

Sandy Hook Region 2018 Summer Fun Challenge



THE SUMMER FUN CHALLENGE IS BACK! We want Girl Scouts to keep active during the summer and to learn about all the great local places and events that are close to home. Only registered Girl Scouts from the Sandy Hook Region may earn a patch or rocker! (Challenge may be done with troop, with family & friends, or alone with adult supervision

Instructions	
Step 1: Decide Where to Go	
	Complete 20 activities between Memorial Day & Labor Day. All numbered items count as 1 activity. More info: http://bit.ly/SHSummerFun18
	Already have the patch? Complete 20 activities this summer to earn an add-on rocker. At least 15 activities must be new. 3RD & 4TH YEAR CHALLENGERS: only 15 activities/10 new are required. All events count as new.
Ste	p 2: Take Photos
	Take a photo at each location; make sure that you are in it. Selfies are ok.
	Or take photos with <u>Flat Juliette</u> .
Step 3: Create a Photo Collage	
	Creating a collage is easy! There are many different apps that you can download to your phone. Or use a free online collage site, such as photo-collage.net or photo-collage
Step 4: Notify Council	
	Register for your patch/upload your collage at http://bit.ly/SumFun18 by Sept. 10, 2018.
	Don't register until you have completed the challenge.
	Post your collage, individual photos or videos on our Facebook page (optional) <u>www.facebook.com/SandyHookGirlScouts</u>
	EVENT RULES

These events can be used toward the 2018 Sandy Hook Summer Fun Challenge:

- Summer events sponsored by any town, local girl scout communities or troops, local library, etc. that takes place in the Sandy Hook Region. Only events in the Sandy Hook Region can count toward the challenge.
- Events and activities that are sponsored by the Monmouth County Park System AND take place in the Sandy Hook Region
- Events and activities that take place at <u>Gateway National Recreation Area Sandy Hook</u>
- For those who did the challenge last year, all events count as new.
- Examples include: Parades, fireworks, outdoor movies, outdoor concerts, fishing derbies, farmers markets, festivals & fairs
 - * Have an event suggestion? Post it to the page or send us an IM via Facebook. facebook.com/SandyHookGirlScouts

On the Jersey Shore

Fun on Jersey Beaches

■ Beaches are a must-do on the Jersey Shore. Go to one of our many beautiful beaches in our region and take a photo your activities, such as building a sand castle; boogie boarding; fishing; crabbing or making footprints in the sand. See http://tinyurl.com/SHtownlist for a list of towns

Henry Hudson Trail (North)

Henry Hudson Trail * ACTIVITY CENTER * ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS * 947 Route 36 * 732-495-2115

- 1. MATAWAN * GPS: Use 20 Gerard Ave., 07747 (Gerard Ave./Clark St-Lloyd Road/ Broadway)
- 2. UNION BEACH * GPS: Use 214 Wilson Ave., 07735 (Rte 36 ro Seagate Ave.)
- 3. **NORTH MIDDLETOWN** * GPS: Use 2 Alberta Ave., 07748 (Parking Fee)
- 4. ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS * GPS: Use 947 Route 36, 07716
- 5. **POPAMORA POINT** * **HIGHLANDS** * GPS: Use 369 Shore Dr., 07732 * 732-495-2115

Hartshorne: Atlantic Highlands, Highlands, Navesink, Sandy Hook

1. GATEWAY NATIONAL RECREATION AREA (GNRA)

HIGHLANDS/ SANDY HOOK * 732-872-5900 * www.nps.gov

- Suggestions (each activity can count as one): nature preserve, beach, boating, kayak rentals, picnics, hiking, birding, overnight camping, sandy hook beach, rent a bike, kayak rentals
- Parking Fee daytime/ Free in evenings
- 2. Fort Hancock at GNRA
 - History House[~], Nike missile site [~], gun battery, biking paths
- 3. <u>Sandy Hook Lighthouse at GNRA</u> * 732-872-5970

NJ Sea Grant Consortium Scout Programs at GNRA * 732-872-1300

- 4. Hartshorne Woods Park MCP
 - **HIGHLANDS/LOCUST** * 732-872-0336-RangerStation
 - BUTTERMILK ENTRANCE MCP * 300 Navesink Ave., Locust 07716
 - Find the Hartshorne Legacy Marker (40° 24.092′ N, 74° 0.756′ W.)
 - CLAYPIT CREEK ENTRANCE MCP * 239 Locust Ave., Locust 07760

ROCKY POINT ENTRANCE MCP * 1402 Portland Road, Highlands 07732

 Navesink Military Reservation; Battery Lewis; naval gun on display; Fishing

5. Henry Hudson Trail Activity Center MCP

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS * 947 Hwy 36, near Ave. D * 732-495-2115

- walking and biking trail
- 6. <u>Middletown Township Historic District</u>
 Navesink Marker & Old Middletown Library +
 - ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS * On Monmouth Avenue and Sears Avenue * 40° 23.988′ N, 74° 1.812′ W. * www.hmdb.org

7. Mount Mitchill Scenic Overlook MCP

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS * 460 Ocean Blvd 732-872-0336

- 9/11 Memorial/ Eagle Statue; Scenic Overlook; playground; Find the Raritan Bay & New York Harbor Marker; find the Highest Point on the Atlantic Seaboard Marker
- 8. <u>Strauss Mansion & Museum</u> (Historical Society)

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS * 27 Prospect Circle 7322911861 * www.ahhistory.org

9. Doughboy WWI Monument +

HIGHLANDS * Highland Avenue & Portland Road (Rt. 36 East)

- www.worldwar1centennial.org
- 10. Popamora Point Park, H. Hudson Trail MCP HIGHLANDS * 369 Shore Drive * 732-495-2115
- 11. Twin Lights Lighthouse

HIGHLANDS * Lighthouse Road * 732-872-1814 * www.twinlightslighthouse.com

- Visit the light house then find the Marconi Marker,
 Spermaceti Cove Lifeboat Station and the Telegraph and
 Radar Marker
- 12. Huber Woods MCP

LOCUST * 732-872-2670 or 0336

- Reptile House
- Environmental center with hands-on Lenape exhibits
- take self-guided tour with safari backpack (free rental)
- walking/hiking trails, picnic area, view of Navesink river
- 13. All Saints' Memorial Church

NAVESINK * 202 Navesink Ave. * 732-226-6131 * www.allsaintsnavesink.org

- Episcopal Church with active congregation
- Historic building and cemetery; call ahead for tour
- 14. Garvey's Pond

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TOWNS IN SANDY HOOK REGION: Aberdeen, Atlantic Highlands, Belford, Eatontown, Elberon, Fair Haven, Fairview, Hazlet, Holmdel, Highlands, Keansburg, Keyport, Leonardo, Lincroft, Little Silver, Long Branch, Matawan, Middletown, Monmouth Beach, Navesink, Oceanport, Pt Monmouth, Red Bank, Rumson, Sandy Hook, Sea Bright, Shrewsbury, Tinton Falls, Union Beach