

Girl Scouts of Central Illinois

BACKYARD CHALLENGE

SPRING EDITION



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

From March 20 - June 20, 2026

Complete the form and bring into your local Boutique to purchase the patch & rocker

<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Take a walk around your block/neighborhood	<input type="checkbox"/>	26	Build a fort
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Go for a flashlight walk	<input type="checkbox"/>	27	Plant flowers
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Go for a bike ride	<input type="checkbox"/>	28	See the cherry blossoms
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Play catch with your family	<input type="checkbox"/>	29	Learn a camp song
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	Make a kite and fly it	<input type="checkbox"/>	30	Learn three facts about your favorite national park
<input type="checkbox"/>	6	Have a picnic lunch	<input type="checkbox"/>	31	Have a campfire/bonfire
<input type="checkbox"/>	7	Measure the rain after a storm	<input type="checkbox"/>	32	Have a pillowcase sack race
<input type="checkbox"/>	8	Read a book outside	<input type="checkbox"/>	33	Create a scavenger hunt
<input type="checkbox"/>	9	Learn four knots	<input type="checkbox"/>	34	Make a homemade wind chime
<input type="checkbox"/>	10	Explore a local state park	<input type="checkbox"/>	35	Earn Outdoor Art Maker Badge
<input type="checkbox"/>	11	Tie dye something	<input type="checkbox"/>	36	Make a nature collage
<input type="checkbox"/>	12	Make a bird feeder	<input type="checkbox"/>	37	Attend Girl Scout Day at the Capitol on May 1st and meet the National CEO
<input type="checkbox"/>	13	Take a photo on an animal near your home	<input type="checkbox"/>	38	Take your dog for a walk
<input type="checkbox"/>	14	Roast marshmallows and make a s'mores	<input type="checkbox"/>	39	Have an outdoor play for your family
<input type="checkbox"/>	15	Visit a garden center	<input type="checkbox"/>	40	Make a friendship bracelet
<input type="checkbox"/>	16	Go on a bug hunt	<input type="checkbox"/>	41	Have a paper boat race
<input type="checkbox"/>	17	Draw an inspiring message with sidewalk chalk	<input type="checkbox"/>	42	Plan a BBQ for your friends (with adult supervision)
<input type="checkbox"/>	18	Register to attend a GSCI Summer Camp	<input type="checkbox"/>	43	Get your friends and Hula Hoop
<input type="checkbox"/>	19	Find two constellations in the night sky	<input type="checkbox"/>	44	Make a fairy house
<input type="checkbox"/>	20	Plant an herb garden	<input type="checkbox"/>	45	Learn how to read a map
<input type="checkbox"/>	21	Have a backyard camp out	<input type="checkbox"/>	46	Play a board game - outside
<input type="checkbox"/>	22	Go skating	<input type="checkbox"/>	47	Make a homemade popsicle
<input type="checkbox"/>	23	Have a backyard scavenger hunt	<input type="checkbox"/>	48	Have a backyard dance party
<input type="checkbox"/>	24	Try archery or sling shots	<input type="checkbox"/>	49	Make a time capsule
<input type="checkbox"/>	25	Make a leaf etching	<input type="checkbox"/>	50	Track the moon phases through the month

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

