

Girls Ministries Nationwide Event

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Event Planning Guide

Introduction

Shine Bright encourages and inspires girls to be the light of Jesus in this dark world. In John 8:12, Jesus said, “**I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.**” When girls understand they were made by God, in His image, and have purpose in their lives, they don’t have to be afraid to shine bright for all the world!

During the Nationwide Event, girls will travel from Glow Station to Glow Station to discover the many ways the Holy Spirit empowers them to Shine Bright for Jesus! They will also learn about our 2019 Coins for Kids project: Mission Argentina (ends December 31, 2019). We are raising money to give kids in Argentina an opportunity to achieve their dreams!

Here are a few things to look forward to at your event:

- **Fun:** A big part of the Girls Ministries Nationwide Event is for girls to enjoy being together. Our *Planning Guide* and this year’s *Annual Theme Packet* will help get your creativity flowing to plan an event that helps girls have fun and form lasting relationships as they discover timeless truths from God’s Word.
- **Outreach:** The Girls Ministries Nationwide Event is an ideal time for girls to invite their friends. New girls will see how amazing and fun Girls Ministries activities are! More importantly, this is an opportunity to introduce girls to a relationship with Jesus.
- **Giving:** Giving is a huge part of the Girls Ministries Nationwide Event. Show the *Coins for Kids Project Promo Video** and follow the tips in this packet and the *2019 Coins for Kids Fund-Raiser Packet** to encourage girls to raise funds before your event. Together, we can make a big difference around the world through Coins for Kids.

This *Planning Guide* is full of details designed to help you create an amazing event for your girls. The event Planning Guide contains this year’s theme, devotions, activities, and decor ideas. We encourage you to share those ideas with your Girls Ministries team and any others you’ve enlisted to make your event special.

We look forward to hearing about your event!

National Girls Ministries Team



* Items in *italics* are available for download at www.ngm.ag.org/EventResources

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Event Overview

This year's theme is Shine Bright Glow Party. This *Planning Guide* gives lots of options for planning a special event. Basic ideas and tips are provided, but no one knows your girls better than you! So, customize these ideas to make this year's event memorable. Here are some additional helps:

What is the Nationwide Event?

This Girls Ministries Nationwide Event occurs annually on the fourth Friday and Saturday of September, but it can be held on another night if that works better for your church. For elementary-age girls, it's a great way to launch the year and invite guests to church.

This guide includes a planning timeline, suggestions for activities, decor, and snacks, as well as a spiritual challenge. The event is designed for any church to use. It is a great tool for outreach to the community and includes a salvation message.

Why should your church host a Girls Ministries Nationwide Event?

Not only is the event a fun way for girls to get to know each other, it's also valuable to help groups:

1. Invite guests. This is a great time for girls to bring their friends. A salvation message is provided to make the most of this outreach opportunity. (See pages 31–34.)
2. Recruit new leaders. Think about moms and other women in your church who would be great additions to the Girls Ministries team.
3. Give to kids in need through Coins for Kids. The 2019 Nationwide Event features a project: Mission Argentina. Don't miss the opportunity for your girls to gain a better understanding of the needs and to give generously to help those needs. See page 15 for more information about Coins for Kids.

Who should come to your Girls Ministries Nationwide Event?

The Girls Ministries Nationwide Event is designed for girls in kindergarten through fifth grade; however, it's best to include all age groups in the event in some way. Many churches find it beneficial to include junior high and high school girls in leadership activities—leading worship, making snacks, helping younger girls participate in activities, etc. Preschool girls and boys might be able to attend the early evening activities.

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*Items in **bold** are available for purchase (while supplies last).

What's available for this year's Girls Ministries Annual Theme and Nationwide Event?

Here are fun and helpful features that are available this year:

Shine Bright Canvas Tote Bag: Help girls transport all of the night's projects in this roomy, messenger-style bag. Girls will take home a keepsake from the event, and they'll have an easy way to share special memories with family and friends.

Badges or Buttons: There are choices for how to reward girls for attending. If girls in your group don't wear sashes, get the **Button** instead of the **Badge**. Girls can pin the **Button** to their **Tote Bag** or clothing.

Shine Bright Flashlight: Use our **Shine Bright Flashlight** in the Gloria the Glow Girl Skit and for other activities in the Glow Stations.

See page 14 for even more event resources!

What's in this Planning Guide?

The *Event Planning Guide* includes ideas for making the event a fun, spiritually rewarding experience. Event Resources are individual, reproducible pages found online at [www.ngm.ag.org/Nationwide Event](http://www.ngm.ag.org/NationwideEvent).

The contents page of this *Event Planning Guide* lists segments of the event. The event is most successful when leaders tailor activities to the

specific interests and abilities of girls in their local church. Feel free to adapt these ideas to the regional and cultural needs of your church or for girls who may have special needs.

What do I need to know about child safety?

Protecting children is of utmost importance. All churches need to screen volunteers and put in place policies to ensure safety for those participating in church activities. To learn more about protecting children from predators and other potential safety risks, visit the Assemblies of God official site for legal matters pertaining to the church: ag.org/Legal-Matters.

For child safety, please visit ngm.ag.org.



Planning in 10 Simple Steps

Here's a quick overview of things to keep in mind when planning your event.

1. Read this entire *Event Planning Guide*. The *Shine Bright Annual Theme Packet* is available to help you prepare for this year's event.
2. Schedule your Girls Ministries Nationwide Event. Most churches will opt to host the Nationwide Event on the last Friday in September. Check your church's calendar to reserve the event date. If the date conflicts with your calendar, your event may be held on a different date. Remember to set firm arrival and departure times.
3. Promote Coins for Kids giving. See page 15 for more information about this important focus of the Nationwide Event.
4. Familiarize yourself with this year's theme, decor, activities, and other specific information.
5. Believe for salvations! This is a fun event for girls to invite friends who may not be followers of Jesus Christ. Be praying for favor as girls invite their friends. Print the *Invitations*, available online, and encourage girls to invite friends to attend the event.
6. Recruit others to help make your event a success. Some of the easiest people to recruit are moms of the girls or women who volunteer in children's ministries (Sunday School teachers, etc.). Then, think beyond these people to others who have other skills that tie into the activities you are planning.
7. Gifts and prizes help the memory of the event live on long after it's over. Think creatively and remember there will be great themed items that are very affordable and fun available through MyHealthyChurch.com/GM. **T-shirts** and other themed items make great participant and volunteer gifts. See page 14 for more resources. (**NOTE:** Some items have limited quantities so order early!)
8. Decorate, decorate, decorate! Get creative and make the event exhibits memorable.
9. Celebrate girls' attendance at the event. Give everyone a **Nationwide Event Badge** or **Button** to commemorate the event and recognize girls, too.
10. After your event, please submit the *Report Form*, *Survey*, and offering to the National Girls Ministries Department.

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Planning Timeline

3-4 MONTHS before Event

- Communicate the vision for the event to church leadership and describe how it aligns with your church's vision.
- Request that September 27, 2019, (or your alternate date) be reserved on the church calendar. Download the *Event Planning Guide* and get familiar with the theme and specific ideas.
- Order **Coins for Kids Offering Boxes** and **Promo Cards**. The *Coins for Kids Project Promo Video* on the website will help to explain this year's special project.
- Watch the *Coins for Kids Project Promo Video* during a club meeting, then ask the girls to pray about what they believe God wants them to give over the course of the year. Send home a **Promo Card**, **Offering Box**, and the girl's completed portion of a **Faith Promise Card** (see page 15) with each girl.
- Devote time each month to pray and discuss the project with your girls.
- Use the *Coins for Kids Fund-Raising Packet* to plan and host various fund-raisers for the project. Talk to your pastor about showing the *Coins for Kids Project Promo Video* in a church service to get the adults involved.

- Host a planning meeting with a core team. Brainstorm about how to make this event one the girls will remember. Begin to list assigned tasks for volunteers.

2 MONTHS before Event

- Begin promoting the Nationwide Event.
- Have conversations with key people, recruiting them to help host the event. Determine what roles they will fill.
- Go through the *Event Planning Guide* and select which activities to include in your event. Become familiar with the instructions and begin to gather all needed supplies.

2-3 WEEKS before Event

- Connect with volunteers who will be leading activities at the event. Verify which activities they are going to do and mark items needed on your shopping list.
- Encourage girls to bring a friend to the event. Print *Invitations* and hand out or mail them.
- Make sure each girl who is attending fills out your church's standard permission slip.
- Consider inviting parents to join their daughters for breakfast on Saturday morning. Prepare leaders and helpers to meet the parents and invite them to church. If

possible, invite the children's pastor to the breakfast and introduce him or her to the girls. This is a great way to create a bridge within the children's ministries of your church.

- Print *Name Tags*, *Event Certificates*, and *Glow Journals* for the event.
- Review the *Complete Supplies List*. Determine how many girls and adult volunteers to plan for and go shopping.
- Help the children's pastor or other leader plan ahead so that guests from the event are acknowledged in Sunday School or kids' church when they attend after the event.

A Few Days before Event

- Decorate the facility to match the theme, using the ideas in the *Event Planning Guide*.
- Organize the registration area so things are set up before the event begins.
- Finalize the schedule and make a copy for each volunteer.

During Event

- Have fun! Follow the plan you have made!
- Distribute *Flyers* giving girls and their parents information about regular meeting times and places. Ask if girls will need a ride to meetings and make arrangements before they leave the event. Consider also spreading the word about other services and events for children and families if you have

visiting guests for this event.

- Encourage visiting girls to bring their *Event Certificate* to church with them the next time to receive a special gift. Even a small item will make girls feel welcome. This might get kids excited about continuing the friendships they made at the event. Make sure your regular church members are prepared to greet them as well.

After Event

- Mail or submit (online) the *Event Report Form*, *Theme* and *Event Survey*, and your Coins for Kids offering. Please do not send cash or coins.
- For your convenience you can also fill out your report and send your donation online at www.ngm.ag.org/NationwideEvent.
- Remember to mail or give thank-you notes to your core team and volunteers who helped, as well as those who donated items for the event.
- Follow up with guests who attended the event and those who were saved during the event. Be sure that each of these girls has her own Bible. Talk with your pastor about ways that a Bible can be provided for any girl without one.
- Continue raising funds for Coins for Kids. The Coins for Kids project does not end until December 31, 2019.
- Each month during a club meeting,

continue to take time to pray for the Coins for Kids project.

- E-mail pictures of your event to the national office. Send to ngm@ag.org. You may also post your event pictures with either of these hashtags: #ShineBrightGlowParty and #GirlsMinistries. **Be sure you have written permission to post pictures of the girls at your event.** For more information about the potential child-safety issues related to posting photos online, check out this website: <http://www.churchlawandtax.com/blog/2012/july/cyber-risks-at-church.html>.



Event Certificate



Event Name Tag



Recruiting Others to Help with Your Event

Don't miss the opportunity for others to be blessed through ministering to girls at your event. Below are a few easy ways to involve others—both club sponsors and new volunteers.



Activity Hosts

There will be large-group times and activity stations the girls will visit throughout the evening. Consider inviting someone to host each activity. This divides the preparation time and lets everyone share in the experience. Your weekly volunteers are natural choices for this role.



Registration Helpers

Choose a couple of people who are both friendly and very organized to be the first stop for your event. These individuals can also fill other roles when registration is completed. They will often need to answer questions as parents drop off their girls. Make sure these volunteers are well informed and upbeat.



Coins for Kids Offering Counters

Ask parents or grandparents to help with counting the offering.



Chaperones

Ask moms and other women in your church to help with your event as chaperones. Choose women who are friendly and who will naturally build relationships with girls.



Food Preppers and Servers

Consider asking others to oversee the food for the event.

This would include the food for the evening meal as well as breakfast on Saturday morning.



Shopper

Don't like to shop? Ask someone to volunteer for this activity. The *Complete Supplies List* makes this easier.



Set-Up and Clean-Up Team

Anyone willing to help could be a huge blessing before and/or after your event with all the odds and ends that are required to make the event a success. This is a great time to include dads and grandpas!



Prayer Team

Most importantly, consider asking people to commit to praying for the event. Because this event is an outreach opportunity, the prayer team should pray for the Holy Spirit to soften girls' hearts.

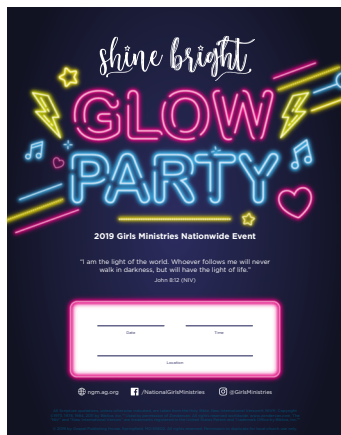
Special events are often great opportunities to involve people who may not be weekly volunteers. Make a list of every position you want to have filled as well as a list of everyone who would be eligible to assist.

*Items in *italics* are available as a download at ngm.ag.org.

Promoting Your Event

Here are some tips to get the word out about your event.

- Plan ahead. Let girls and their parents know the date as soon as it's on the church calendar.



- Hang the *Event Posters* in each room. Print additional posters as needed from the digital files.
- Build excitement by including girls in the creation of promotional posters for the church. Display the posters in prominent locations in the church to build awareness and enthusiasm for the upcoming event. The posters could suggest that parents contact you to find out how they can donate items or help with the event.
- Print *Event Invitations* and encourage your girls to invite unsaved friends. Invite girls from your community who don't attend church. Be prepared to make them feel comfortable and included. Talk with your church girls about welcoming any visitors.

- Include information about the Coins for Kids project when you promote your event. Get all church members involved in raising money for Mission Argentina.

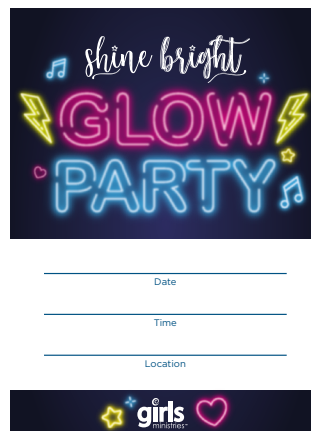
- Consider joining with other churches to host the event.

Note: For those involved in district and/or sectional Girls Ministries, connect with your coordinator who may be planning a special event you will want to participate in. Be sure you are on the district and sectional mailing lists to receive event information. Volunteer yourself and your girls to help with games, food preparation, etc.

- Host another church for the special event. Invite sponsors and girls from a neighboring church to be your guests.

Theme Invitations

These fun *Invitations* can be printed from the website on card stock. Add the details about your event before sending them out.



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Outreach Preparation

The Girls Ministries Nationwide Event is a great time for girls to invite friends. Remind girls that this is an opportunity for them to bring friends who don't go to church. Here are some steps to help girls get started. Consider having girls complete one step a week to make it more achievable. Make copies of the *Invitation* resource to give to each girl. Share this summary with each group leader.

Invite-A-Friend Steps

4 Weeks Before

Pray and ask God to show you a girl who needs Jesus. Think about girls who are new to your school, those you do extracurricular activities with, or those who don't attend another church.

3 Weeks Before

Talk with your parent(s) or leader about the girl you would like to invite. Ask your club leader for an *Invitation* to give to your friend.

2 Weeks Before

Invite your friend. Give her details about the event that a parent would want to know. Be sure to include all the details of the event, even the Coins for Kids project you are raising money for. Your friend may want to raise money, too. Agree on a place to meet, like your house, or better yet, pick her up on your way to the event to make sure she doesn't arrive alone.

1 Week Before

Remind your friend about the event. Continue praying for your friend and the other guests who will attend. During club time, decide together that you will make the event fun for everyone and make sure no one feels left out.

During the Event

It may be easy to spend the most time with church friends and not include your invited guests. Remember that the friends you and the other girls invited are your special guests. Be sure to include them and help them make friends. During the event talk about what Jesus means to you. You may have an opportunity to pray with your friend. If you do, thank Jesus for using you and pray with her at that moment.

After the Event

Let your friend know your group meets every week at church. Ask your friend if she would like to start attending. You may need to help make arrangements to pick her up each week. Don't be afraid to call her or send a message to remind her about Girls Clubs a few days after the event is over. Tell your leader that you prayed with your friend. She'll want to hear the good news.

Scheduling Your Event

TIP: Print the *Event Schedule* and add your own times for each activity.

1. What's the date?

September 27, 2019 is the Girls Ministries Nationwide Event. If this date doesn't work, it can be held on another date that works for your church calendar.

During the week of the Girls Ministries Nationwide Event, stay up-to-date on all that is happening leading up to September 27 through our primary Facebook page: [facebook.com/NationalGirlsMinistries](https://www.facebook.com/NationalGirlsMinistries).

2. What are the time boundaries?

- When will your event start/end?
- What time will the girls go to bed if you are hosting a sleepover?

3. What are the large-group times for all the girls?

- Kick off the evening with all the girls together for the opening and worship.
- The activities wrap up with the Glow Bold Station.
- Fill in the large-group times on your *Event Schedule*.

4. What else do you need to decide?

- When will your group eat? Add that to your *Event Schedule*.

- Consider how to group the girls for the optional activities:

- Have all the girls participate in all the activities together. See pages 16–17 for schedule samples.
- Divide into smaller groups and rotate the groups through the various activities. See page 18 for rotation options.
- Use any combination of large and small groups that suits your event setting.

- Choose the activities you will do in the remaining time slots. You may arrange the various segments in any order that best suits your group, space, and time.
- Fill in the remaining times on your *Event Schedule*.



*Items in *italics* are available as a download at ngm.ag.org.

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A. Shine Bright Button

Hand out theme buttons to all your girls! Metal with back pin, 1 1/4" diameter. Pack of 10.

15MW1598	\$3.49
10 or more	\$2.99 ea.

B. Shine Bright Badge

Embroidered theme badge featuring logo in blue and yellow. 1 1/8" diameter.

15MW1597	\$.89
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C. Shine Bright Color-Changing Cup

Your girls will love these theme cups: they turn blue when cold liquid is poured inside! 16 oz.

17MW8273	\$1.49
10 or more	\$1.29 ea.

D. Shine Bright Canvas Tote Bag

Beige tote bag featuring theme imprint in blue. Long handles, 7 oz. cotton canvas. 15 x 16"

17MW8274	\$2.49
25 or more	\$1.99 ea.

E. Shine Bright Flashlight

Mini LED key chain flashlight features theme logo imprinted in white. 1.5V batteries included.

17MW8276	\$1.99
10 or more	\$1.79 ea.

F. Shine Bright Glow in the Dark Bracelet

Glow in the dark bracelet featuring debossed theme. Pack of 10.

17MW8275	\$4.99
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G. Shine Bright Devotional

2019 theme devotional for girls. 24 pages. 5 1/2 x 8 1/2"

02MW1478	\$2.99
10-49	\$1.99 ea.
50-99	\$1.50 ea.
100 or more	\$1.25 ea.

WARNING: CHOKING HAZARD
Small parts. Not for children under 3 yrs.

H. Shine Bright T-shirt

Celebrate this year's theme with the theme tee. Navy, 5.3 oz., pre-shrunk 100% cotton.

Youth S	08MW2690	\$7.99
Youth M	08MW2691	\$7.99
Youth L	08MW2692	\$7.99
Adult S	08MW2693	\$8.99
Adult M	08MW2694	\$8.99
Adult L	08MW2695	\$8.99
Adult XL	08MW2696	\$8.99
Adult 2XL	08MW2697	\$10.99
Adult 3XL	08MW2698	\$12.99

I. Mission Argentina T-shirt

Spread the word about Mission Argentina with these soft, navy frost tees. Longer tunic length with curved hem. Fit runs small.

Adult S	08MW8490	\$19.99
Adult M	08MW8491	\$19.99
Adult L	08MW8492	\$19.99
Adult XL	08MW8493	\$19.99
Adult 2XL	08MW8494	\$21.99
Adult 3XL	08MW8495	\$23.99
Adult 4XL	08MW8496	\$25.99

J. Coins for Kids Bracelet

These bracelets will get everyone excited about the 2019 Coins for Kids project, Mission Argentina. Yellow adult-size silicone wristband featuring Mission Argentina debossed logo. Pack of 10. 8 x 1/2"

17MW8045	\$4.99
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K. Coins for Kids Promo Card

Promo card explaining the 2019 project, Mission Argentina. 4 x 9"

English	73MW4933	FREE
Spanish (digital download only)		FREE

L. Coins for Kids Offering Box

Give these to your girls and encourage them to fill the boxes with money for Coins for Kids and turn them in during the Nationwide Event. 5 x 2 x 3"

73MW4943	FREE
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M. Coins for Kids Button

These colorful buttons are great to use as awards, prizes, or incentives for giving. Safety pin closure. Pack of 10. 1 1/4" diameter.

71MW5249	\$2.95
10-24	\$2.45 ea.
25 or more	\$1.95 ea.

N. Coins for Kids Pennant Banner

Proudly proclaims the Coins for Kids mission: "Girls Making a Difference Around the World." Hang by the top pole pocket or from the corner grommets. Sewn edges. 36 x 48"

71MW5331	\$29.95
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O. Coins for Kids Lip Balm

Keep your lips moist with this kiwi strawberry flavored lip balm. Great as prizes or incentives.

71MW5214	\$.99
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P. Coins for Kids Translucent Purse

Girls will love saving their coins in this beautiful translucent blue zippered coin purse featuring a split ring attachment. The Coins For Kids message is imprinted in white. 4 1/2" x 3"

71MW5212	\$1.99
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Q. Coins for Kids Beach Ball

Girls will have a blast tossing around this 16-inch-blue-and-white-striped beach ball with the message of Coins for Kids. Beach ball is CPSIA compliant.

71MW5213	\$1.99
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R. Coins for Kids Compact Mirror

This cute blue CFK mirror is perfect for purses, pockets, backpacks, and lockers. Compact is made out of PVC plastic. Great to use as a prize or an incentive. 2.75" x 2.5" x 0.25"

71MW5215	\$.99
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Emphasizing Coins for Kids

The Girls Ministries Nationwide Event is designed to help make a global impact. Many groups use this event to challenge girls to raise money to collectively support the annual Coins for Kids project. It's amazing to see what happens when thousands of girls all work together to make a difference. Girls will be more motivated to participate when they understand the difference they are making. Here are some ideas to get started:

- Each year a project that specifically affects children is selected and announced to participating churches nationwide. The 2019 project is Mission Argentina. Details of this project can be found online at www.ngm.ag.org/CFK.
- Make girls aware of the project by distributing copies of the **Coins For Kids Promo Card** (1 per girl) and playing the *2019 CFK Project Promo Video* well in advance of the event.
- Challenge the girls to set a goal for 2019 and then think creatively about how they might be able to meet it. Use the **Faith Promise Cards** found online at www.ngm.ag.org/CFKResources. Purchase

the silicone **Coins For Kids Bracelets** for your girls to wear as a reminder of their promise.

- Order the free **Coins for Kids Promo Cards** and **Offering Boxes**, available on the Event Product Order Form (page 37–38). The card explains the ministry of Coins for Kids and this year's project.
- Customize the **Coins for Kids Offering Boxes** with project-themed labels. There is *Offering Box Sticker Art* (Avery label 5160) identifying the project online. Print these labels and stick one on the back of each offering box.

Note: Create your own offering containers. You can also have the girls use potato chip cans to collect coins and cash. *Can Label* art will fit Avery Full Sheet labels or it can be printed on plain paper and taped to the can. Be sure girls bring their offering to the event.

- Celebrate girls' generosity. The reproducible *Coins for Kids Certificate* is a great way to honor girls' efforts.
- Remember to keep raising funds throughout the year, not just for the Girls Ministries Nationwide Event.



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BASIC SCHEDULE

SAMPLE

Girls Ministries Nationwide Event—Sleepover

	TIME	ACTIVITY	HOST	LOCATION
F R I D A Y N I G H T	5:30–6:00	Registration	Donna	Foyer
	6:00–6:45	Glow Gathering	Twana	Sanctuary
	6:45–7:15	Glow Grub	Mandy	Cafeteria
	7:15–7:45	Glow Brave Station	Lauren	Gym
	7:45–8:15	Glow Bright Station	Julie	Room 101
	8:15–8:45	Glow Beautiful Station	Jen	Room 104
	8:45–9:30	Glow Bold Station	Twana	Sanctuary
	9:30–10:00 10:00	Glow to Bed Lights Out	Katie Donna	Restrooms & Sleeping Areas Sleeping Areas
S A T U R D A Y	7:30–8:00	Rise & Shine/Pack Up	Rebekah	Sleeping Areas
	8:00–8:30	Glow Grub Breakfast	Casey	Cafeteria
	8:30–9:00	Check Out	Donna	Foyer
	9:00–finish	Clean Up	Everyone	Everywhere

BASIC SCHEDULE SAMPLE

Girls Ministries Nationwide Event—Evening Event

F R I D A Y N I G H T	TIME	ACTIVITY	HOST	LOCATION
	5:30–6:00	Registration	Donna	Foyer
	6:00–6:45	Glow Gathering	Twana	Sanctuary
	6:45–7:15	Glow Grub	Mandy	Cafeteria
	7:15–7:45	Glow Brave Station	Lauren	Gym
	7:45–8:15	Glow Bright Station	Julie	Room 101
	8:15–8:45	Glow Beautiful Station	Jen	Room 104
	8:45–9:30	Glow Bold Station	Twana	Sanctuary
	9:30–10:00	Check Out	Katie	Foyer
	10:00–10:30	Clean Up	Everyone	Everywhere

ROTATING GROUPS PLAN SAMPLE



LET'S DECORATE!

Add some brightness to your décor with these ideas below. Be sure and add your own fun elements to make it personal to your girls! Visit our Pinterest page for lots of ideas: www.pinterest.com/natgirlsmin/

Balloons

Use glow-in-the-dark or metallic colored balloons around your room or as Glow Station markers and to add a fun touch throughout your space.

Glow Sticks

Glow sticks make for a great glow party! Get creative and connect glow sticks together to make table décor, banners, and other fun shapes!

Glow in the Dark Supplies

Cut glow-in-the-dark paper into different shapes to place around the room. You can string the paper together to make fun photo booth backdrops, room dividers, and more! Use glow-in-the-dark tape for games such as hop scotch, or to create other shapes and objects on the floor, tables, or walls. Glow-in-the-dark paint is a great way to take items that aren't normally seen in the dark and make them usable for the night of your event! Spray paint chairs or tables if possible to create some key pieces in your space to pack a big glow-in-the-dark punch.

Neon

Don't forget to utilize neon colors, such as pink, yellow, green, and orange to add color to your space. They will bring brightness and fun to your Glow Stations!

Glow Stick Centerpiece

Create a centerpiece for your dinner tables by placing glow sticks into a Styrofoam cutout in a shape of your choice. This is a fun way to brighten up your tables!



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Overview

Glow Stations

Here are the planning details for the Nationwide Event. At each station, there are activities specifically planned for that segment. **NOTE:** Some stations contain several ideas so you can choose the one(s) best suited to your group.

Schedule a room large enough for the entire group for these stations. These activities should be done together as an entire group:

- Glow Gathering
- Glow Bold Station

For the remaining stations, choose the format that best suits your event:

- Glow Grub
- Glow Brave Station
- Glow Bright Station
- Glow Beautiful Station

Option 1—One Large Group

Select the order of the stations the girls will visit during the event. Although all girls will be together, prepare to break up the entire group into smaller groups at work stations for many of the activities. Recommended for groups of 25 or fewer. See pages 16–17 for sample schedules.

Option 2—Large Groups and Small Groups

Use a combination of a large group and multiple small groups for this plan. All girls will be together for the opening and closing.

Small groups will rotate through the other locations so keep the group sizes small enough for a quality experience. In this model, station leaders will present their activities multiple times until each group has been to their station. See page 18 for an illustration of this large-group/small-group plan.

Shine Bright Tip

Capturing memories is an important part of this event. The **Shine Bright Tote Bag** will hold special projects and memories.



Event Station Signs

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Registration

Design an area at the entrance to receive the girls and take care of registration. You'll need space to collect permission slips, any money being collected, and the **Coins For Kids Offering Boxes**.

You Will Need:

- **Shine Bright Tote Bag** (1 for each girl)
- *Name Tags* (1 for each girl)
- Extra permission slips (for those who forgot them)
- Folder to collect permission slips

Set Up:

- Recruit parents to count the Coins for Kids offering.
- Plan to open the doors early for girls who come before the scheduled starting time.

- Have activities girls can participate in while they wait for the official kickoff. See More Bright Ideas on page 35.

As Girls Arrive:

- Collect permission slips.
- Receive monies being collected and the **Coins For Kids Offering Boxes**.
- Give each girl a *Name Tag* and a **Shine Bright Tote Bag** to hold items she will create.
- Tally the offering and report your total on the Nationwide Event Report (page 38).



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GLOW GATHERING

Overview

The Glow Gathering will give the girls a glimpse of the message of Shine Bright Glow Party and get them excited about the night's events.

You Will Need:

- All necessary forms, documents, etc. for checking girls in
- *Glow Journals* and pencils
- Praise and worship music
- Poster board and markers or *Glow Party Verse Slide*
- *Gloria the Glow Girl Skit*, 2 copies
- Gloria the Glow Girl costume (see skit)
- Flashlight or lantern

Set Up:

Have paperwork, volunteers, and praise and worship music ready to go, as well as the poster board or screen with the Glow Party Power Verse (John 8:12). Designate a place for the person playing Gloria the Glow Girl to keep her costume and change clothes.

Check In:

Station a fun, happy volunteer or two at the door to greet girls as they arrive. These leaders can be prepared

to handle all permission slips, Coins for Kids offering, money and medications needed. They also could show girls where to put personal items if needed. Each girl could be given a *Glow Journal* and a pencil. As girls check in, they should be directed to the Glow Gathering area.

Glow Party Power Verse

After the girls have arrived, display John 8:12 on a large piece of poster board or using the *Glow Party Power Verse Slide*.

Say: Welcome to our Shine Bright Glow Party! We are so excited that each of you are here! We are going to kick off the event by seeing what Jesus had to say about light in our Glow Party Power Verse! He said, **"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."** (Have the girls repeat the verse with you several times. To make it fun, you could ask the girls to say it softly at first and then get louder each time it is repeated.)

When you lead the Power Verse the final time, Gloria the Glow Girl should interrupt, starting the skit.

Gloria the Glow Girl Skit

Perform this two-person skit to get the girls laughing and introduce the night's theme.

You Will Need:

- Two copies of the Gloria the Glow Girl Skit
- Costume for the person playing Gloria the Glow Girl (see Gloria the Glow Girl Skit for details)
- **Shine Bright Flashlight**

Getting Ready:

- Practice the skit in advance so that you can perform it without reading it.
- Have a willing attitude to being a little silly to make it fun for the girls

Directions:

- Perform the skit.
- Make sure that both characters have microphones or speak loudly enough to be heard by the whole group.
- Try not to talk over one another or over the girls' laughter or response, to make sure you are heard and the girls understand what is happening.

Praise and Worship

After the skit, lead girls in some fun, upbeat praise and worship songs that will draw them in and get their attention. Encourage late arrivals to jump in and join in the fun as soon as they arrive.

You Will Need:

- Music of your choice
- Audio/visual equipment or instruments appropriate to your location

Getting Ready:

- Prayerfully choose simple worship songs.
- If available, ask someone to accompany you on a piano, guitar, or other instrument, or choose music that can be played on CD, video, or by other means.
- Choose music with lyrics the girls can understand.

Directions:

- Tell the girls that it is time to worship. Encourage them to focus their whole attention on God and sing to Him.
- Lead the songs. Model an attitude of worship.

Glow Stations

After worship, introduce girls to the stations they will be participating in:

- Glow Brave
- Glow Grub
- Glow Bright
- Glow Beautiful
- Glow Bold (large group)

Have them split into group sizes small enough for a quality experience. In this model, leaders will present their activities multiple times until each group has visited their station. See page 18 for an illustration of this large-group/small-group plan.



Overview

The girls will be challenged to make a brave stand for Jesus. They will be commissioned to reach the world around them, and to help children in Argentina through Coins for Kids 2019. Note: If you are planning your event in 2020, please watch for the new Coins for Kids project video to be released in the fall of 2019 to be used during your event.

You Will Need:

- **Shine Bright Flashlights** (or any flashlights you have on hand)
- Large, relatively open space or room that can be darkened
- *2019 Coins for Kids Video* and a way to show the video to the girls
- Soccer ball

Set Up:

Gather the flashlights needed for Flashlight Tag, and decide what area will be designated as home base. Prepare to show the *Coins For Kids Video*. As an Additional/Alternate Activity, set up a craft station with yellow card stock, pencils, cupcake liners, green craft sticks, and glue or tape.

Say: Let's review our Glow Party Power Verse and remind ourselves what Jesus said in John 8:12: **"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."** (Have the girls repeat the verse with you.)

I challenge you to be a girl who shares the light of Jesus with others! (Show the girls a **Shine Bright Bracelet** or other glow-in-the-dark object.) This bracelet makes me happy because when it's dark, I can see it glowing in the darkness. (If space allows, turn off the lights momentarily to demonstrate.)

When people don't know the love of Jesus, their world can seem very dark and sad. They don't have the hope and the joy that comes from knowing Jesus. They need someone who is going to be like my bracelet and be a bright spot in a dark world. It's not always easy, and sometimes it's even scary to tell others what God has done for you, but we have to be brave! We have to shine and bring the good news of our Savior into a dark world, so that those who are trapped in the darkness can find the light of Jesus. (If possible, give each girl her own **Shine Bright Bracelet** to remind them to glow brave for Jesus.)

Flashlight Tag

You Will Need:

- **Shine Bright Flashlight** or other flashlight (one or more)
- Large space

Directions:

- Designate a home base in the room.
- Choose one (or more, depending on the size of your group) to be It. All girls who are It should close their eyes or leave the room to allow the other girls to hide.
- After the designated time, the girl(s) with the flashlight may begin searching for the other girls. The object of the game is to get to home base without being tagged by It. The first girl to be tagged (or first several girls if your group is large) then becomes It. Play as many rounds as time allows.

After the game, talk about how the girls were seeking those who were in darkness. Remind them that as Christians, we should be seeking those who are in spiritual darkness so we can shine the light of Jesus into their lives.

Coins For Kids Video

Show the girls the *2019 Coins for Kids Video: Mission Argentina*. Tell the girls that we can be a light to the lost in Argentina by giving to Coins For Kids. Through Coins for Kids, children in Argentina will learn life skills and have a place to worship, pray, and get to know other believers. Note: If you are planning

your event in 2020, please watch for the new Coins for Kids project video to be released in the fall of 2019. It can be used during your event if it is held in 2020.

Prayer Response

Have the girls stand in a circle. Tell the girls that since soccer is the most popular sport in Argentina, you will use a soccer ball to take turns leading in prayer. Explain that when each girl gets her turn to pray, she should pray one sentence asking God to help them to be brave and be a light for Jesus, or she can pray one sentence asking God to bless the ministry in Argentina, the missionaries, or the Coin for Kids project.

Place the ball on the floor and gently kick it to one of the girls standing in the circle. That girl should pray a one-sentence prayer, and then gently kick the ball to another girl. The ball should continue passing among the girls until each one has had a chance to pray. If any girl does not feel comfortable praying aloud, they may simply pass the ball along.

Additional/Alternative Idea

As a reminder of Mission Argentina, the girls could make a daffodil to take home with them after the event.

You Will Need:

- Yellow card stock
- Pencils
- Green craft sticks
- Orange, yellow, or white mini cupcake liners

- Scissors
- Glue or tape

Allow the girls to draw a five or six leaf flower on a piece of yellow cardstock. Cut out the flower. Glue (or tape) the flower to the green craft stick. Glue a cupcake liner in the center of the flower to complete the project.



Glow Journal

You Will Need:

- *Glow Journals* and pencils

Challenge the girls to make a list of three people in their *Glow Journal* that they can share the light of Jesus with, as well as one way they can make a difference for Coins for Kids. Have them record these on the Glow Brave page of their *Glow Journals*. Assist very young girls with writing their list.



+ GLOW BRIGHT

Overview

The girls will be challenged to glow bright for Jesus by using their gifts and talents for God's glory.

You Will Need:

- Microphones (real, toy, or *Glow Microphone*) and sound equipment (optional)
- Recorded worship or other Christian music that the girls might be familiar with, or an instrumentalist
- Bible
- *Glow Journals* and pencils

Set Up:

Set the scene for an impromptu talent show. You can do this with microphones, instruments, etc., or just have a simple CD player with some familiar praise and worship songs. For the Additional/Alternative Activity, ask the speaker if she will need any special setup and provide what she needs.

Say: Let's review our Power Verse (show *Glow Party Power Verse Slide*) and remind ourselves what Jesus said in John 8:12! **"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."**

(Have the girls repeat the verse with you.) God has placed talents and gifts in each of us. He wants to see us shine as we use these abilities to share the love of Jesus. Think about who you are for a minute. What talents has God placed within you?

Impromptu Talent Show

Tell the girls that you want to see how they glow for God. Give each of them an opportunity, whether by themselves or with a few friends, to stand up before the others and present a talent. They could sing along with one of your preselected songs, play the piano (or other instrument if available), tell a joke, quote a Scripture, do sign language, or anything else appropriate to the setting. If desired, allow the participants to use a microphone, either real or pretend. If the girls are nervous or fearful, encourage them and let them know that God will help them.

Present each girl that participates with a **Shine Bright Button, Badge**, or other small prize. Talk about how their different talents could be used to Shine Bright for Jesus.

Spiritual Gifts Discussion

Gather the girls around you. Read 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 or ask a girl who is a confident reader to read it for the group.

Say: These Scriptures list all kinds of amazing gifts that are available through the power of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit can help us to act in a powerful way. We can give someone words of wisdom that we wouldn't be able to think of on our own—the words come from God. Sometimes God reveals something to us about a person so we can help them that we wouldn't know unless God told us. There are gifts to see people healed, to have incredible faith, to see miracles, to prophesy (which means to deliver a message from God), to speak in different languages you haven't learned (called tongues), or even to interpret (or say in your language) what someone speaking in tongues has said.

Some of you may have already been used in one or more of these gifts. How many of you would like God to use you in a spiritual gift? (Allow response.) When you have accepted Jesus as your Savior and your Lord, these gifts are available through the power of the Holy Spirit!

Prayer Response:

Group the girls into smaller groups of two or three. Instruct them to tell their partner(s) what talents and gifts they want God to use in their lives. Have the girls pray for each other, asking God to bless their talents and to anoint them to be used in spiritual gifts. As they pray, pray for them, asking the Holy Spirit to move upon each of their lives.

Glow Journal

Have the girls go to the Glow Bright journal page in their *Glow Journal*. Ask them to list some of their gifts and talents. They may also draw a picture or describe themselves using their talents for Jesus.

Additional/Alternative Idea

Have one of your leaders or a woman in the church present a talent to the girls and talk about how they use that talent for Jesus. It could be a singer, a musician, a small business owner, an artist, or anyone who might capture the interest of the girls and show them how they shine for Jesus using their talents.



+ GLOW BEAUTIFUL

Overview

At this station, each girl will learn to glow by overcoming her insecurities and to shine as the beautiful person God designed her to be.

You Will Need:

- Paint paper
- Black markers
- Trash can
- Neon or glow-in-the-dark paint
- Paintbrushes
- Cups of water for washing brushes
- Old shirts or paint smocks (optional)
- Glow-in-the-dark face paint and stencils (optional)

Set Up:

Set up the station so that each girl has room to paint. Each girl should have at least two pieces of paper, one for drawing her insecurities and one for painting.

Say: Let's review our Glow Party Power Verse and remind ourselves what Jesus said in John 8:12! **"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light**

of life." (Have the girls repeat the verse with you.) We are learning ways that God works in us to bring that "light of life." One way we can glow for God is by being our most beautiful selves—the girl God created us to be. Sometimes, we let our fears or insecurities get in the way of that. We sometimes lie to ourselves. We may think we are too thin or too overweight or not pretty enough to measure up to others. Maybe we think we can't do great things for God because we don't sing as well as someone else or make the best grades or have as many friends.

How many of you have something that you think about yourself that could hold you back from being all God created you to be? Honestly, we probably all do!

Insecurity Drawing

Ask the girls to think about the things that make them feel insecure, afraid, or unable to be the beautiful girl God created them to be. Instruct the girls to draw a picture in black marker representing their insecurity.

Say: We can ask God to show us ourselves through His eyes. He loves each of us just the way we are. There are sometimes issues in our lives that we need to work on and improve. God will help us to take those steps, but our

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shortcomings—all of the things about our life that make us feel less than others—can't stop us from being who God created us to be unless we let them. We need to give them to God and allow Him to reveal who we are in Him.

Prayer Response

Ask the girls to bring their insecurity pictures and sit in a circle around you. As you deem appropriate, allow girls to share what their drawings represent. If girls do not feel comfortable sharing with the group, honor that and focus on those who wish to share.

Say: In a few minutes, you'll have an opportunity to paint a beautiful picture that you can take home with you to remember our Glow Party. Right now, we are going to take time to pray. We are going to ask God to take away our fears and insecurities. Close your eyes and take a few minutes to tell God how you feel. Then, when you are ready to show that you are giving these to God, I invite you to come forward and rip up the picture that you made to represent what you are insecure about. You can throw it in the trash can next to me. Throwing it away is saying, "I won't let this hold me back from being who God created me to be. I am going to shine for Jesus."

If resources are available, you may choose to play a worship song as the girls pray. As each of them throws away her Insecurity Drawing, direct the girls back to the painting area.

Glow Paintings

Instruct the girls to paint something beautiful with neon or glow-in-the-dark paint. Give some suggestions but allow the girls lots of leeway in defining what is beautiful and what they want their painting to portray. As the girls paint, point out the different perspectives each artist has and how each girl sees beauty in different ways. Remind the girls that God created each of them to be beautiful in their own way, with different gifts, talents, and abilities.

Additional/Alternative Idea

Use glow-in-the-dark face paint to decorate the girls' faces. Give the girls options of designs to reflect their individual personalities and preferences. If you are not skilled in freehand face painting, use stencils.

Glow Journal

On the *Glow Journal* page "Glow Beautiful," allow the girls to finish the writing prompt, "I promise to glow beautiful by not letting _____ hold me back from being who God created me to be." For younger girls, write their answer for them.





Overview

At this station, girls will be inspired to boldly step into their calling and walk in the ways God is directing them.

You Will Need:

- Glow-in-the-dark decor for a Glow Devo Room such as glow-in-the-dark stars or blacklights
- Fake campfire to gather around for a story (optional)
- Flashlight, if needed to read the story and questions (A **Shine Bright Flashlight** is available from MyHealthyChurch.com)
- CD player or other device to play music
- Christian music
- Glow stick for Musical Review Game
- *Shine Bright Glow Party Name Tags* or other name tags
- Markers

Set Up:

Set the atmosphere for this devotional time by creating a Glow Devo Room. You could cover the ceiling with glow-in-the-dark stars and create a fake campfire for the girls to gather around.

Alternatively, you could place blacklights around the room to provide a glowing environment.

Storytime

The Man with the Glowing Face

Darken the room to provide a glowing atmosphere. Ask the girls to sit around the fake campfire, or just in a circle on the floor so that you can tell them a story. You may want to give them **Shine Bright Glow-in-the Dark Bracelets** or glow sticks to hold while they listen to the story. Read or tell the following story with feeling and excitement, keeping the interest of the girls by varying your volume and pitch.

Say: The Bible tells us about a man named Moses, who was destined to be a hero. He was born into a Jewish family in a very difficult, sad time for the Jewish people. They were slaves to the Egyptians, and the cold-hearted Egyptian ruler had ordered that all boy babies born to the Jews be killed.

Miraculously, Baby Moses survived. His mother put him in a basket and set it afloat in a river. The basket and the tiny baby inside were found by the Egyptian ruler's daughter, and she kept him and raised him as a prince.

When Moses grew up, he left Egypt and

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began a new life in the land of Midian, where he got married and had two sons.

There Moses discovered his true calling—to rescue the Jewish people from the bonds of slavery. You see, one day out in the desert while watching his father-in-law’s sheep, Moses saw a bush that was on fire. The amazing thing about it was that the bush was not burning up! When he went closer to take a look, he heard the voice of God calling his name. The Voice was coming from inside the bush!

“Here I am,” he replied.

On that day, God laid out a plan for Moses. The plan would eventually lead Moses to free his people from slavery to the Egyptians. When Moses heard the plan, he was nervous. He had doubts that he could do what God wanted him to do. He asked God a lot of questions! He didn’t feel like he could possibly be the right person for the job. But in the end, he was willing, and it was the start of an incredible journey for him.

The road was not always easy, but by following God’s direction, he freed the Jewish people from their slavery. When Egyptian soldiers tried to come after them, God parted the waters of the Red Sea so that the Israelites could walk across on dry land and escape!

His whole life, Moses tried to follow God and lead His people wisely. Moses made some mistakes. There were some rough times. But, he was able to experience God in an amazing and unique way.

As he learned to put his faith in God, he grew closer and closer to Him. In

fact, God began to speak to Moses as someone speaks to a friend. One day, God called Moses to come to the top of a mountain. Moses had asked God to show him His glory. The more that he followed God’s calling to lead the Jewish people, the more he wanted to know God. He wanted to see Him in all of His glorious goodness.

God answered his prayer! The experience was so powerful that God had to hide him in the hollow place of a rock, because seeing God’s face would have been so magnificent that Moses could not have survived!

Moses stayed on the mountain for forty days and nights, getting instructions from God on how to lead the Jewish people and how they should live. During that time, he did not eat or drink water, but lived on the amazing presence of God.

When Moses came down from the mountain, the people were shocked and amazed at the sight of him. His face was glowing! The presence of God was still with him so strongly, that his face absolutely glowed. At first the people were afraid of him, but he called them over and told them all the things God had taught him.

After that, whenever Moses was not speaking with God or telling the people what God had commanded him to do, he wore a veil over his face because the glow stayed with him.

Salvation Prayer Response

Invite the girls to respond to the night’s message in prayer.

You Will Need:

- Soft worship music (optional)
- Space for the girls to come forward for prayer

Set Up:

- Pray for the Holy Spirit to move among the girls.
- Ahead of time, invite leaders and girls who have prayed to receive salvation to be praying that the Holy Spirit would draw girls to God during the event. Ask them to be prepared to pray with other girls who come forward to pray for forgiveness.

If possible, play some soft worship music to direct the girls' minds and hearts toward God.

Tell the girls that before we can Glow Bold, we must first ask forgiveness for our sins and invite Jesus to be our Best Friend and the Lord of our lives. Invite girls to come forward to do so. Have leaders ready to pray with the girls who come forward. Invite girls who have Jesus in their heart to come forward, ready to pray for their friends with the leaders.

Allow as much time as needed for the girls to pray. Have leaders assigned to follow up with each girl who came forward.

Prayer Response

Give each girl a *Shine Bright Glow Party Name Tag* and a marker. Tell the girls not to write anything yet. Allow time for the girls to pray and ask God to hear His

voice. As a leader, pray for them and ask God to speak to them. Ask God to reveal something of His plan to each girl. As the girls finish praying, they should take a marker and choose a word or a title that fits with what they know of God's plan for their lives. Examples include *pastor*, *missionary*, *good friend*, or *prayer warrior*. They could also choose a describing word, like *bold*, *overcomer*, or *strong*. Allow the girls to write the title on their name badge, assisting younger girls as necessary. The girls can wear the badges for the rest of the event, proclaiming that they are stepping out in boldness to do what God has called them to do.

Additional/Alternate Activities

Musical Review Game:

Activate a glow stick. With the girls still sitting in a circle, instruct them to pass around the stick as long as they hear music playing. When the music stops, the girl who is holding the glow stick will answer a question.

Allow the girls to play until most or all the girls have answered a question. Some questions might be repeated in order to hear a different perspective from a different girl.

1. What was Moses called to do?
2. Was Moses ever afraid to do what God had called him to do? How do you know?
3. Who spoke to Moses through a burning bush?
4. Did doing what God called him to do push Moses away from God or

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closer to Him?

5. Why did Moses' face glow?
6. Did spending time in God's presence help Moses fulfill his calling?
7. How can a person know what God has called her to do?
8. Do you know what God has called you to do? If so, what are you doing to prepare for that?
9. If someone is afraid to follow their calling, what should they do?
10. What bold step can you take to find out what God has called you to do and doing it?

Sing-A-Long:

Have a sing-a-long around the campfire. Allow girls to suggest their favorite songs from church and take a few moments to praise God in song.

Glow Journal

Instruct girls to find the Glow Bold page of their *Glow Journals*. Have them complete the writing prompt, "One thing that I feel God is calling me to do is . . .". Younger girls may draw a simple picture instead of writing.



Ideas for theme-related food!

We can't have a Nationwide Event without delicious food! The Shine Bright Glow Party theme gives you a wonderful opportunity to use your imagination and plan the best dinner for your group.

The Atmosphere

Consider darkening the room and serving by the light of candles, twinkle lights, or lanterns. Strategically placed black lights or glow sticks might add an element of fun. As a memento, you could give each girl a **Shine Bright Color-Changing Cup** for her drink.

Check out our Pinterest page for ideas: www.pinterest.com/natgirlsmin/

The Grub

Serve brightly colored fresh vegetables and fruits, as well as colorful main dishes and sides. Light up a brightly colored punch with glow sticks or black lights near the punch bowl. For dessert, serve sugar cookies in the shape of stars or covered in glittery sprinkles. Another option could be a bright orange or lime sherbet, or floats made with fruit-flavored sodas in a variety of bright colors.

Alternatively, consider serving a few kid-friendly dishes from Argentina to tie to the Coins for Kids project.

During the Meal

Encourage the girls to enjoy the company of those who are seated at the same table. Have each girl take a turn finishing the following sentence about each of her table mates. "I am thankful for (girl's name) because she shines bright by _____. Answers might include, "being a good friend," "writing amazing stories," "helping new girls feel welcome at church," or more. If they are seated at a table with someone they don't know, they can take the opportunity to ask that girl to tell them one thing about themselves instead. Have leaders do this first to give girls an example of how to encourage one another.

MORE BRIGHT IDEAS



Skin Care Expert

Invite a skincare expert to come and show the girls how to have glowing skin.



Blacklight Puppet Performance

If your church or a church in your area has a puppet team with blacklight puppets, invite them to come and perform for the girls.



Blacklight Praise Party

Turn on some blacklights and hand out glow sticks and invite the girls to move and sing along with their favorite Christian songs.



Rainbow Rice

Use neon food coloring to make different colors of rice. Put the rice in a tub or sensory bin and allow girls to dig in and play with plastic shovels, pails, etc.



Firefly Observation

If fireflies are present in your area, take the girls outside after dark to chase and observe fireflies.



Relay Race

Divide the group into equally numbered teams and have a relay race. Use a flashlight, glow stick, or similar object to pass off to the next member of the team.



Nail Polish

Set up a station for girls to paint their fingernails or toenails bright colors. Have nail polish remover handy and leaders on hand to assist the girls.



Glow-in-the-Dark Ring Toss

Take glow-in-the-dark sticks and connect them together to create rings. Have girls play ring toss with the glow-in-the-dark sticks.

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If paying by credit card, please make sure you have entered your email address and/or telephone number for us to contact you for your credit card information.

Shine Bright Glow Party	Price Each	Quantity	Total
15MW1597 Shine Bright Badge	\$.89 each		
15MW1598 Shine Bright Button, pack of 10	\$3.49; 10+ \$2.99 each		
17MW8273 Shine Bright Color-Changing Cup	\$1.49; 10+ \$1.29 each		
17MW8274 Shine Bright Canvas Tote Bag	\$2.49; 25+ \$1.99 each		
17MW8275 Shine Bright Glow in the Dark Bracelet, pack of 10	\$4.99 each		
17MW8276 Shine Bright Flashlight	\$1.99; 10+ \$1.79 each		
02MW1478 Shine Bright Devotional \$2.99; 10-49 \$1.99; 50-99 \$1.50; 100+ \$1.25 each			
08MW2690 Shine Bright T-Shirt Youth S	\$7.99 each		
08MW2691 Shine Bright T-Shirt Youth M	\$7.99 each		
08MW2692 Shine Bright T-Shirt Youth L	\$7.99 each		
08MW2693 Shine Bright T-Shirt Adult S	\$8.99 each		
08MW2694 Shine Bright T-Shirt Adult M	\$8.99 each		
08MW2695 Shine Bright T-Shirt Adult L	\$8.99 each		
08MW2696 Shine Bright T-Shirt Adult XL	\$8.99 each		
08MW2697 Shine Bright T-Shirt Adult 2XL	\$10.99 each		
08MW2698 Shine Bright T-Shirt Adult 3XL	\$12.99 each		

Postage Charges 8-14 business days

\$0.01-\$24.99 \$5.99 \$100.00-\$249.99 10%
 \$25.00-\$49.99 \$6.99 \$250.00 and over 9%
 \$50.00-\$99.99 \$7.99

Items nonreturnable
 after September 1, 2019.

Due to changes in carrier costs, shipping rates are subject to change.

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Product Order Form

Please order by August 1, 2019 to ensure product availability and timely delivery.



Coins for Kids	Price Each	Quantity	Total
73MW4943 Coins for Kids Offering Box	FREE		
73MW4933 Coins for Kids Promo Card	FREE		
17MW8043 Coins for Kids Bracelet (pkg of 10)	\$4.99 each		
71MW5249 Coins for Kids Button (pkg of 10) \$2.95; 10-24 \$2.45; 25+ \$1.95 each			
71MW5331 Coins for Kids Pennant Banner	\$29.95 each		
71MW5214 Coins for Kids Lip Balm	\$1.99 each		
71MW5212 Coins for Kids Translucent Purse	\$1.99 each		
71MW5213 Coins for Kids Beach Ball	\$1.99 each		
71MW5215 Coins for Kids Compact Mirror	\$1.99 each		

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Shipping _____
 Grand Total _____



Nationwide Event Report

Go to our website (ngm.ag.org) to
submit your offerings and/or an online report.
Printer-friendly forms are available on our website.



Church Name _____

Leader Name _____

Church Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Leader Phone _____ Date of Your Event (mm/dd/yy) _____

Language(s) commonly spoken during events: • English • Spanish • Other _____

Attendance Totals

Total Number of Girls _____ Number of Visitors _____ Number of Volunteers _____

Was a gospel presentation given with an opportunity to respond? YES or NO

How many girls responded to the gospel presentation? _____

Girls Minsitries Nationwide Event

1. How did you hear about the event? _____

2. On a scale of 1-10 (10 being highly effective), how would you rate the provided resources as contributing to the success of the event? 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

3. Was a Coins for Kids offering received during the event? YES NO

4. What elements did you find most helpful in the planning for your event? _____

5. What elements did the girls enjoy the most? _____

6. What kinds of help would you like to see in the future? _____

7. What elements of this event were of no benefit to you? _____

8. Were any Shine Bright products purchased from My Healthy Church for the event?

YES NO



Church Account # _____

Church Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Offering 278001-0200451 \$ _____

Make checks payable to Coins for Kids.

Mail to:

National Girls Ministries
1445 N. Boonville Ave.
Springfield, MO 65802



Envelopes must be postmarked by December 31, 2019.
All offerings received with a later postmark will go to the 2020 CFK project.



Annual Theme and Coins for Kids Survey



Please complete and return the survey below to the National Girls Ministries office.
Printer-friendly forms are available on our website.

National Girls Ministries Week/ Annual Theme

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| 1. Did your church emphasize Girls Ministries as part of NGM Week? | YES NO |
| 3. Did you use the Annual Theme Booklet? | YES NO |
| 4. Did you have prayer in your church for Girls Ministries? | YES NO |
| 5. Did you post the Theme Poster in your church? | YES NO |
| 6. Did you collect a National Girls Ministries Week offering? | YES NO |

Coins for Kids

How far in advance was the 2019 Coins for Kids Project promoted to the girls? _____

Rate on a scale of 1-10 (10 being highly effective) the effectiveness of the following resources in contributing to the success of the offering:

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|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| • Promo Cards | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A | • Promo Video | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A |
| • Offering Boxes | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A | • Fund-Raising Packet | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A |
| • Goal Sheet | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A | • Bracelet | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A |
| • Button | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A | • Pennant Banner | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A |
| • Lip Balm | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A | • Translucent Coin Purse | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A |
| • Compact Mirror | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A | | |

Social Media

What social media outlets assisted in the planning of the event?

- | | | |
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| • Pinterest YES NO N/A | • Facebook YES NO N/A | • Instagram YES NO N/A |
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Rate the following Nationwide Event components on a scale of 1 (lowest) to 5 (highest).

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|-----------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| • Event theme and Scripture verse | 1 2 3 4 5 | • Food, decor, and activity ideas | 1 2 3 4 5 |
| • Devotion | 1 2 3 4 5 | • Information on the Coins for Kids project | 1 2 3 4 5 |
| • Event products | 1 2 3 4 5 | • Event T-shirt | 1 2 3 4 5 |

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