

AHG NATIONAL 25TH ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION FAQ

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DATE, TIME, LOCATION

What are the dates of the Convention?

July 22 – 25, 2020

What time is the opening session and when does the closing session end?

Opening Session is Wednesday, July 22, 2020, at 6:30 pm ET Closing Session ends Saturday, July 25, 2020, at 12:00 pm ET

Where is the Convention being held?

Cedarville University 251 N Main Street Cedarville, OH 45314 937-766-7700

- Cedarville University is an exceptional Christian University located approximately one-hour North of Cincinnati near the town of Xenia, OH.
- Cedarville University has been honored as one of the top-ranked Christian universities granting bachelor's degrees and a "best college" for studying the Bible.
- The University is located
 - 26.8 miles/36 minutes from Dayton International Airport (DAY),

- 60.9 miles/1 hour from the John Glenn Columbus International Airport (CMH), and
- 82.5 miles/1.5 hours from the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport (CVG).

Does it cost to park at Cedarville University?

No! More information regarding where to park and a map of the University will be provided to those who register for the Convention.

WHO CAN ATTEND?

Who may attend the Convention?

AHG's National 25th Anniversary Convention is for **currently registered members of AHG** (2019-2020 Program Year or later). Girl attendees must be rising Tenderheart, Explorer, Pioneer, or Patriot Levels. **All Adults attending must be registered Adult Members.** Parents who are not currently registered, still have time to do so and enjoy this awesome experience! Connect with your Troop Coordinator to get registered as a member of AHG.

Can Pathfinders attend Convention?

Pathfinders registered for the 2020-2021 program year are not eligible for Convention attendance. Those that have completed their Pathfinder year (rising Tenderheart) would be considered Tenderhearts for Convention and are welcome to attend.

Can Dads attend the Convention?

All Dads, if registered AHG Adult Members, are welcome to attend! "Dad Stops" and other experiences created just for our adult male AHG Members will be available. Dads who are not currently registered, still have time to do so and enjoy this awesome experience! Connect with your Troop Coordinator to get registered as a member of AHG. Cedarville University dorms do not provide private bathrooms, but rather shared community bathrooms. It is for this reason and to comply with AHG's Health and Safety Guidelines, that **on-campus housing for AHG registered male attendees is prohibited.** Refer to the Housing section of this FAQ for more information.

I have a nursing baby, will there be childcare for infants/toddlers?

Although AHG is a family-oriented ministry, AHG, Inc. is not able to provide childcare during the Convention. Nursing babies are permitted to attend with mother but AHG asks for consideration of other attendees during the workshop and general session hours. AHG will provide "Nursing Mom Rooms" on campus for your comfort. Cedarville University does not provide pack n plays or cribs for infants.

I am not currently a registered adult member; can I attend with my daughter?

For the safety of our girls, AHG requires that all adults attending Convention be Registered Adult Members with a Troop and therefore have completed a background check and taken the KEYS Child Safety Training. This is a precaution to minimize risk to the girl and adult attendees. Contact your local Troop Coordinator to become a registered AHG member.

Can I bring my non-AHG daughters to Convention?

All attendees, girls, and adults, must be registered AHG members.

Can my daughter attend if she's the only one from her Troop who wants to go?

Absolutely! What a story she will be able to share with her Troop mates upon her return! She will need a parent who is a registered Adult Member to chaperone her. If a parent is not able to attend, he/she may reach out to a neighboring Troop to secure supervision of your daughter during the Convention.

I am a parent with multiple daughters or an AHG Adult Volunteer bringing multiple girls from my Troop. I cannot chaperone all of my girls as they are in different workshops and activities. What should I do?

We recommend you pre-arrange to attend with other registered adult members in order to provide appropriate ratios and supervision for your girls throughout your time at the Convention. If your daughter is 14+ years old, you may sign a waiver during on-line registration, to grant her permission to attend workshops with a buddy and without an adult escorting her to and from workshops.

PRICING

What is the cost of the convention?

Early Registration (January 31, 2020 - April 26, 2020)

Girl \$205

Adult \$155

Sister Cap* \$170 per girl for three or more girls in a single family

*The sister cap does not include Leaders in Training (LIT's). LIT's (ages 18-20) should register as adults.

Space is limited, register early

Regular Registration (April 27, 2020 – June 5, 2020)

Girl \$255

Adult \$205

Sister Cap* \$220 per girl for three or more girls in a single family

*The sister cap does not include Leaders in Training (LIT's). LIT's (ages 18-20) should register as adults.

Space is limited, register early

Is there a "family cap" for registration pricing?

There is no "family cap" for Convention registration, but there is a sister cap available.

What is included in my registration fee?

Both girls and adults will enjoy:

- Eight Meals (Dinner Wednesday through Breakfast Saturday)
- Girl Workshops
- General Sessions with Worship, Keynote Speakers, and FUN!
- SWAPS Spectacular
- 25th Anniversary Birthday Bash
- Admission to Friday Night's Concert featuring Riley Clemmons! www.rileyclemmons.com
- Games and Unique Experiences
- Goodie Bag & "Sparkle"
- 25th Anniversary Convention Patch
- Access to the on-site AHGstore (no Shipping charges!)

What if I am unable to attend the Convention after purchasing a package? Is there a cancelation policy?

- A refund of 50% of the registration cost will be applied for canceled registrations up until Friday, June 5, 2020 at 11:59 pm ET. Cancellations after that date will not be refunded.
- Convention registration closes on Friday, June 5, 2020, at 11:59 pm ET. No exceptions will be permitted.
- Transfers and changes to registrations will be permitted until Wednesday, July 8, 2020, at 11:59 pm ET. Registration packages can only be transferred for face value. All negotiations and exchanges of money for a transferred registration are to be handled between the transferor and the transferee. AHG will not refund payment initially made by the transferor.
- After June 5, 2020, On-campus dorm housing cannot be refunded but can be transferred, if space is available, until July 8, 2020.
- Please notify AHG if you have transferred your registration by emailing us at <u>conventionregistration@ahgonline.org</u>. Include specific information as to whom the registration package was transferred, indicating both parties involved.

When will online registration open?

Friday, January 31, 2020. **Space is limited, register early.** Please review the cancellation and change policy.

When does online registration close?

Registration will close on Friday, June 5, 2020, at 11:59 pm or when the event is sold out, whichever comes first. **Space is limited, register early.**

MEALS

Specifically, what meals are included in my registration fee?

Wednesday: Boxed Dinner

Thursday: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Friday: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Saturday: Breakfast

I have food allergies; can I opt-out of the meals for a discounted registration fee?

Cedarville University has an excellent catering vendor skilled in preparing meals with Gluten-Free, Vegetarian, Vegan, and Dairy Free options. No nuts or nut butters will be served in any of the meals on campus. AHG believes there will be plenty of options for our attendees and will not be offering a meal opt-out option or discount. Attendees will be given an option during on-line registration to indicate dietary needs and AHG will work with Cedarville University to accommodate dietary requests as best as possible.

AHG Requests that all attendees avoid bringing any foods/snacks to Convention that contain nuts, whether you are staying on-campus or off-campus. This is for the protection of those who respond with severe reactions from touching a contaminated surface (doorknobs, SWAPS, airborne exposure, etc.) from another person who has eaten or handled food with nuts. AHG, Inc. is not liable for reactions to food allergies.

AGENDA AND ACTIVITIES

What will my daughter be doing at Convention?

All girls (rising Tenderhearts through Patriots) have the opportunity to do as much or as little as they would like! Starting with a fun time of games and exciting activities during on-site check-in, these four days are non-stop fun!

- Your daughter will participate in:
 - General Sessions
 - Girl-focused Workshops
 - o 25th Birthday Bash
 - SWAPS Spectacular
 - o Private Concert with Riley Clemmons! <u>www.rileyclemmons.com</u>
 - o Pen-Pal Meetup
 - Patriot Pray and Play activities

Mixed into each day's big activities, there will be pop-up surprises to delight in, service projects to participate in, friends to laugh and hang out with, dance parties, meaningful prayer times and so much more!

What will I, the adult member, be doing at Convention?

Adult Members will attend Convention alongside the girls. What a great opportunity to truly connect as you experience many of the activities together! During girl-focused workshop sessions, all adults will not be guaranteed a seat in a workshop. If ratios are met in the workshop, you are invited to head over to the Chapel for a Parent Talk centered around relevant topics just for you! Adult Members will also enjoy Pop-up Mom Stops and Dad Stops, Networking Zones, be inspired, laugh, play, and find your inner child. Take time to visit the AHGstore, browse all the exhibits, and take away great nuggets of information back to your Troops. You will come away with a stronger bond to your daughter and to AHG as a whole. What an awesome opportunity to see AHG on a National Level along with your daughter!

Will there be training workshops for Adult Members and/or LIT's (Leaders in Training)?

The National 25th Anniversary Convention is a girl-focused Convention. All workshops will be presented for the girl's experience. Adults will experience fresh ideas and inspiration to take back to their Troops as well as connectedness with their daughter(s) and other Adult Members. Both girls and adults will find the Convention to be a unique and memory-filled experience. Although there will not be AHG leader-specific training workshops for adults, parent talks will be available in the Chapel during workshop sessions. These parent talks are centered around relevant topics specifically applicable to you! They will provide you with inspiration, encouragement, and tools for navigating parenting and the leading of our girls.

Will there be engaging workshops and activities for my Patriot level girls?

Absolutely! Patriots will experience workshops focused specifically on their interests and unique challenges as older girls. In addition, there will be Patriot Pray and Play activities just for them and more!

My daughter has been a Tenderheart but will be an Explorer in the 2020-2021 Program Year. What Program Level workshop track should she choose?

AHG suggests that girls attend workshop tracks for the Program Level they will be in during the 2020-2021 Program Year.

Will there be an opportunity to attend a Catholic Mass while I am at Convention?

Yes, there will be two Catholic Masses offered and attendees will be given the option to register for one, or both, during on-line registration.

Will my daughter be earning any badges while at the Convention?

Girls will enjoy fun-filled activities that will meet some of the badge requirements. A *Badge Record* of badge requirements earned during workshops will be available via an email sent out after the Convention.

Will my daughter be able to receive her Level Award that she earned during her 2019-2020 program year while at Convention?

Yes! During on-line registration, attendees choosing to be recognized must reserve a spot in advance to attend their Level Award Recognition Event. Girls will receive Convention-specific certificates at the recognition ceremonies and a Meet-the-Founder Patch. Convention recognition does not take the place of a ceremony with your local Troop.

Will my daughter be able to receive the Stars & Stripes Award that she earned during her 2019-2020 program year while at the Convention?

Stars & Stripes Award Recipients will not receive their official award at the Convention. However, we will offer a time of recognition for the Award Recipients in attendance. During on-line registration, Stars & Stripes Award Recipients must reserve their spot in order to be recognized. The recognition does not take the place of a ceremony with your local Troop. Girls will receive their award certificate, letter, and Stars & Stripes Award Patch by mail, not at Convention. Girls will receive Convention-specific certificates at the recognition ceremony and a Meet the Founder Patch. In order to be recognized at the Convention, a Stars & Stripes Award Candidate's *Final Award Submission* must be received by AHG, Inc. no later than June 15, 2020.

What opportunities will there be for my daughter to Meet the Founder and receive a patch?

During online registration, you may choose a time-frame to meet Patti Garibay and take a photo with her and receive a Meet the Founder Patch.

DRESS CODE

Does my daughter need to wear her AHG Uniform during the Convention?

It is recommended that girls plan to pack their Class A Uniforms. There will be an appointed time for all attendees to participate in a group AHG photo and will need a full official Class A Uniform to participate in the photo. Uniforms are also recommended for girls who are participating in Level Award Recognition programs and the Stars & Stripes Award Recognition program. While attending the Level Award Recognition, AHG encourages each award recipient to wear her uniform from the previous year, reflecting the Program Level completed when she earned the award. Outside of these specified times, girls are encouraged but not required to wear AHG spirit wear or Class B Uniforms throughout the Convention. Please remember that modesty is a value of AHG.

Do leaders need to bring their Adult Membership lanyard and card?

It is not necessary or required for leaders to bring their Adult Membership lanyards and cards to the Convention. All attendees will receive a Convention nametag and lanyard at check-in indicating that they are registered AHG Adult Members and registered to attend the Convention. All attendees will be required to wear their Convention lanyard and nametag for admission into all Convention activities.

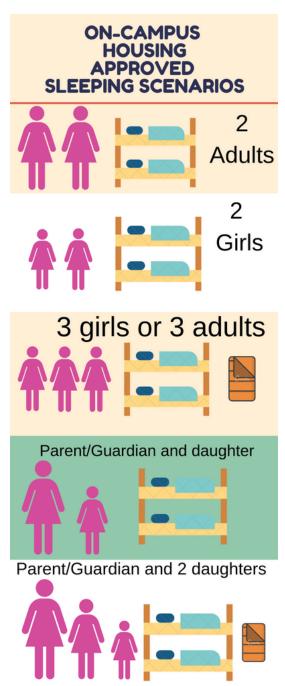
HOUSING

What are the benefits of staying on campus?

On-campus dorm housing allows you convenient access to the Convention events, workshops, and the concert. It also provides the opportunity to network and make new friends. Dorm housing is first come, first serve. It is recommended you register early.

On-campus Dorm Housing Options

 The cost of on-campus dorm housing is \$30 per person per night for double occupancy.



- Cedarville University offers dorm housing with two twin extra-long beds per room. A third occupant may stay in the room at a cost of \$20 additional per night. Cedarville University will not supply a bed for the third occupant. Attendees should plan to bring an air mattress or folding camping cot and a sleeping bag for the third occupant.
- Attendees have the option of reserving linens for the beds at a cost of \$13 per bed during online registration. There is also an additional charge of \$3.15 for a thin blanket. These charges are one time charges for the duration of your stay. Linens include a fitted sheet and a top sheet. Pillows are not included in the dorm rooms. You may choose to bring your own linens and blankets or a sleeping bag
- Cedarville University dorms do not provide private bathrooms, but rather shared community bathrooms. It is for this reason and to comply with AHG's Health and Safety Guidelines, that on-campus housing for AHG registered male attendees is prohibited.
- Families with male participants (including Adult Male Registered Members) will need to secure accommodations at a local campground or hotel options listed below under "Non-campus Housing Options". A father/daughter attending together may choose to make arrangements for the daughter to stay on-campus with her Troop while the father seeks housing off-campus. The father will need to make arrangements with the Troop to ensure that an Adult Member will accept the supervision of his daughter while he is off-campus.

On-campus Dorm Housing Guidelines

Please note these important guidelines about on-campus housing:

- On-campus dorm housing is for registered girls and female adult AHG Members only.
- Housing will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis and will fill quickly.
- AHG, Inc. cannot guarantee that you will be housed in the same dorm as your Troop but will make every effort to keep Troop members together.

- Recommendation: register at the same time, as housing is assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Registered male Adult Members attending Convention with their daughter(s)
 must choose off-campus housing options in order to abide by AHG's Health and
 Safety standards for sleeping arrangements and bathroom usage and to align
 with the facilities Cedarville University offers.
- A father/daughter attending together may choose to make arrangements for the daughter to stay on-campus with her Troop while the father seeks housing offcampus. The father will need to make arrangements with the Troop to ensure that an Adult Member will accept the supervision of his daughter while he is offcampus.
- On-campus housing cannot be added after registration has been completed.
- Attendees will be notified in early July 2020 of their dorm housing assignments via the email address provided during online registration.
- Please avoid bringing any snacks containing nuts or nut butters out of concern for other attendees who have severe allergic reactions to cross-contamination.
- Cedarville University is a non-smoking campus and an alcohol-free campus.

Off-campus Housing Options

Note that you must book these options directly. Information is provided here for planning purposes only.

Area Hotels who have agreed to reduced Convention rates are listed in order of distance from Cedarville University:

Comfort Suites Springfield

121 Raydo Circle Springfield, OH 45506 937-322-0707 Rate: \$84.99/night Double/Double (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 10.2 miles/14 minutes

Cutoff date: June 20, 2020 @ 11:59 pm

Booking: Call the hotel directly and ask for the AHG rate

Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast for 4 people, Parking, Fitness Center, Indoor Pool

Red Roof Inn - Springfield

155 W. Leffel Lane Springfield, OH 45506 937-325-5356

Rate: \$87.85/night Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 10.2 miles/13 minutes

Cutoff date: June 26, 2020 @ 11:59 pm

Booking Link: http://www.redroof.com and under Group/promo code type in: AHGN.

Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Indoor Pool

Holiday Inn Express & Suites Springfield - Dayton Area

204 Raydo Circle Springfield, OH 45505

937-505-1670

Rate: \$119/night. If reserving by phone, mention "AHG Group Block"

Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 10.3 miles/13 minutes

Cutoff date: June 20, 2020 @ 11:59 pm. Cancel by 6:00 pm on the day prior to arrival

Check-in: 3:00 pm/Check-out: 12:00 pm

Booking Link: (click "Check Availability", enter dates of your stay, and click "Check Availability" again.) https://www.hiexpress.com/redirect?path=hd&brandCode=EX&localeCode=en®ionCode=1&hotelCode=S

GHSS& PMID=99801505&GPC=AHG&cn=no&viewfullsite=true

Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Fitness Center, Indoor Pool

Hampton Inn and Suites Xenia Dayton

194 S Progress Dr. Xenia, OH 45385 937-347-1029

Rate: \$117/night Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 10.4 miles/19 minutes

Cutoff date: July 6, 2020 @ 11:59 pm

Booking Link: <u>Hampton Inn and Suites Xenia Dayton</u> Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Fitness Center

Hampton Inn Springfield

1010 W. Leffel Lane Springfield, OH 45505

937-325-8480 Rate: \$109/night Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 11 miles/14 minutes

Cutoff date: July 6, 2020 @ 11:59 pm

Booking Link: https://tinyurl.com/AmericanHeritageGirls Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Fitness Center

Courtyard Springfield Downtown

100 South Fountain Avenue Springfield, OH 45502 937-322-3600

Rate: \$119/night
Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 12 miles/18 minutes

Cutoff date: July 6, 2020 @ 11:59 pm Check-in: 3:00 pm/Check-out: 12:00 pm

Booking Link: Book your group rate for American Heritage Girls Group

Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Fitness Center, Indoor Pool

Fairfield Inn and Suites Springfield

1870 West First Street Springfield, OH 45504

937-323-9554 Rate: \$109/night Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 16.1 Miles/20 minutes

Cutoff date: June 29, 2020 @ 11:59 pm Check-in: 3:00 pm/Check-out: 12:00 pm

Booking Link: **Book your group rate for American Heritage Girls**Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Fitness Center, Indoor Pool

Springhill Suites Dayton Beavercreek

2663 Fairfield Commons Dr. Beavercreek, OH 45431

937-429-9090 Rate: \$125/night Queen/Queen (2-4 ppl)

Distance from Cedarville University: 18.2 Miles/27 minutes

Cutoff date: July 6, 2020, 11:59 pm Check-in: 3:00 pm/Check-out: 12:00 pm

Booking link: **Book your group rate for American Heritage Girls**Complimentary Wi-Fi, Breakfast, Parking, Fitness Center, Indoor Pool

Tent camping, RV or trailer rental nearby

Note that you must book these options directly. Information is provided here for planning purposes only.

John Bryant State Park

3790 State Route 370 Yellow Springs, OH 45387 Reservations: 888-644-6727

Distance from Cedarville University: 6.5 Miles/8 minutes

Amenities: 9 electric sites, 52 non-electric sites, latrines, drinking water, dump station

Buck Creek State Park

1976 Buck Creek Lane Springfield, OH 45177 Reservations: 888-644-6727

Distance from Cedarville University: 16.1 miles/26 minutes

Amenities: 86 electric sites, 22 non-electric sites, showers, flush toilets, dump stations

Frontier Campground

9580 Collett Rd.

Waynesville, OH 45068 Reservations: 937-488-1127

Distance from Cedarville University: 20.6 miles/26 minutes

Amenities: RV Sites only – no tent camping, 4 cabins./cottages, showers, flush toilets, dump stations

Caesar Creek State Park

9000 Center Rd.

Wilmington, OH 45502 Reservations: 888-644-6727

Distance from Cedarville University: 21.5 miles/29 minutes

Amenities: 269 electric sites, 18 full hookup sites, showers, flush toilets, dump stations

Fifty Springs Group Campground (Part of Caesar Creek State Park)

9000 Center Rd.

Wilmington, OH 45177 Reservations: 866-644-6727

Distance from Cedarville University: 21.5 miles/29 minutes

Amenities: 269 electric sites, 18 full hookup sites, showers, flush toilets, dump stations

Thousand Trails RV Resort Campground

1786 OH-380

Wilmington, OH 45177 Reservations: 877-570-2267

Distance from Cedarville University: 24.9 miles/33 minutes

Amenities: RV Sites only - no tent camping, 10 cabins, showers, flush toilets, dump stations

FUNDRAISING AND TRIP PLANNING

Does my Troop need to include fundraising for Convention as one of the three fundraisers for the year or can this be an additional fundraiser?

It is preferred that Troops include a line item in their yearly budget which is reserved for larger events (i.e. Convention, a bi-annual High Adventure trip, etc.). This allows for Troops to save over a number of years for those pinnacle events. With this method, income from a Troop's three fundraisers would cover and/or offset the cost of these more occasional events. If a Troop has not had the opportunity to plan ahead or finds that savings are running short, the Troop can elect to add an additional fundraiser. The funds raised must be purposed to cover everyone participating in the event. AHG's desire with limiting fundraising is to make sure that girls have plenty of space in the Program Year for the faith, service, and fun that is AHG. For more information, please review AHG's Fundraising policies.

Can multiple Troops fundraise together?

Yes, if the funds raised are purposed to cover everyone going. Examples include: Paying for transportation for everyone, renting a bus, or paying for meals on the road. For more information, please review AHG's Fundraising policies.

We are including Convention as part of our family vacation, what things are there to do in the area for my husband and sons?

There is so much to do! Cedarville University is conveniently located near Cincinnati, Columbus and Dayton, OH. Northern Kentucky has much to offer as well. <u>Click here</u> for a list of area attractions and discounts.

I am a Troop Coordinator or Troop Leader planning to organize our Troop to travel together to Convention. Do I need to fill out a Troop Trip Notification?

Yes, if you are arranging for the Troop to travel together, you will need to submit a *Troop Trip Notification Form*. This information can be found in the Health and Safety Guidelines under "Troop Trips and Overnights".

Will the AHG National Office be open for tours during the week of the Convention?

Yes! We are so excited to welcome you to tour our new offices and shop for exclusive merchandise in our on-site store! Click on the link below to schedule your visit. https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/emf/SS/officevisit

CONVENTION COMMUNICATION

Where can I go to stay connected with all things convention?

You will find information online at **bit.ly/AHGgirlConvention**. AHG will also share information via the AHG Facebook and Instagram Pages.

Once you are registered for the Convention, you will receive an email invitation to join the **Convention Jump**. For more information about "The Jump" mobile app, contact your local Troop Coordinator or your Troop Coach in the AHG, Inc. Office. The Convention Jump will provide you with up-to-date information both before, during and after Convention. Get connected to share resources and your experiences with others attending!

During on-line registration, you will be asked to give permission to receive "Remind Me" text alerts while at the Convention. We will use this technology to quickly disperse important information such as location changes, reminders, etc. during the Convention.

Continue watching your emails for updated information as it becomes available!

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Terms & Conditions for Convention Registration

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- Convention registration is for registered AHG Adult Members and registered girl members of AHG (rising Tenderheart through Patriot) only.
- All terms and conditions of AHG registration included in the CONSENT, WAIVER, AND RELEASE AGREEMENT apply to the AHG National 25th Anniversary Convention. Convention registrants will be required to be members of AHG, Inc. and registered for the 2019-2020 or 2020-2021 Program Year.
- Adult Members are responsible for the supervision of the girls they have brought
 to the Convention at all times. In the case of a sick, disruptive, or unruly child, the
 adult will be expected to provide care and supervision. AHG, Inc. reserves the
 right to ask an attendee to leave the event with no option for a refund if behavior
 is disruptive or incongruent with AHG's Mission and values.
- All adult and girl attendees must be symptom-free, without the aid of medication, for 24 hours of fever, diarrhea, head lice, vomiting, cold or flu.
- By submitting the online registration, registrants hereby grant to American Heritage Girls the right and authority to photograph, film and/or record vocally themselves and all registrants included in the online registration form. These records may be used for promotional or publicity purposes and may be published in mass media publications, in AHG quarterly newsletters and other AHG publications, on AHG's website, and shown on television or movie presentations. The adult member and family's last name may be used, the Girl Member's first name and Program Level only may be used.

For additional questions regarding these Terms and Conditions, contact us at conventionregistration@ahgonline.org