

Information Sheet - Participant Application details

- What** A Taste for Adventure is an opportunity for Pathfinders to try adventurous activities – canoeing, backpacking and white water rafting. Participants will learn about water safety, rescue procedures, and paddling techniques before heading off on their overnight canoe trip down Crooked Lake. During the overnight backpacking trip, on the Eureka Peak Trail, participants will learn about safety in the backcountry, using a personal locator device (SPOT/InReach), cooking on backpacking stoves, and how to “go” in the woods. The white water rafting trip takes participants down the Chilcotin River, past the steep rock walls of Hanceville Canyon, past the iconic Big Creek, and amongst the colourful hoodoos at Farwell Canyon.
- Where** Crooked Lake Recreation Area; near Williams Lake, BC
- When** July 21-26, 2019
- Why** Through participating in this camping event, participants will not only have gained experience doing the adventure activities, they will have expanded on their camping and leadership skills, and the best thing of all, made new friends while doing it.
- Who** **Twenty (20) girls born between 2004 and 2006 (plus two alternates)**
Two Selected Guiders + 1 alternate
- Cost** The total value of this program is approximately \$1100 per person. Girls will receive a subsidy of \$700, making the **cost to the girl \$400**. This includes all costs associated with this trip (program, meals, accommodation, local travel and flight travel costs). BC Council travel policy for girls and Guiders attending Provincial events will apply for participants' travel to and from Vancouver

Not included in the event fee

- Kit list and uniform requirements

If you need additional financial support, please check with your Area Camping Adviser to see if your Area and or District Councils may be able to assist you with this event. Girl members may fundraise part of their trip cost by following the fundraising policy and procedures (Governance Policy 01-19-01).

Qualifications

- Good physical fitness
- Four consecutive or non-consecutive of Girl Guide camping (minimum of 2 nights in a row).
- Ability to adapt and work co-operatively.
- Ability to cope with daily camp activities.
- Completed swim or boat test record in iMIS by March 1, 2019.
- **Guiders with Standard First Aid will be given preference**

Application details

Completed application includes each of the following:

- Girl or Guider application online form ([Trip Application – GIRL](#) or [Trip Application – GUIDER](#))
- Camping Record Sheet
- Reference contact information (2 - one Guiding one non-Guiding)

It is your responsibility to tell your references the details of the camp(s) you are applying for and to give them plenty of time to meet your deadline.

If you are applying for more than one camp, one application is sufficient, but you must answer all the questions keeping in mind the different types you are applying for.

Incomplete, late, or faxed applications will not be accepted.

Submit your application online no later than **November 1st, 2018**

****You will be notified via email about whether you have been selected by late December 2018.***

If you need more information about this event, please contact the BC Camping Committee
camping.events@bc-girlguides.org.