

Daisy Girl Scout Programs for 2024-25

Title: How does your garden grow?

Duration: 90 minutes

Badge/Patch Correlations: Daisy Flower Garden Journey Watering Can Award



Description: This session helps Daisy Scouts learn to "use resources wisely" and make the world a better place", ideas stressed in the Girl Scout Law. After learning how worms can be used to create compost for growing flowers, girls will make some unique garden crafts to take home.

Activities:

- . Observe worms up close and learn how they can help to make compost
- . Make a seedling pot out of recycled materials
- . Create a mini-garden

Title: Time for Turtles

Duration: 90 minutes



Badge/Patch Correlations: Five Flowers, Four Stories, Three Cheers for Animals Journey **Birdbath Award**

Description: After learning about the adaptations turtles have that help them survive and what makes these endearing creatures so unique, the Daisies will meet one of the MEC's resident turtles and learn how we care for it.

Activities:

- · Visit several learning centers to investigate the adaptations turtles have
- . Meet a diamondback terrapin, the most common turtle in salt marshes of the New Jersey Meadowlands
- . Create a turtle craft to take home



Title: Tree Treasures

Duration: 90 minutes Badge/Patch Correlations: Between Earth and Sky Journey The Clover Award

Description : Though they're easy to take for granted, trees provide countless benefits to nature in general, not to mention humans specifically. After learning about some of these benefits, Daisies will investigate how trees are different, from the color and texture of their bark to the shape and size of their seeds.

Activities:

- . Learn about ways trees help animals survive
- . Take a short walk to investigate the bark of several different trees.
- . Make a tree craft to take home

Note: We can offer suggestions for the Daisy Clover Project that can be done right here in DeKorte Park. Just ask!



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For more information or to make a reservation, contact: Kirk Weber at (201) 460-8384 or by e-mail kweber@ramapo.edu Program fee: 90 min. program: \$10/scout No cost for leaders or chaperones

Policies:

- Programs can be reserved the first 2 weekends of the month (Sat. or Sun.)
- Reservations should be made at least
 2 weeks in advance
 - Minimum of 6 Scouts required to run a program
- Required adult to child ration: 1:3

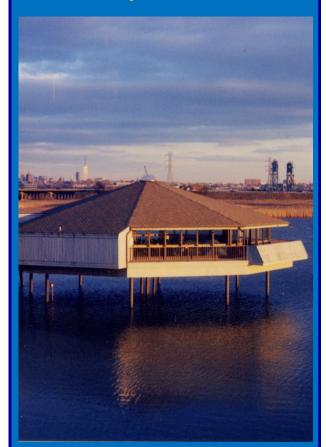


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