



Dear Camper Families,

Welcome to the third edition of Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts' 2026 News You Can Use. Each month, we'll share helpful updates, answer common questions, and keep you informed as summer camp gets closer. In the months ahead, you'll also receive more camp-specific details to help your family get ready for an amazing season. If you ever have questions, our team is here for you. This month, we're excited to introduce another member of our camp team.

Hi there, I'm Cheryl! My camp name is Canvis, and I oversee the day camp programs at Camp Cedar Hill, Camp Rice Moody, Camp Maude Eaton, and Camp Wind in the Pines. I love visiting camp and seeing campers sing songs, have fun, and try new things. My favorite part of summer camp is any time I get to join a cookout.



Thank you for trusting us with your camper this summer! We can't wait to welcome them to camp.

Cheryl "Canvis" Oliveira

Director of Camps and Outdoor Program

May 1: Important Camp Deadlines

May 1 is an important date for all camp families. Final payments, required forms, and Trading Post pre-orders are all due that day.

Final Camp Payments

Any remaining balance will be automatically charged on May 1 to your default payment method (credit card, debit card, or eCheck).

Please make sure your payment method is up to date and has sufficient funds.

To review your balance, make a payment, or update your payment method, [log in](#) to CampInTouch and visit Financial Management.

Camp Forms Deadline

All required forms must be submitted by May 1, 2026. Using the Companion app makes submitting forms quick and easy.

Required Paperwork:

- Camper Health History
- Camper Physical Form
- Text Message Opt-In Form
- Medication Administration Form (day camp only)
- Day Camp Transportation Form (day camp only)

Trading Post Pre-Orders

We're excited to offer summer camp apparel at each camp. Pre-ordering is the best way to make sure your camper gets the size and product they want. [Click here to view each camp's trading post graphics](#). Purchasing apparel is completely optional.

To place an order, [log in](#) to your CampInTouch account, select Forms & Documents, and click Extended Care and Trading Post Pre-Orders. Pre-ordered items will be waiting for your camper at their first summer camp session.

Cancellations and Refunds

- **Deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable.**
- **Final camp payments** are due by **May 1, 2026**.
- **To receive a full refund of camp fees minus the non-refundable deposit**, you need to email customer@gsma.org a notice of cancellation and a request for refund by **May 15, 2026**.
- **To receive a 50% refund of camp fees minus the non-refundable deposit**, you need to email

customercare@gsema.org a notice of cancellation and a request for refund by **June 5, 2026**.

- **Cancellation requests received by customercare@gsema.org after June 5 will not be refunded**, regardless of whether that session has a waitlist.
 - No refunds are given for campers arriving late, leaving early, or unable to attend all or part of a session for reasons such as illness.
 - Questions regarding extenuating circumstances should be emailed to customercare@gsema.org.
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Did you know?

Your camper does not need to be in a troop to be a Girl Scout! With their Girl Scout membership through summer camp, they can continue the fun all year long by [earning badges](#), [attending other Girl Scout events](#), and even [traveling the world!](#) [Juliette Girl Scouts](#) are individual members who create their own Girl Scout experience on their own schedule with support from their families. Want to learn more? Email us at juliettes@gsema.org. In a troop? You can enjoy all these opportunities, too.

Know Someone Looking for a Summer Job?

Join our team or share this opportunity with someone you know. Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts offers seasonal overnight and day camp positions in Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

[Explore this year's summer camp positions.](#) [Contact Customer Care](#) if you have any questions about working at camp.

Questions about Camp?

The best way to reach our camp team or get your camp questions answered is [via email!](#)

Talk to you all next month!
GSEMA Camp Team
