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### Girls invited to Summer Fun day camp in Waterloo

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WATERLOO, Iowa – Three weeks of day camp fun is being offered for girls in grades K-5 this summer in Waterloo.

The Summer Fun program offered by Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa & Western Illinois includes three themed weeks from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily from June into July.

The first week, from June 15-19, has a science theme and includes swimming, building and launching a rocket, making a robotic arm, learning about NASA and more.

Week 2 runs from June 22-26 and has an art theme. Girls will learn how pictures are developed, tour a photography lab, appear in a photo shoot and make many crafts.

The third week is from June 29 to July 2 and is all about animals. Girls will go swimming, experience bugs and mammals and spend a day at a farm with horses.

Summer Fun day camp is at Lincoln Elementary School, 302 Cedar Bend St., Waterloo. Cost is \$15 per week or \$45 for all three weeks. Fees include breakfast, lunch, snacks and field trips. Grant assistance may be requested and Girl Scouts may use cookie program credit to help pay costs. Transportation is available on a first-come, first-served basis from McKinstry and Lowell elementary schools.

Register before May 26 by contacting the Girl Scouts Waterloo Area Service Center at 319-232-6601 or stopping by the office at 2530 University Ave., Waterloo. Information about Girl Scouts is on the Web at <http://www.GSEIWI.org>.

R.J. McElroy Trust is the major funder for the Summer Fun day camp, with contributions from Waterloo Schools, Waterloo Parks and Recreation, ASPIRE, Hawkeye Community College, the Grout Museum of History and Science, the University of Northern Iowa Museum and the Iowa Academy of Science. The day camp is hosted by Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa & Western Illinois.

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*Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place.  
Did you know that one in every six girls is a Girl Scout?*