsibilities include being on the committee to develop the program. Contact Chris Garrett at cgarrett@gscm.org or by telephone 410.358.9711.

Girl Scout camp builds upon the core values of courage and confidence by providing girls with an experience that develops self-reliance and self-esteem. It’s an affordable way for girls to learn new skills, make new friends, unlock their potential and discover the world and the great outdoors that await them!

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Girl Scouts builds girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place. Girl Scouts of Central Maryland serves 30,000 girls in Baltimore City, Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford and Howard counties providing programs and activities that allow them to Discover, Connect and Take Action.