



Bothell Day Camp Everyday Heroes

July 13-17, 2015

Welcome to Bothell Day Camp at Blyth Park. Our program theme for 2015 is **Everyday Heroes!**

Set amongst the glorious Blyth Park in Bothell, our 5-day camp starts the day with a traditional flag ceremony and boasts a variety of activities through the week. Come have fun with other Girl Scouts while learning outdoor skills, cooking, crafts, songs, games, skits, nature exploration and more. The camp day ends with a closing flag ceremony. The flag ceremonies include lots of songs, skits/dances, who has the mugwamp, and the much-loved announcements. Our camp emphasizes a full program of scouting for all who attend!

Bothell Day Camp has a strong sense of belonging and connection. Everyone at camp is valued and respected. Volunteers stress kindness, respect, and character. Bothell Day Camp is a thriving, thoughtful community. Campers build confidence by making new friends, exploring interests, discovering abilities and strengthening skills.

All girls in grades K-12 can participate in camp. Girls entering grades K-6 can come as **Campers**. Girls entering 7th grade will be in a special **On Your Own** girl-planned unit. Girls entering grades 8-12 will be **Program Aides** or **Program Aides in Training**. Ambassadors bridging to **Adult Girl Scouts** are welcome as Adult Volunteers!

Day Camp is staffed and made possible by **Volunteers**. We need **YOUR** help! Please consider being part of the fun! Our day camp is run completely by unpaid volunteers. You can join us for either one day or the whole week. All adults may volunteer (subject to a background check). You do not need to be a Girl Scout leader. Also please be patient with our organizers as they juggle their family and work commitments with their efforts to put on five great days of camp for your children.

We can't offer camp without YOU!

Where:
Blyth Park
16950 W Riverside Drive
Bothell, WA

Time:
9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Cost:
Camper: \$135 per girl
entering grades K-6

On Your Own: \$140 per girl
entering grade 7

Program Aides/Program
Aides in Training: \$30 per girl
entering grades 8-12

Ambassadors bridging to
Adult Girl Scout are welcome
as Volunteers!

Preschoolers and Boys units
available for children of
volunteers!

Girls who are not currently
Girl Scouts must pay an
additional \$15 membership
fee to become a registered
Girl Scout.

Registration deadline:
June 1, 2015
Or until full.

Registration

Camp Registration fees cover camp, t-shirt, camp patch, program supplies, insurance and daily snack. Register on-line:

<https://thriva.activenetwork.com/Reg4/Form.aspx?IDTD=5107628&RF=12009915>

Girls who are not currently Girl Scouts must pay an additional \$15 membership fee to become a registered Girl Scout. To become a registered Girl Scout, please visit www.gsww.org and follow the **JOIN** link on the left side of the website.

Applications for Financial Aid must be turned in to Girl Scouts of Western Washington by May 31, 2015. If you are planning to use Cookie Dough, don't wait to register.

Space is limited and **camp fills quickly** every year. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Volunteers' children are placed first.

ONLY CAMPERS WITH COMPLETE PAPERWORK AND FEES WILL BE REGISTERED.

Deadline for completing paperwork: June 1, 2015 **or until full**. We cannot hold places for campers with incomplete paperwork or missing fees (including Girl Scout registration). There will be a limited number of slots in each of the units, and the number of units will be dependent upon the number of volunteers who sign up to lead a unit. Full-time volunteers' children get placed first. If you are able to volunteer all 5 days, please speak to a day camp committee member (see contact information below).

Cancellation Policy

All cancellations must be a written request sent to bothelldaycamp@gmail.com. If cancellation notification is received by June 1, the registration will be cancelled and all money paid will be refunded minus a \$10 administration fee per camper. If cancellation notification is received after June 1 and before July 1, the registration will be cancelled and 50% of money paid will be refunded. Starting on July 1, the registration will be cancelled and no refunds are given. Girl Scout membership fee (\$15) is nonrefundable. If financial assistance is denied and your daughter cannot attend camp, you must send a written request for cancellation to Bothell Day Camp (bothelldaycamp@gmail.com) before June 1.



Camp Buddies

Limit of one mutually requested same-age buddy per camper, subject to space availability in an age-appropriate unit. Please do not ask to have more than one buddy. Camp is a time for girls to make new friends!



On Your Own

Girls entering 7th grade attend day camp in the On Your Own (OYO) unit. The OYO unit meets prior to the start of day camp to plan their own week off-site for 4 days. Previously OYO units have gone to many different activities as varied as candy making, downtown Seattle, water park, glass making and more. The OYO unit spends the 5th day on-site learning what it is to be a Program Aide. It is helpful if girls going into 7th grade complete Program Aide training before camp; check GSWW website for PA Training opportunities. There are some dates listed below.

Program Aides and Program Aides in Training

Girls going into 8th and 9th grade who have completed Program Aide training before camp are invited to volunteer as a PAT. Girls going into 10th to 12th grade with prior PA experience are invited to volunteer as a PA or volunteer in a unit. PAs and PATs with Program Aide training are invited to teach specific camp skills at a station. There will be a \$30 registration fee for PAs and PATs. Please contact bothelldaycamp@gmail.com if you are interested in working at a station. For PA training, check GSWW web site for PA Training opportunities and registration.

Program Aide Training Dates currently listed on GSWW website:

Bellevue	Saturday March 21	1 – 4:30 PM
Bellevue	Saturday April 1	6-9 PM
Kenmore	Saturday April 11	1 - 4 PM
Bellevue	Saturday April 18	1 - 4 PM
Everett	Saturday April 25	1 - 4 PM
Seattle	Saturday April 25	1 – 4 PM
Bellevue	Saturday May 9	1 - 4 PM
Everett	Saturday June 13	1 - 4 PM



Volunteer Training

All volunteers MUST attend training. Please RSVP bothelldaycamp@gmail.com for training on Saturday, June 27, 9 AM to 1 PM at Blyth Park. New Volunteer training begins at 9 AM. Returning Volunteers: 10 AM.

Volunteer Children

We offer preschoolers and boys units for volunteers' children. (Sorry, but we cannot accommodate children in diapers.) We also offer reduced fees for volunteers' children.

Full-Time volunteer first Camper (grades K-6) is \$30. Each additional Camper is \$50. OYO First camper \$35, second Camper \$55. Preschoolers are \$30 and Boys are \$50.

Part-Time volunteer: At the end of day camp, we will reimburse volunteers \$10 for each day they volunteer.

Registration Camp Contacts

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