Council-Led Weekends: Frequently Asked Questions

- What should I PACK? A detailed packing list can be found on page 2 of this document.
- <u>What is the SCHEDULE?</u> Overnight visitors should arrive at 8:30 AM, and Daytime-Only visitors should arrive at 9:00 AM. We will send out details for the general schedule at least 7 days prior to the event, and a highly detailed schedule 2 days prior to the event.
- <u>My girl has never SLEPT at Camp Trivera before. What should we expect?</u> We have fabulous bunk rooms with privacy curtains, gorgeous bathrooms and electric access. You're welcome to scope out the space ahead of time or request special accommodations. To schedule a tour or get specific answers, just email the contact listed for your event.
- **Do I need to sign a WAIVER for adventure activities?** Parents/Guardians need to sign an Adventure Activity waiver for their girl *every time the girl visits*. You may submit it ahead of time to someone at Camp Trivera or bring a printed copy with you to submit during check-in. Even if your girl says she does not want to climb the rock wall or shoot at the archery range or canoe at the waterfront or swim in the pool, we recommend signing a waiver anyway, in case her friends convince her to change her mind during her stay.
- **Can parents wait until check-in to sign a WAIVER for their girl?** YES. We will have printed copies of the waiver form available at check-in. However, this will make their check-in process take longer, so we recommend getting this submitted ahead of time ASAP.
- <u>Can parents sign their own WAIVER to take part in adventure activities?</u> NO. Unfortunately we will not have the time to offer adventure activities to both girls and adults. However, adults may take part in all other activities such as games, crafts, and movie night.
- **Do Troop Leaders need to complete an event approval FORM?** NO. Unlike regular troop overnights at Camp Trivera, this weekend is Council-Led; Troop Leaders do not need to get additional forms signed for their members.
- **Can family members DROP OFF their own girls?** YES. Troops do not have to arrive as a group. However, family members should wait with their Girl Scout until her Troop has arrived.
- **Can picky eaters BRING their own food and leave in the Gathering Hall?** YES. We are providing meals and snacks with the cost of registration, but if you think your girl will struggle with any aspect of the menu, please bring substitutions for her. We can keep refrigerated and frozen items in our kitchen and visitors may visit the Gathering Hall at any time to snack.
- **<u>Can Overnight visitors BRING snacks to the treehouses or bunkrooms?</u>** NO. To protect against insects, we must avoid bringing any food items to bed. Water is okay.
- Will the GS SHOP be open? YES. We have requested the Trading Post to be open from 6:30 PM 8:30 PM on Saturday night. The shop takes cash, card, and even cookie reward points! There will be merch, toys, badges, and other goodies for sale during this time. Please allow Daytime-Only visitors priority at the Trading Post when it opens at 6 PM, since they will be leaving shortly afterward. It will be open for Overnight visitors until 8:30 PM.
- Where will PARK? Please leave parking spaces towards the front of the building for our volunteers. The silver Zoo Gate code and the black Trivera Gate code will be sent out to registrants on the week of the event.
- <u>What PROGRAMMING will be covered?</u> You will receive the Badge Progress sheet on the week of the event with a full breakdown of which badge requirements will be fulfilled.
- <u>We might not make it that day what is the cancellation DEADLINE?</u> Our refund policy covers cancellations that are 2 weeks out or more. Past that, any cancellation is no longer eligible for an automatic refund. Please email <u>info@gswestok.org</u> for a special request.

Packing List

General

- Backpack with girl name
- Insect repellent
- Sunscreen
- Chapstick
- Any prescription RXs
- Refillable water bottle with name

Overnight

- Pajamas
- Extra underwear and socks
- Shower towels (we do NOT provide towels)
- Shower shoes
- Toiletries
- Flashlight
- Small portable fan or heater for sleeping
- Clothes for Sunday (Dress for the weather layers recommended)
- Sleeping bag and/or XL twin sheet to cover the mattress (we do NOT provide linens)
- Blanket/s
- Pillow with pillowcase
- Phone charger with brick (or Portable charger if sleeping in Treehouses)