

LOST RIVER CAVE

JUNIOR GIRL SCOUT PROGRAMS

Animal Habitats

Girls will learn about unique animal habitats and how to protect animal habitats while exploring the valley forest at Lost River Cave. Girls will learn what to do when encountering wild animals on the trail and will produce a puppet show to teach these techniques. Girls will also explore which animals live in the Gulf of Mexico and why they are endangered. Girls will complete all requirements for the Animal Habitats badge in one session.

Meets all requirements

Time: 2 hours

Additional materials troop should provide: journals/paper for each girl

Program Cost: \$13.00/scout with a minimum 5 scouts

Camper

This program will prepare girls for their overnight camping adventure needed to complete this badge. Girls will learn how to build a fire and cook a meal using foil. Girls will also learn a new activity by pretending they are scientists recording in their journals as they explore the Lost River Cave Park. An experienced camper will also tell girls where their favorite places to camp around Bowling Green are located. In order to complete this badge, troops will still need an overnight camping adventure independent from this session.

Meets all requirements except Step 5

Time: 2 hours

Additional materials troop should provide: water, journals/paper for each girl

Program Cost: \$15.00/scout with a minimum 5 scouts

Gardener

Girls will learn which plants grow best in Kentucky's climate and soil by exploring our pollinator garden, butterfly habitat and soil types at Lost River Cave. Each girl will make a miniature Zen garden to take home. Girls will have the rewarding experience of helping us improve our community pollinator garden. Girls will plant seeds to take with them and monitor their growth at home or with their troop. This activity will need to be finished independently from Lost River Cave in order to complete this badge.

Meets all requirements except part of Step 4, monitoring plant growth

Time: 2 hours

Additional materials troop should provide: egg carton or milk carton for each girl

Program Cost: \$15.00/scout with a minimum 5 scouts

Geocacher

Learn what geocaching is and go on a geocaching adventure at Lost River Cave. Girls will learn about GPS coordinates and how to use a GPS receiver. The troop will also learn how to use the geocaching website and about travel bugs. Each troop will receive a trackable geocoin to place in a cache at Lost River Cave. The troop can then follow their coin's journey once they depart.

Meets all requirements with troop pre-requisite

Time: 2 hours

Troop pre-requisite before arriving at Lost River Cave: Make a trade item (Step 3 in Geocacher badge book).

Program Cost: \$13.00/scout with a minimum 5 scouts

The above information does not represent a complete reservation agreement. All programs and descriptions are subject to change.

Contact Annie; Monday-Friday for information and reservation. 270.393.0077 or annie@lostrivercave.com