

AGENDA

Day of Discoveree

September 26, 2026

8:30am – 4pm

Winter Park Presbyterian Church, 4501 Wrightsville Avenue, Wilmington

Workshops and
Trainings brought to
by:

New Hanover SU, Brunswick SU & Pender SU

8:30- Welcome & housekeeping: Debbie, Chris

Chadbourn

8:45am Snacks, Registration Check-in

Debbie Todd at side door

Hall

8:45am – 10:40am Sessions 1 2 hours	First Aid / CPR / AED Blended Learning Class Must complete online portion and present certificate of completion to take this practical skills portion of the class. Must register in MyGS Activities prior also. Jordan Cline & Savannah Hubach	Room #1 Andrew Howell Room upstairs
8:45am – 10:40am Sessions 1 2 hours.	Leadership Launchpad Required for all new successful CoLeaders – bring your focus as this will be a whirlwind of fun and valuable information. Heather Hill & Cheri Pfeiffer	Room #2 Chadbourn Hall
8:45 – 10:40am Session 1	Stump The MD Take some time to come up with your most interesting questions, thoughts and ideas that you'd like to run past a Sr. Membership Director. You can schedule a time or wait for the first available, Chris or Debbie. How to recruit for your troop roster. Bring your Girl Experience Boxes, your Year Plan or simply your notebook. Maybe play a little Girl Scout Jeopardy? Debbie Todd & Chris Lancaster	Room #3 Music Room (Upstairs next to elevator)
10:45 – 11:50am Session 2 1 hr. (for everyone)	Speed Networking – Building your Girl Scout Community Network Outer Chairs: Marsha Kitter, Debbie Goss, Helene Zahn, Kim Harding, Gayle Keresey, Jennifer Arrington, Jennifer Wiggins, Kellie Wren, Jordan Cline, Savannah Hubach, Laura Gulsrud, Kim Breeden, Kristen Corley, Abby Norton, Cheri Pfeiffer, Tammy Ortiz, Heather Hill, Christin Black, Yalina Watson, Nina Pelon, Amy Daniels, Kitty Shore, Lisa Strickland, Kelley Wheat Rivers, Mack Lancaster, Rebekah Smith, Jenn Stone	Room #2 Chadbourn Hall

11:55am-12:50	Blessings, Lunch & Connect Expo Lunch is Catered by Islands. Organizations that are AWESOME to work with and LOCAL to our region.	Room #2 Chadbourne Hall
1-1:55pm Session 3	Compass & Maps Understand the uses of a compass and why one is important to backpackers and hikers. Even Daisies can learn the basic cardinal directions. Know what to do when they are lost. Marsha Kitter & Heather Hill or Savannah Hubach	Room #2 Chadbourne Hall
1-1:55pm Session 3	Highest Awards & Prerequisites – Big Impact Starts With You This award is your chance to try something new and grow as a leader! Find out how to use your values and practice leadership as you choose, plan, and carry out your own courageous act. You're going to think about who you are, what matters most to you right now, and what kind of courageous action (big or small) you'd like to take. Kristen Corley & Kelli Tittle	Room #3 Music Room (Upstairs next to elevator)
1-1:55pm Session 3	Traditions SWAPS, Kaper Charts & Ceremonies – what are they? Are they fun? Should they always be fun? Do we need them? What else brings quality and energy to a meeting? Tammy Ortiz & Yalina Watson	Room #1 Andrew Howell Room upstairs
2-2:55pm Session 4	Camping & Travel This class is not Outdoor Certification, but really great tips for troops new to camping and adventures. We will talk about required forms and which Outdoor training is best for you. What's a Travel Troop? Questions about Wider Opportunity funds and "travel scholarships" will melt away to leave you feeling excited and comfortable about future trips! Helene Zahn, Kristen Corley, Kim Harding & Lizz Matthews	Room #1 Andrew Howell Room upstairs
2-2:55pm Session 4	Girl Scout Songs & Stuff Girl Scout Songs are an important part of the Girl Scout Tradition. Join Marsha & Gayle for sentimental & ceremonial songs. camp songs brought to you by Mandy & Kelley Wheat Rivers , and games & movement songs with Mack Lancaster & Chris Lancaster	Room #2 Chadbourne Hall

2-2:55pm Session 4	Navigating Resources There are so many places to look! Volunteer Toolkit, GSUSA Badge Explorer, registering for events, CheddarUp, using Canva, posting on Rallyhood, GSNCCP Facebook & other social media sites, when to Google, etc. Bring your laptop, tablet or phone, if available. Debbie Todd & Abby Norton	Room #3 Music Room (Upstairs next to elevator)
2-2:55pm Session 4	SOS for Girl Scout Leaders & Troop Management Hands-on workshop with suggestions on how to stay sane when things go crazy! Great activities to help bring cohesiveness to your troop. Communicating with parents; setting expectations with girls and adults; paying for activities; dealing with siblings; sign-up sheets – a tool for delegating; your troop handbook; taking care of Co-Leaders. Cheri Pfeiffer & Nina Pelon	Room #4 Youth Room (Upstairs, end of hall)
3-3:30pm 15 mins.	“I Can’t” Ceremony And a short-but-warm welcome to new leaders and a rededication to our Promise & Law for all volunteers. Closing with Taps. Cheri Pfeiffer, Debbie Todd & Chris Lancaster	Chadbourn Hall

Color Key:	Bright/Light Blue Green Orange Bright Red Purple	New CoLeader Suggestions & council required trainings 2 nd Year + “Okay, now I’ve got my bearings” Class Suggestions The fun of Girl Scouting We wish everyone could take these. GSLE (Girl Scout Leadership Experience)
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Possible EXPO Organizations

Kappa Delta – Rebekah
 Resiliency Task Force - Debbie
 Cape Fear Museum - Debbie
 Bald Head Island Conservancy - Chris
 Cape Fear River Watch - Debbie
 Children’s Museum of Wilmington - Debbie
 Honor Flight - Debbie
 The Little Art Studio in Ocean Isle - Chris
 North Carolina Aquariums - Chris
 Cape Fear Raptor Center
 Moore’s Creek Battlefield
 Girl Scouts Give BINGO - Chris
 GSNCCP Southeastern Region Travel Troop - Chris

Mobile Programming - Debbie
 UNCW Makers Space - Debbie
 The Harrelson Center - Debbie
 Cameron Art Museum - Debbie
 Commission for Women - Debbie
 League of Women Voters - Debbie
 ERA NC Trailblazers Patch Program - Debbie
 Cape Fear Volunteer Center – Chris
 StepUp Wilmington – Debbie
 New Hanover County Parks & Gardens. – Debbie
 City of Wilmington Parks & Recreation – Debbie
 iFLY
 Flip & Fly

K-Town Karaoke

WPD – Kim Breeden

WFD - Debbie

Kids Making It – Debbie

GS Free Stuff Table - Rebekah

Cape Fear Presbyterian Ceramics Workshop