

Girl Scouts of Central Illinois

# BACKYARD CHALLENGE SUMMER EDITION



Earn your backyard challenge patch and rocker by completing the activities below!

From June 21 - September 22

A new list of activities will come out for summer, fall and winter.

<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Attend Girl Scout Summer camp	<input type="checkbox"/>	26	Get creative with tie-dye!
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Play an outdoor sport	<input type="checkbox"/>	27	Cut the grass
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Find an animal track	<input type="checkbox"/>	28	Swing on a swing
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Start a compost bin	<input type="checkbox"/>	29	Go fishing
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	Run through a water sprinkler	<input type="checkbox"/>	30	Build a pollinator garden
<input type="checkbox"/>	6	Create a marble maze	<input type="checkbox"/>	31	Celebrate National S'mores Day
<input type="checkbox"/>	7	Make a meal in a Dutch oven	<input type="checkbox"/>	32	Read a book outdoors
<input type="checkbox"/>	8	Make Window art	<input type="checkbox"/>	33	Sing a campfire song
<input type="checkbox"/>	9	Learn about "Leave no Trace"	<input type="checkbox"/>	34	Visit a national or state park
<input type="checkbox"/>	10	Plant a tree	<input type="checkbox"/>	35	Watch a sunrise
<input type="checkbox"/>	11	Make homemade lemonade	<input type="checkbox"/>	36	Practice outdoor yoga
<input type="checkbox"/>	12	Find a rainbow	<input type="checkbox"/>	37	Earn your outdoor art badge
<input type="checkbox"/>	13	Learn letterboxing	<input type="checkbox"/>	38	Draw or paint your favorite summer memory
<input type="checkbox"/>	14	Visit a local nature conservancy or nature preserve	<input type="checkbox"/>	39	Make paper airplanes and see what designs fly best
<input type="checkbox"/>	15	Build a cardboard boat and test it on the water	<input type="checkbox"/>	40	Research and plan an outdoor dream trip.
<input type="checkbox"/>	16	Learn an outdoor game and teach it to others	<input type="checkbox"/>	41	Learn about the life cycle of worms
<input type="checkbox"/>	17	Grow a plant from a seed	<input type="checkbox"/>	42	Do something NEW for you outside!
<input type="checkbox"/>	18	Hike a new trail	<input type="checkbox"/>	43	Make a dream catcher
<input type="checkbox"/>	19	Attend an outdoor theatre, our put on a play outside for friends & Family	<input type="checkbox"/>	44	Run through a water sprinkler
<input type="checkbox"/>	20	March in a parade	<input type="checkbox"/>	45	Talk to a Girl Scout who has earned a high award
<input type="checkbox"/>	21	Take nature photos	<input type="checkbox"/>	46	Have a bubble blowing contest
<input type="checkbox"/>	22	Go to a water park	<input type="checkbox"/>	47	Learn how to use a compass
<input type="checkbox"/>	23	Walk barefoot in the grass	<input type="checkbox"/>	48	Go geocaching
<input type="checkbox"/>	24	Learn how to make minimal impact on a trek	<input type="checkbox"/>	49	Practice knife safety
<input type="checkbox"/>	25	Whittle using knife safety	<input type="checkbox"/>	50	Use a magnifying glass

*Take a selfie doing your backyard activity and share!*

## Number of Activities Required per Grade Level

Level	Daisy	Brownie	Junior	Cadette	Senior	Ambassador	Volunteer
# of activities	20	25	30	35	40	40	40