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Be part for the Australian Contingent Pacific Exploration in STEM 2024 - Camp Paumalu, Oahu, Hawaii

WHAT	<p>Experience the multiculturalism of Hawaii along with unique STEM activities at the newly opened STEM Center for Excellence at Camp Paumalu on Oahu’s North Shore. Learn all about the ocean, outer space, and the earth at this Destination. Explore Polynesia and other cultures as we visit historical locations on the island of Oahu. Stay at our Girl Scouts of Hawai’i Camp Paumalu STEM Center for Excellence located on the North Shore of Oahu.</p> <p>The spirit of aloha—being in the presence of and sharing the essence of life—teaches us lessons of peace, kindness, compassion, and responsibility to future generations. These lessons are expressed through chants, music, hula, arts, and cultural practices, and through the warm, genuine greetings that are a hallmark of Hawaiian hospitality. These lessons are tied into some of the STEM activities that we will undertake to study earth, space, and ocean science. This program run by Girl Scouts of Hawai’I - girlscouts.org/en/members/for-girl-scouts/ways-to-participate/Travel/travel-events/pacific-exploration-stem.html</p>
WHEN	<p>Depart Australia 20 June Event 20 June – 26 June 2024 Arrive Australia 28 June (Note - flights are not available every day)</p>
WHERE	Camp Paumalu, Oahu, Hawaii. This event is fully catered with camping accommodation, all activities and excursions, and transport to and from Honolulu airport included.
WHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guides 14-17 years old at the time of the event. • A minimum of 2 leaders. (Note: the number of leaders allowed is dependent on the number of youth members attending)
HOW MUCH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth and Leaders: US\$2500 (AU\$3830) includes accommodation, food, and activities. • Administration and contingent support fees • There may be additional accommodation expenses due to flight availability. • Event fee deposit \$765 (US\$500) due 1st October 2023. • Airfares (Sydney – Honolulu return approx. \$1700 based on 2023 prices). • Spending money, passports, travel insurance and flights to/from Sydney extra. <p><i>Please note that event pricing is based on current exchange rates and may vary over time.</i></p>
	Please be aware that extra costs may be incurred by extending your trip pre or post event.
APPLY ONLINE at:	http://international.girlguides.org.au/
AUSTRALIAN CLOSING DATE:	15 July 2023
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