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As you know, our CEO, Sue Else, will be retiring next week. Since joining Girl Scouts of Historic Georgia, Sue has led with vision, determination, and a deep commitment to our mission.

Under her leadership, the council:

-Stabilized its financial position

- -Maintained strong membership in the aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic -Opened the Girl Experience Center in Savannah in 2022
- -Opened two Girl Scout DreamLabs in 2024
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As Sue steps into retirement, we thank her for her years of service and celebrate the meaningful progress made during her tenure. Girl Scouts of Historic Georgia is stronger because of her leadership—and the work of the team she so proudly led.

Happy retirement, Sue!

<u>Submit your troop photos</u> to us and you may see them featured on GSHG social media or in 5 on Friday!

Check out the events below for family fun, exciting Girl Scout nights at the ballpark, and upcoming camp opportunities happening all across the council. There's something for everyone—don't miss out!

1. Jurassic Quest and Brick Fest Live



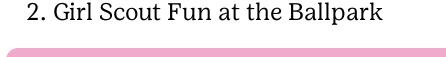
Get ready for the ultimate family day out when <u>Jurassic Quest</u>, North America's most realistic dinosaur experience, joins forces with <u>Brick Fest Live</u>, an interactive family LEGO-inspired event, for an affordable day of interactive fun and STEAM learning at the Savannah Convention Center from May 16 to 18.

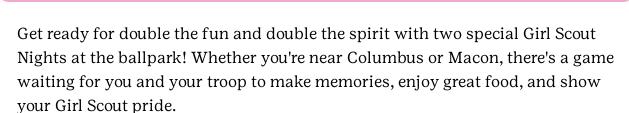
Come face-to-face with over 165 million years of life-size animatronic dinosaurs, including the towering Apatosaurus, the mighty Spinosaurus, and the spine-chilling T-Rex! Meet fan-favorite baby dinos like the lovable Tyson the T-Rex, the playful Cammie the Camarasaurus, and the adorable Trixie the Triceratops; and then become a certified Junior Dino Trainer by helping train the one-and-only JoJo the Utahraptor during the live dino shows all day long! Plus, don't miss our new and improved dinosaur rides, thrilling REAL fossil experience and giant fossil dig, Jurassic-themed inflatables, and the popular "Triceratots" soft play area for tiny explorers.

Then, get hands-on at Brick Fest Live, where families can go all-in on imagination with over 100 million bricks at stations and attractions designed to inspire creativity and play. Kids (and kids at heart!) can meet LEGO Masters, get hands-on with different brick challenges, explore community collab builds and see incredible master creations from all over the world.

Tickets, which start at \$22, can be purchased <u>here</u> and include all-day admission to both shows. Guests can start at either Jurassic Quest or Brick Fest Live, and when done can go back and experience their favorite attractions all over again. Save even more and use code GSHG for a 30% discount.







<u>Girl Scout Night with the Columbus Clingstones</u> *Thursday, May 23, at 6:30 p.m.*

Columbus, GA

Join us for an evening full of fun, food, and Girl Scout spirit! Girl Scouts will take part in a special on-field parade before the game, lead the crowd in singing "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" during the seventh-inning stretch, and enjoy a 90-minute all-you-can-eat buffet of ballpark favorites. <u>Tickets must be purchased by May 19.</u>

<u>Girl Scout Night with the Macon Bacon</u> *Tuesday, June 3, at 7:00 p.m. Macon, GA*

Each ticket includes a free Macon Bacon hat, access to an all-you-can-eat buffet featuring hamburgers, hot dogs, chicken sandwiches, cookies, drinks, and more. <u>A portion of each ticket sale benefits Girl Scouts of Historic Georgia</u>.

Gather your troop, family, and friends and come out for a night of baseball, fun, and unforgettable Girl Scout memories!

GSHG EVENTS

3. Summer Summit



Get Ready for Summer Summit! Saturday, June 7, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Felker Park in Monroe, GA

Join us for a full day of action-packed outdoor fun at Summer Summit, a community-wide family event that brings the spirit of summer camp to life. Whether you're competing, cheering, or just soaking up the fun, there's something for everyone.

Start the Day Right

Kick things off with a lively one-mile Fun Run at 8 a.m.. Registration includes a Summer Summit t-shirt!

Team Challenge

Gather your team of four and take on exciting challenges like archery, axe throwing, relays, and a speed course. Compete in Corporate, Community, or Girl Scout Troop divisions for prizes and bragging rights. All participants receive a pair of Summer Summit socks.

Summer Fun Stations

Enjoy knot tying, rocket building, scavenger hunts, water play, crafts, face painting, and more—perfect for all ages.

Even More to Explore

Visit our Health Fair featuring wellness resources from local organizations, and refuel with food vendors offering tasty options throughout the day.

Don't miss this day of fun, adventure, and community!

REGISTER NOW!

4. Your Summer of Ideas



Every Monday in May from 6-7 p.m. we'll be live on Facebook talking about all things camp!

Ready to register for camp? Head to our website now!

Resident Camp Options: June 1-6: Camp Like a Muggle - Camp Low June 8-13: Camp Like a Girl - Camp Martha Johnston June 15-20: In Our Element - Camp Martha Johnston June 22-27: Playing the Past - Camp Martha Johnston July 8-11: Living Out Loud - Camp Martha Johnston July 13-18: Travel Camp - Departing from Camp Martha Johnston

Day Camp Options:

Girl Experience Center in Savannah: June 2-6, July 14-18, July 28-August 1 *Albany Girl Scout DreamLab*: June 2-6, June 9-13, July 7-11, July 21-25 *Dot's Little House in Columbus*: June 9-13, July 14-18

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5. Council News and Upcoming Events

The Liberty Street Shop in Savannah will open at 12 p.m. on Wednesday, May 14, due to the Legacy of Leadership event.

All GSHG offices and shops will be closed on Monday, May 26, for Memorial Day.

We are still looking for camp staff for this summer! <u>Click here</u> to learn more and apply today!

May Events 5/10: Shop Saturday (Athens only) 5/13: Albany Mobile Shop 5/14: Legacy of Leadership - Savannah - Region 3 5/17: STEM Builds - Albany - Region 4 5/20: Wood Art - Albany - Region 4 5/21: Gainesville Mobile Shop 5/21: Shape Strength - Albany - Region 4 5/22: Columbus Mobile Shop 5/22: <u>Happy Mind, Happy Life - Albany - Region 4</u> 5/23: Girl Scout Night with the Columbus Clingstones - Columbus - Region 5 5/26: GSHG offices closed for Memorial Day 5/27: Edible Fire Build - Albany - Region 4 5/28: Tower Build - Albany - Region 4 5/30: Game Night - Albany - Region 4 5/31: Product Program End Survey closes 5/31: Soothing Saturday - Albany - Region 4

June and July Events 6/1-6/6: Camp Like a Muggle Resident Camp - Camp Low 6/2-6/6: Day Camp - Savannah GIRL Center - Region 3 6/2-6/6: Day Camp - Albany Girl Scout DreamLab - Region 4 6/3: Augusta Mobile Shop 6/3: Girl Scout Night with Macon Bacon - Macon - Region 6 6/7: <u>Summer Summit - Monroe - Region 1</u> 6/8-6/13: Camp Like a Girl Resident Camp - Camp Martha Johnston 6/9-6/13: Day Camp - Albany Girl Scout DreamLab - Region 4 6/9-6/13: Day Camp - Dot's Little House - Region 5 6/15-6/20: In Our Element Resident Camp - Camp Martha Johnston 6/21: Bridging Savannah's Bridge - Savannah - Region 3 6/22-6/27: Playing the Past Resident Camp - Camp Martha Johnston 7/7-7/11: Day Camp - Albany Girl Scout DreamLab - Region 4 7/8-7/11: Living Out Loud Resident Camp - Camp Martha Johnston 7/10: Last Product Program Girl Advisory Committee Meeting 7/13-7/18: <u>Travel Camp</u>

7/14-7/18: <u>Day Camp - Savannah GIRL Center - Region 3</u> 7/14-7/18: <u>Day Camp - Dot's Little House - Region 5</u> 7/21-7/25: <u>Day Camp - Albany Girl Scout DreamLab - Region 4</u> 7/28-8/1: <u>Day Camp - Savannah GIRL Center - Region 3</u>

We're always adding new events to our calendar, so don't forget to bookmark <u>www.gshg.org/events</u> to stay up to date with what's new and see what's coming up next at GSHG! Breaking news updates are always added to our <u>Facebook</u> and <u>5 on Friday</u> e-newsletter!

GSHG Shops

Come visit us at one of our council shops!

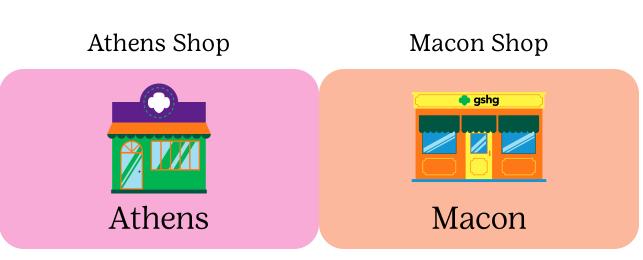
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Shop Saturdays

The Athens shop will be open on Saturday, May 10, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Our next Shop Saturday will be Saturday, June 7! We'll see you then!

Mobile Shops -Albany: May 13, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. -Gainesville: May 21, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. -Columbus: May 22, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. -Augusta: June 3, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. *There will be no other mobile shops in June or July! Please have preorders for Mobile Shop to Catherine or Sidney by the Friday before your Mobile Shop date.*



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Hours of Operation <u>Mon-Thu:</u> 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <u>Friday:</u> 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. <u>1st Saturdays:</u> 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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Savannah Shop

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Liberty Street

912-988-8651

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<u>Friday</u>: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. <u>1st Saturdays:</u> 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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Albany Boutique Shop

<u>st Saturdays:</u> 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m

478-935-2221 Hours of Operation <u>Mon-Thu</u>: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <u>Friday</u>: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. <u>1st Saturdays:</u> 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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First Headquarters



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888-223-3883 Hours of Operation <u>Mon-Sat:</u> 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed Wed. and Sun.

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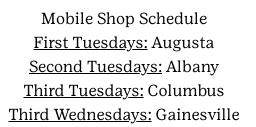
888-689-1912 Hours of Operation <u>Mon-Fri</u>: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. <u>Saturday:</u> 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Note: There is a limited selection of uniform items & gifts in the Albany boutique. Contact Catherine Shinn in the Macon shop to place orders for badges, fun patches, and other specialty items.

EMAIL THE SHOP!



See when the the mobile shops are coming to your area! Mobile shop hours are 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.





Your Year of Discovery

Ready for the next chapter in your Girl Scout story? Keep the fun going with another year of exciting new discoveries! Whether trying out a fun science experiment or making s'mores under the stars, your friends are ready to create lasting memories with you. Annual membership* dues are \$50 for girls and \$30 for adults. Visit <u>girlscouts.org/benefits</u> to learn more.

RENEW TODAY

*The Girl Scout membership year is October 1–September 30 and must be renewed annually.



Have a question? Don't be shy! <u>Contact us</u> for more information.

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