

Responses to the statement: "If you answered "NO" to the above question (Does your council provide a good mix of outdoor events for all age levels?), please list what age levels you would like to see additional events developed for." *Responses containing comment(s) beyond just listing a particular age level(s) are listed below. The specific age level info (if any) was included in the graph on the results page.*

- 5th grades juniors who have been scouts for a while and "have done that before."
- 6th grade and above need more adventurous activities
- Activities for older girls are limited and are often cancelled due to lack of sufficient participation.
- After 8th or 9th grade I see very few events for older girls that aren't combined with younger girls and geared toward younger girls and just hope the older ones tagalong
- Again, council does not offer outdoor events other than summer camps.
- All ages, the extent of participation could be gauged by girl age. But something should be offered to all ages.
- All age groups! Young to oldest! Camps are being sold!!!!!!!!!! Camps are shutting down. STOP THIS! Camps enrich the girls, and empower them! They live the G.S. creed 24/7
- All age levels. Daisies and their families can join a simple hike, Brownies can try things like snowshoeing and shelter building, Juniors & up can participate in overnight backpacking, etc.
- All age levels. Very little happens at camps outside of resident camp or troop camping
- All ages--recognize that if you don't have a full session, it's not that girls aren't interested. It's that you haven't created the right message and marketed it properly.
- All girls, specifically brownies and juniors... more offerings in our cluster
- All GS levels. It would be nice to have the younger girls doing activities at camp too along with older girls.
- All levels but especially for Girl Scout Ambassadors, Seniors, Cadettes AND promote them to all levels to show younger Girl Scouts and their parents what they can look forward to doing -- progression, anticipation and the "I can't wait" theme National chose for this year misses the mark if they don't know Girl Scouts goes to the older levels with more options available for a custom experience
- All levels more often- one day activities, family activities, etc
- All levels, with the exception of Camporee there is one outdoor event per year per age level.

- All levels. But I would say older girls with progression to more high adventure. We are losing girls to BSA Venturing crews. They want to do what the boys are allowed to do. We really need to step it up.
- All of them - our outdoor events usually consist of cleaning up and fixing up camp.
- All! Younger girl want to be included and older girls want adventure.
- All...most events are all ages and this leads to some things to easy or hard
- All...need more outdoor experiences in general.
- Although really, it's not the Council or Council employees doing this. Our leaders are the ones who organize and run the outdoor events. There are a handful of long-time leaders who have adopted a program and run it. We have a Round-Up camp for Cadettes and above, Council-Wide camp for Juniors and above, Junior Adventures, Brownie Weekend, and Daisy Days....these are all done by volunteers.
- Always leaves out the older girls since they are not the target market.
- At this point in time our council is not offering any programming unless it's facilitated and totally run by outside vendors. I'm not sure if there is anyone at council responsible for coordinating with these vendors. Would assume, since there have been no communications for months that there is no one tasked with this responsibility.
- Brownie and Cadette. Daisies have a lot of the fun stuff and the older girls get all the stem stuff. My two are in the middle and get forgotten about.
- Brownie and Daisy scouts are not offered as many options.
- Brownies , Juniors - events fill up too quick
- Brownies and Daisies. Daisies are not supposed to overnight so they are supposed to...what? Have a picnic? It rains all.the.time here. They can hike in the rain, but no one wants to eat in the rain. They do let Daisies go to overnight camp--but would you send your six year old 3 hours away for 3 nights? They need to be included in more local, one day/night events OUTSIDE! Girls need a differentiation from and the sense of accomplishment from outdoor activities. Oh, and had to end the Garden journey because the flower friends gave 2 of my kinders nightmares :) No, really.
- BROWNIES AND JUNIORS. There are NO outdoor activities for them.
- Brownies are capable of so much more than plastic bow and arrows.
- Brownies, I think because of safety concerns not many events that this age group can participate are not included.
- C/S/A need more options. There are only 11 Ambassador badges. Sad
- Cadette and above need more opportunities. I would love for GSGLA to use La Casita or El Prado and offer more camping for older girls.
- Cadette and above needs more programming. Girls drop out at this age as they lose interest.
- Cadette and older are ignored.
- Cadette and older. They really only offer horse stuff and requires too far a drive. One camp they never do anything at and it's close to us.

- Cadette, senior ambassador and not crafts
- Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador. Council expects those age groups to attend an event and work.
- Cadettes and up need more outdoor activities. When our council does outdoor activities it has a bad habit of using the older girls to work the activities and not make things available for them.
- Cadettes and up. Most of the programs at that level are for CIT. There isn't much for having fun.
- Cadettes often want more challenging activities. Our council offers ONE such event each year (Woods-n-Water).
- Cadettes, Daisies and Brownies. It seems that most programs are for Junior level.
- Cadettes, Seniors & Ambassadors receive few event options to keep these girls active in scouting. This age of girls want adventures similar to those available to Boy Scouts.
- Cadettes, Seniors, & Ambassadors - the forgotten girls when it comes to Council Programming
- Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors complain of not having enough fun events for them. There is a C/S Planning Board in one area, but not in another area that used to have one. This was great, because the girls (with advisors) planned their own events and offered them for girls and sometimes girls could also go by themselves (with other girls and leaders) to fun events like caving, Adventure Weekend, etc.
- Camps are offered but expensive for girls - not good for troops to go as unit...., day camps offered 1 week in the summer - please offer more out door opportunities of each level
- Cadette and higher programming is very lacking more should be offered to these girls
- Council events are few for the older girls
- Council under utilizes the camps. There is very, very little program offered for anyone. Training for adults is twice a year.
- Currently outdoor skills programs are limited to older girls and there really isn't much in the way of outdoor activities sponsored by council for Brownies
- Currently: camporee (BR-AM), desert GAM(CA-AM), core camp (JR). Would love to see archery (JR-AM), hiking (DA-AM), water craft (JR-AM), canoeing (CA-AM), backpacking (CA-AM), construction (JR-AM), cross country skiing/snowshoeing (JR-AM), downhill skiing (BR-AM)
- Daisies and Brownies. They seem to think this age group is only interested in fashion and jewelry making. So boring, and not at all what I signed my daughter up for Girl Scouts for!
- Daisies seem to be always left behind. And once we got to Brownies they took away zip lines...disappointing.
- Daisies, Brownies. There is so much badge programming that could be done at camp!
- Daisy and brownies start their love of camp and nature young!

- Either the younger girls are left out or the older girls. Most events can't accommodate all levels.
- Events to support multi-level troops with a lot of girls
- Every age level needs more outdoor activities sponsored by Council (outside of the few weeks of summer camp offered). If our Council would put together a focus group of leaders, parents, girls, etc. we could easily come up with events for each program level and multi-program levels. 2) I teach outdoor cooking at GS day camp, I used to teach canoeing at GS summer camp. We have so many wonderful leaders and parents who would be glad to help the Council put outdoor programs together. The Council puts the program guide together on their own and I think they just offer whatever some community partner proposes (the zoo, or a theater company, etc.)
- Every other month I'd like to see every program age level grouping have skills workshops offered in a camp setting.... so we know that Daisy Simple meals & campout is Nov. Brownies, Simple meals & Archery... JR's the next month: how to basic camp building to primitive camping - CSA's - Girls bonding weekend with projects on hand that help the camp, or work with girls coming out for 1/2 gathering giving them some leadership time.
- Few events for Daisy and Brownies. Most events are for Junior and older girls.
- Focus on the younger girls, no programming for older girls.
- Generally outdoor programming options are not available or sponsored for all age levels - Daisy on up - on the local Service Unit Level and service units are not supported by council to offer outdoor opportunities.
- GSCI focuses on the Indianapolis area. 5 camps in our council and they focus on Camp Dellwood. It would be nice to see more than just summer camp at the other camps.
- High School aged girls. Not everyone wants to learn to put fingernail polish on for a week at camp. Some would like to actually do camping/outdoors type of activities.
- Higher level experiences for older girls that would keep them engaged. Are losing to Boy Scouts when they turn 14.
- Hit all ages but only 3 events so some ages mainly Cadettes and up only get 1 event
- I am a multi-level troop leader (Daisies - Seniors). I find tons of events for Brownies and Juniors, but hardly anything for the youngest or oldest girls.
- I am the leader for DB and I haven't seen many events, or have found out about them too late. Also travel is an issue. We are 50-60 mins away from Bedford, and we can't travel to VT because we have Daisies.
- I believe they should be for all ages, with progression in mind.
- I don't know of any outdoor activities our council plans.
- I feel it is non-existent for any events for Brownies/ Juniors to start priming their engines. Cadettes and above need more difficult/ advanced classes rather than just the basics. As listed above: Outdoor Skills (surveying, survival, knot tying, over-night

survival), Outdoor Adventure, Cold Weather Survival, Outdoor cooking skills, Emergency Preparedness

- I feel it's mostly for 4th grade and up. My girls are only in 2nd grade and can't attend.
- I find that they offer a lot for younger girls (mostly day things) and many weekend things for older girls, but not much for Juniors, and never at our local camp
- I have a Junior troop. Thankfully our council started offering outdoor adventure events, but only archery, zip line, rappel / climbing. Would love a fire safety class or campfire songs as well as hiking and badge journey work to have just a few things.
- I have not seen events offered that aren't 3 hours away
- I have older girls and they need events, but younger girls need this more, so as they get older they will want more ...
- I have seen a few events for older girls, but the majority seem to be for younger girls. Camps are the perfect way to get older girls involved!
- I have three different age levels that I lead. It is hard to find activities for the younger girls - Daisies and Brownies. And there needs to be more variety for the older girls - we've attend events like the ones that are offered and are left finding events on our own.
- I proposed a STEM event for high school girls preparing for the SAT. I presented my plan to council program people, who expressed some interest but said it would not fit into the council's way of managing program.
- I see the occasional high adventure for middle to older girls, but see no opportunities for younger troops to experience troop camping with supervising council certified staff.
- I think our council because of GSUSA policies has requirements that are too stringent and prevent younger girls from completing activities that they are capable of, interested in and perform already outside of scouts
- I think that they could do more outdoorsy stuff, but they do some. I just think it could be more and better, and that they should talk more to troop leaders about these. If they don't foment these principles, leaders are going to continue just doing crafts at indoors meetings.
- I think there could be more events (year around) for the older girls
- I work with Cadette, Senior, Ambassador. Rarely have any events for them
- I would like to see a strong outdoor program for Cadettes and up.
- I would like to see more age level appropriate outdoor events, Cadettes should be doing a lot more than daisies, juniors should be doing a little more than brownies, etc
- I would like to see more older girl events where they are not required to work.
- I would like to see more things for older Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors. My girls often feel like there is LOTS of stuff for younger Scouts, but not enough for them. And STEM is great as long as it doesn't feel like schoolwork.
- I would love to have all day badge workshops with activities, with the option of full weekend, or just day.

- I would love to see more activities for the Daisies and Brownies. Get the girls hooked young and they will remain for a long time!
- In the past the only activities for the teen girls were volunteer positions...but they only had one weekend a year available for training in those positions and required the girls to donate 6 weekends a season of their time. Other events filled up very quickly and were hard to schedule both an overnight and an activity at the same time. Now the outdoor programs are run only by professionals and they have no volunteer positions..but they are very expensive...I don't know if they are filling up fast or not...because of the expense
- It seems all ages can do anything. i.e. Rock climbing or repelling- a Brownie/ Junior does the same program as the Cadettes/Seniors... What is left to look forward to? The same thing we did in Elementary school?
- It seems like there is a great amount of stuff, but too far away. Our smaller closer camps have been closed, so it comes down to stalking a spot well in advance and hoping nothing conflicts or missing out.
- Its getting better... I have Cadettes
- Junior events. Just more of them. They fill out so fast.
- Juniors and older, they are the ones leaving Scouts due to lack of interest.
- Juniors. ...traditional. ...old style....camp n badges
- Just a broader mix at all levels
- Lack of available options at the Daisy level, and few at the Brownie level.
- Lack of volunteers. It seems that a few do it all. I have Cadettes that would love any outdoor activities.
- Last summer it was very difficult to find availability for camp.
- Less girly, more "real" life (like challenge courses) adventures would expose the girls to high adventure and not dumb down activities for them
- Limited space for all levels.
- Lots of Cadettes and Seniors, but very little Junior or Brownies
- Lower ages. Events seem more towards upper ages it seems
- Make more things available for daisies. Most if my daisies are outdoors girls already and to have events for their likes would be nice
- Many of the events are too expensive or too far. It would be nice to see a Junior Jam camporee or an older girl camporee. It would be nice to have the outdoor games supplies to rent like the council used to have.
- Many of the events offered at the properties are things like cooking and crafts as opposed to hiking and fire building. Plus, there are a lot of age restrictions for the girls that cub scouts do not have. For example, cub scouts get to use BB guns and do archery starting in first grade.
- More advanced for Cadette through Ambassadors, basic for Brownie and moderate for Juniors.

- More age appropriate activities that take into account the older girls active life styles and schedules. It is also difficult to get to a site by 4, when it is almost an hour drive and the girls don't get home until after 3
- More badge events for Cadette level and up.
- More Cadette, Senior and for sure Ambassador Level activities and events as there seems recently to be so little for these age levels to participate in other than being a PA/CIT/VIT.
- More Camporees for older girls 6th and up
- More events for older girls that aren't STEM.
- More events need to bring multiple age levels together.
- More for seniors and ambassadors. More high adventure like boy scouts offer. Tired of losing older girls to Venture Crews
- More for the older girls. We need to peek their interest before we lose them.
- More hiking and adventure type events for younger girls.
- More involved events for Brownie level. They are capable!
- More older girl events outside of summer camp.
- More options for day-camp activities and camping weekends. As of now, there is only 1 weekend in the Spring and in the Fall that they offer.
- More options for older girls. More at specific levels instead of mixing Juniors Brownies
- More outdoor activities for Daisys and Brownies. Our camps mostly offer letter boxing for these age groups
- More outdoor for daisies and brownies; most programming for older girls
- More outdoor programming for the older girls (Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador). A lot of events, even those held indoors, that are in the programming guide, mention that the girls can attend and "work" the event for the younger girls. Older girls also want to be able to attend and have fun, not always have to work. The few things listed for the older girls are things like "mall over nights, etc. My granddaughter's troop does not want to go spend the night at a mall or learn how to "glam" things up to sparkle. They want programming like the younger girls and don't want to always work.
- Most activities are geared for 2-5 graders
- Most are high adventure for older girls
- Most of our events are targeted either for Daisy / Brownie or Brownie/Junior, even though they are open to all age levels. We need more things that are age-level specific and more things that target the 6th-12th graders.
- Most of the events are age-specific. I'd like to see more options that our multi-level troop can attend together at the same time, even if the group is split up when we get there-would make it a lot easier for parents with more than one girl.
- Most of the programming is for girls younger than ours and what is offered for cadette or older is not offered within two hours driving time

- Most things are offered for younger girls and are not outdoor activities. The ambassador level has very little council options that does not involve being indoors doing artwork.
- Most things offered are for younger girls, my daughter is a Cadette.
- Mostly Limited to camp leadership (counselor in training) for the CSA level.
- My daisy level girls love to camp and do any thing outdoors, but most programs are geared toward older girls. I understand why (because they are so young and parents are reluctant to let them go over night) but shorter events to ease them in to the outdoors would be good.
- My daughter is in 5th grade juniors and I am disabled so am unable to experience many of the outdoor pathways with her. I would like to see more mentoring from older scouts and staff in this area.
- My Juniors only had one type of outdoor event offered to them (welcome to camp) that was offered twice in the fall.
- Need more older girl programming. We had a "Hunger Games" themed camp this summer that was wildly popular. Strive to find programs girls will want to attend and stop offering the ones they do not want to attend.
- Need more weekend Friday-Sunday events for those that can't do a 4 day or 7 day camp
- Need much more older girl, specialized programming
- Needs to be multilevel programs so that ALL the girls can participate together. We have several sister groups in our troop and there are many programs that exclude one or more age levels and therefore we can't go
- Never enough events for older girls.
- No longer actively involved in scouting, but when we left there was a definite draw-down on camp related activities going on at the council level.
- No, GS Daisy Scouts & Brownies are not permitted on low ropes, canoeing or archery.
- No, most activities are troop based, just recently a horse badge event has been offered and spots sold-out in just days.
- Not for the older girls or Daisy
- Not many for older girls
- Not many outdoor events for Daisy's and poor Brownies are so limited as to what they can do.
- Not much for Cadettes and up for summer camps to participate in as campers. They have limited positions for them to help at day camps. We have no resident camp for them to attend. Camp Weidmann was sold off in 2003. The out of council exchange has not worked out at all. Our council is 3/4 of the state and no resident camp for our girls!
- Not much for older girls
- Not nearly as much for older girls (6th and up).
- Nothing for Daisies and very few older girl only activities
- Offering more fun & active programs for younger scouts (Daisy - Junior) will help retain girls as they get older

- Older girl Cadette and up. I know with the busy schedules it gets harder to plan events but if the older girls but if you work around sports seasons, school holidays you can sometimes hit the right time frame and we need to be asking the girls of our council what kind of events do they want.
- Older girl events are rarely offered.
- Older girl programming is sparse.
- Older girls - they need 'fun' events, not always the leadership crap. Or 'College 101.'
- Older girls = and needs to have a low minimum as many older girls have given up signing up for any council events as they will probably be cancelled due to not enough girls signing up.
- Older girls are in need outdoor programming directed specifically to them. Cadette and up. We currently have a new program director is very outdoor oriented and so are hoping to see more coming down the pike in this regard.
- Older girls at older levels. No dollar store bought plastic spoons being used for a recycling craft aimed at a first grader. It's recycling..shouldn't materials be recycled? Not out of a dollar store box/ bag..
- Older girls have little opportunity except volunteering.
- Older girls need more regularly scheduled options.
- Older girls only get adventure type events they need more skill building. Younger girls need more than one event a quarter.
- Older girls seem to be excluded for the most part unless they want to assist as a Program Aide or travel farther distances.
- Older girls used to be encouraged to try primitive camping, to experience life w/o the "extras". Whether "sold" to them as living like their great grandparents, or pioneers, or "if you were stranded"...the resultant confidence and independence is irreplaceable.
- Older girls, but time is an issue and it is hard to plan events that girls involved in all kinds of other activities can all attend on the same weekend. Adds to the challenge.
- Older girls, Cadettes on up. Currently have summer camp options and Junior Jam, weekend of games just for Jrs.
- Older girls, Junior and up. they make everything for Daisies and Brownies. Very little specific to their level OUTDOOR events that take place. They do lots of STEM. My girls don't want that, they say its just like going to school, and I cant talk them into trying it given the cost that is charged.
- Older girls! More challenges to younger girls as well.
- Older girls. Specifically Cadettes and above need more interesting and challenging events.
- Once girls get to be between 12-13 Camp doesn't offer a variety of choices and if the girls have attended Camp from Daisy's up through juniors they've done everything. We need to offer more for the Cadette's and up

- Other than resident camp and family camp my council sponsors little. Volunteers sponsor quite a few things.
- Our council does not offer much at all. When there are things, they are usually geared to Juniors and younger. Both my daughters and half my troop are Cadettes and seniors. It's hard to keep them interested.
- Our council has had to cut back on sponsored events due to funding and is relying more and more on the SU taking the helm to plan and develop programs for the community.
- Our council is quite large geographically and the camps are spread out. Most of the programs are held at locations that are far from our area making it very difficult to get to. There is a camp that is closer to our area, but it is not used much by the council for some reason (MAYBE 1 program/year). I would like to see more outdoor activities at all the council owned facilities for all age groups.
- Our facilities are really geared towards younger girls. Once you've been to one of our camps, you've done it all
- Our service unit is active (*SU name removed*) but I couldn't tell you about half the things that the council offers. It all feels like a money grab with council. The only communications that come out seem to be about cookies (making money)
- Outdoor activities targeted toward younger girls and high adventure towards the older girls
- Outdoor events tend to be in eastern part of council.
- Plenty for Brownies & Juniors not so much for Older Girls.
- Preferably juniors but anything would be nice. Council is just for making money not doing events for the girls.
- Progression for older girls to learn advanced outdoor skills, for them to be able to go tent camping as a troop like Boy Scouts do.
- Rare events for older girls. CADETTES and up.
- Seems like there are an adequate number of activities for juniors, but Daisies, Brownies, Cadettes, Seniors, and Ambassadors need more options.
- Seems like they are skewed toward younger girls (D/B)
- Seems to be brownies or juniors. No consistency though.
- Seems to cater to Brownies
- Senior & Ambassador scouts have nothing to choose from. Activities are geared towards younger scouts.
- Seniors & Ambassador fun events - not always service oriented so they can have fun too!
- Seniors and Ambassadors in the Toledo area. Not just in Cincinnati
- So far as I know there are few outdoor events of any kind.
- Some Daisy specific events would help girls and parents ease into outdoor programs. Daisies are welcomed at many of our events but some geared directly to them would be good to start them out.

- Starting at Daisy level, with badge sets to match skills.
- The best way I can say.. younger is "lame", older too expensive, or too far away. We hold our own in our area, and get almost no REAL support from the council.
- The council itself puts on very few outdoor events. There are a few things up at camp during the year, but most of the events in our area are put on by troops or service units. There was Kicking it at Camp, which is an intro to what you can do at camp, or at least that was my impression. There will be Girl Scout Olympics in the spring, and Jingle Jog in December are really it. We need more ways to do outdoor skills with our girls.
- The Daisies seem to be excluded from a lot of activities
- The Daisy/ Brownie group seems lacking.
- The focus is mainly on younger girls. As a cadette leader, we have to develop our own programs which I invite other older troops to attend with us.
- The High School kids, Seniors & Ambassadors, are really forgotten. They are asked to plan things for the younger girls, but nothing is planned for them unless it is an extremely expensive activity to participate in.
- The leadership at our council has pushed most of their volunteers away after the recent battle to Save our Camps. I am not sure if this rift can be repaired. There needs to be a transparent survey that asks the girls why they left GS. Junior aged scouts have not left just because they have other extra curricular activities. They are old enough to have an opinion and can see what has happened to the camps. This is an additional reason why their troops have folded in our neck of the woods. So- in light of this question- Will our council have enough staff to provide a proper scouting experience? Program aides, summer staff etc.
- The older girls (high school) are rarely included.
- The older girls are left out a lot. I know it is hard to schedule things for the older girls because they are more involved with other activities. Older girls being Cadette and above.
- The older girls Cadette and up need opportunities that build on what they have already learned. Most opportunities seem like more of the same. There are not higher degrees of challenge offered in Archery , canoe for example
- The older girls need more than the same, repeated thing. Jr and above.
- The older the girls, the fewer the opportunities to participate as a girl (lots of opportunities to work events)
- The outdoor activity they offer within 1 hour of my service unit is only for a few hours 1 week of the year and is for k-5. It is the same every year. 6-8th grade outdoor activities would be great or camporee for older girls so they can have fun too.
- The younger girls can learn to love the outdoors and basic skills and pre skills. A lot of things are offered for juniors and up. Not necessarily to combine the age groups but the younger girls are not helpless.

- The younger girls Daisies and Brownies. They are the most enthusiastic group and would benefit from outdoor activities but here there is usually one or two camps offered in the summer and they are nothing different than other organizations or are designed as a fundraiser by a troop and unfortunately aren't so well planned out.
- There are few events for my Daisy, which is funny because she'd be happy with a walk along a trail or flying kites. And there haven't been journey themed events
- There are limited events for Cadettes and above.
- There are not enough facilities available for troop/group/service unit camping events. Need more rendezvous so inexperienced leaders see how it is done.
- There are only 2 outdoor events for Seniors/Ambassadors each year.
- There is nothing cheap enough and close enough for my Junior troop of disadvantaged girls. There are no events for Cadettes comparable to our Senior/Ambassador outdoor skills competitions.
- There is a lot of day events for Brownies & Juniors and a lot of the camps are geared for older girls. There is not a lot of outdoor events for Daisies and not enough day events geared toward Cadettes & older. Also, the argument that Daisies can't handle camping because of their age is ridiculous. My son camped as a Cub Scout since he was in Kindergarten. You are losing girls because you have excluded the family to participate with them. As they get older you could phase it where they are more independent. My daughter, who is now a 2nd year Brownie, has been camping since she has been 3 years old. You need to be more inclusive of families.
- There is a need for more individual Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador events outside of the Wrangler program, Kayak Club, and Adventure Girls troop, all of which require a year long commitment.
- There is great need for teen weekend camps. Too many all age camps.
- There is limited stuff for younger girls but I would guess that would be based on Safetywise
- There is little to interest older campers, aged ten or older. Some attend regular sessions of GS established camps in neighboring councils, particularly in Kentucky.
- There is more stuff for older girls to do, not for younger girls. But even if GSCNC were to have them, they are typically more than a two to three hour drive, one way and we can't go anyway.
- There is NO more resident camps that cater to the OUTDOOR program. What happened to teaching these girls the survival skills for the outdoors.
- There is not a lot of activities for the younger girls.
- There is very little for Brownies and almost nothing for Daisies. Now that our troop is Juniors there is more available.
- There need to be more events for all age levels but definitely more for the Cadette, Senior, and Ambassador levels. These girls want to do a meaningful, challenging program and are going elsewhere because they aren't finding them with GS.

- There needs to be more for the 9-12th grade girls
- There seems to be only introductory outdoor skills. We are Cadettes who have camped for years, it would be nice to see council offer outdoor skills for more experienced campers. The council programs are often repeat info and disappointing for our girls. Often we go outside council and even to Boy Scouts for new challenges. Whether it's outdoor programming or any other topic, leaders and scouts should not have to "leave" Girl Scouts to find new challenges.
- There should be more events for younger girls. When we were daisy and brownie there was really nothing or VERY LITTLE that would bring us to council property
- They currently provide more events for younger girls. As my daughter and troop are 1st year Brownies, this is not an issue for me at this time, but it will be before long.
- They do - as much as possible. I'd love to see more general offerings for the younger girls (D,B,J) and more advanced things for the older girls (C.S,A).
- They do not put enough emphasis on older girls to keep them in Scouting!
- They don't offer much.
- They don't offer much for older girls...different actives. They need to offer the same for younger girls. Check out cub scouts.
- They have been trying to keep older girls involved and haven't had as much for younger girls.
- They just need outdoor events at camp period.
- They mainly focus on summer camp and do nothing the rest of the year. The camps should be used more.
- They need to have something for Cadettes and older, everything they have been having lately is for Daisy - Juniors. Our older girls are losing interest.
- They need to provide more mix-for all age levels.
- They only offer archery and sometimes Wild Things. Wild things is for older girls only, archery fills up quickly and is the same thing every time.
- They tend to target a certain age group for a period, and then the next time frame target another age group - it doesn't keep girls interested and willing to attend more than once or twice before losing interest
- Things for younger girls but not after 5th grade.
- Very few outdoor opportunities for older girls only as opposed to all ages or just younger girls.
- Very few programs are offered at camp besides summer camp. The Training/Learning Services Dept (while it existed) ran more outdoor programs than the Program Department ever did. If there are outdoor programs on offer, they're only for younger girls. Camp is awesome for all ages! Don't forget your older girl population! There are more than Brownies & Juniors!

- Very little advanced outdoor skills , these are done in a troop setting if the troops are interested. For those not belonging in those troops, there is little for them to do to advance.
- Very little is offered to older scouts so if they are not campers, they would not venture out for a backpacking event and that is really all that is offered for older girls in my area.
- We do have a relatively good mix, but I would like to see more older girl programming -- high adventure trips, horse programs that WE run, et cetera. We have some great outdoor program staff who are working to expand this!
- We just bridged to Juniors. But we have not attended 1 GSSEM event because they don't exist we however have done several events with the heart of mi council as daisy & brownies
- We leave out the junior and high school girls and non-English speakers. Most programs are aimed at elementary aged girls. We lose the older girls. we lose experienced adults.
- We need more high energy activities that are geared to older girls.
- We need more local to the Eugene/Springfield area events for all ages. The Wallace creek camp was closed and except for Florence everything is usually up in Portland and that is too far and expensive for us to all go to.
- When the camps keep being idled, it's hard to give girls the outdoor experiences they really want.
- When the girls are solicited for girl scouts in kindergarten they are told about camping, archery etc. but leaders hands are tied for those activities because they are too young. This sets a leader up for failure. Parents become flustered because it's 2 years before girls go camping.
- Would like to see Archery classes available for girls younger than Juniors.
- Would like to see more for the older girls with real outdoor activities.
- Younger scouting levels in the outdoors; early exposure
- Younger scouts like Daisy and brownies have very little to pick from

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