

## Why Two Sentinels?

Nestled among the pine trees, granite slopes, and clear waters of the Sierra Nevada, Girl Scout Camp Two Sentinels is a welcome relief from the hectic bustle of suburban life. At 8,000 feet above sea level, the sun heats the skin, the mountain lakes cool the body, and the rocky trails stimulate the muscles. During the day, the sun shines brightly down through unpolluted air, and at night the stars appear as diamonds resting in curls of velvet.

But even if that doesn't tickle your fancy, eight days and seven nights of fun and adventure might! We are a volunteer-run resident camp, in existence since 1936, welcoming all girls (scouts and non-scouts alike) entering 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade. We have provided thousands of girls and young women with a sense of independence, fun, outdoor awareness and appreciation, and life-long friendships. We are especially proud of our widely-renowned graduated backpacking program, ranging from a 1-day backpacking introduction to an 11-day superpacking experience through some of the most amazing areas of the Sierra Nevada!

## Our Units

Girls of all ages and interests will find a place at Two Sentinels! Unit choices include:

- Waterbugs (entering 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade), an introduction to all camp activities
- Meadowlarks (entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade), camp activities and a special 1-day introductory backpacking excursion
- Gypsies (entering 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> grade), extensive in-camp activities and a special mystery trip
- Dockers (entering 8<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> grade), all camp activities with a focus on water skills
- Wanderers (entering 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> grade), includes a 3-day backpacking trip
- Rovers (entering 8<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> grade), includes a 4-day backpacking trip
- Trekkers (entering 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade), 2-session unit, includes a 7-day backpacking trek
- Superpackers (entering 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade), 2-session unit, includes 11 days of backpacking magic
- Pioneers (entering 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade), focused on camp skills and leadership
- One Step Beyond (entering 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade), 2-session unit, our award-winning counselor training program

## Our Program

We offer three 8-day sessions each summer, for the first-time camper up to the most experienced backpacker. All staff are volunteers, and our staff-to-camper ratio averages 1:4. Program opportunities include:

- Water activities (canoeing, swimming, funyaking, and sailing)
- Hiking and backpacking
- Crafts, nature study, archery, astronomy
- Outdoor cooking and wilderness skills
- Leadership training
- Campfires, games, singing
- Special events
- GREAT food & hot showers

***"My favorite part of camp is having fun and making friends that last a lifetime."***

Meghan Hogue  
Age 12

Two Sentinels Tag and camper 7 years



## Be a Camp Volunteer!

We are always looking for energetic, positive adult volunteers. Opportunities include positions as unit staff, cooks, crafts, archery, boating, nature, backpacking staff, and infirmary staff. All training is provided, and volunteers attend camp and trainings free of charge! We also offer additional, optional trainings and certification classes for lifeguarding, first aid, wilderness first aid, CPR, boating, archery, and ServSafe at a greatly reduced rate.

A Tag unit is available for the children of our staff – boys ages 5-12, and girls ages 5-camper age.

We need dads too! Men do not work in units, but can fill other extremely important roles in the kitchen, with our Tag boys, waterfront, archery, and other support-staff positions.

WE FILL VERY QUICKLY, but staff children are GUARANTEED a spot until March 1!

***“I love all the positive attitudes and teamwork at Two Sentinels. I love the counselors. They are all extraordinary. At the end of the session it feels like we’re good friends!”***

Emma Wilson  
Age 17  
Two Sentinels camper, 7 years

## 2012 Dates & Prices

First session – July 15-July 22  
Second session – July 25-August 1  
Third session – August 4-August 11

Waterbugs, Meadowlarks, Gypsies, Dockers, Wanderers, Rovers, Pioneers : \$435, included 8-day session, transportation, t-shirt and patch

Trekkers: \$765, includes 18-day session, transportation, t-shirt and patch

Superpackers: \$795, includes 18-day session, transportation, t-shirt, sweatshirt and patch

OSB: \$470, includes 18-day session, transportation, t-shirt, sweatshirt and patch

Please call for Tag information and rates.

Registration opens at 12:01am February 1, 2012. Visit [www.twosentinels.org](http://www.twosentinels.org) for the online registration link or mail-in forms. Applications processed on a first come, first served basis – mail-in registration can take up to an extra week to process.

*Two Sentinels Girl Scout Camp*

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