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LEADER NEWSLETTER

January 2018



On behalf of the County Team, I would like to wish you all a Happy New Year! We hope you all enjoyed your Christmas break.

As this is the start of the new term, please remember to access GO and update your unit[s] records ready for the trial invoices. The trial invoices will be ready from noon on Tuesday 23 January 2018 until midnight on Monday 19 February. During this period you should check the number of active members on the trial invoice is correct and amend any records via GO if

required. The **Subscriptions 2018 Business Process** shows all the main steps you need to know about the process. You can download this from the Girlguiding website <http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/subs>

The year ahead is going to be a busy and exciting one...



Training Sessions

Training weekend January 20/21 at the Marriott

Everyone who sent in their booking form for training over this weekend should have received their confirmation for the session[s] they applied for. If you have not received confirmation, please contact Karen O'Connor, email hantseastadm@outlook.com

Training Calendar 2018

Please note that the venue for the First Response training on 16th September is Crofton Guide Centre and not Waterlooville Guide HQ as published in the training calendar. The electronic version has been updated with the correction and is now available on the County website.

[Training Calendar 2018](#)



Safe Space Level 1

A reminder that everyone who is listed on GO in your unit team needs to complete the Safe Space Level 1 module. Once the module has been completed, the certificate must be downloaded and saved or printed off. This must be kept in a safe place.

A Safe Space Level 1



World Thinking Day 2018

This year's World Thinking Day's theme is 'Impact', focusing on how girls are making a positive difference through Girl Guiding and Girl Scouting. February 22 also marks Olave Baden-Powell's birthday, a day where we celebrate our global Movement's 'birthday'.

For 2018, WAGGGS have decided to collect stories from 10 girls who have their birthdays on the same day as World Thinking Day and showcase how they make an impact.

This will require a photo plus a small portion of written text from each girl. The written portion will cover how birthdays are celebrated in their country and the positive impact they make as part of Girlguiding.

Please could you see if you are able to find a girl who has a birthday on 22 February and whether they would be able to complete the attached form [click on button below], and return it to International@girlguidng.org.uk by **Thursday 18 January**.

World Thinking Day 2018 Birthday



Going Away With Scheme

Claire Reed, County Outdoor Adviser, has produced some process maps detailing the procedure all leaders need to follow. These procedures are effective immediately.

Please click on the relevant button below to access the process map for existing leaders planning their pack holiday/camp and the process map for leaders wishing to work towards their Going Away With Licence.

Existing Licence Holders - Process Map

Going Away With Licence - Process Map



Baden-Powell Challenge Award

Can Guide Leaders ensure they have read the update about the future of the Baden-Powell award in the last GGUK newsletter and on the GGUK website: <https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/making-guiding-happen/how-were-being-our-best/updates-for-our-members/were-updating-our-awards/> It is being strongly advised that any Guide who wishes to do BP from now on should start no later than this month and aim to finish no later than June 2019. The award will not be available after August 2019 but Guides will be able to start on the new Guide awards from September this year.



UK Parliament Week 2017

UK Parliament Week 2017 was the biggest and most successful year yet. With **4,596 events** taking place across the UK, there was something for everyone to get involved with, and over **360,000 people participated** in some way.

Gosport were 9th in the top ten constituencies with the most Parliament week events.



A message from Jacqui Dixon

Jacqui will be in Australia from 23 January to 2 March and will not be responding to any e-mails during that time. If you have a training query between these dates, please contact Karen O'Connor and/or Kathy Davis or use the County team e-mail address. LQ folders should be sent to Kathy Davis for verification.

Sea Girls

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Dates for your Diary

2018

- 20 Jan Division Commissioners & teams [Marriott Hotel]
 - 20 Jan Leadership Day for New Leaders [Marriott Hotel]
 - 21 Jan Mentor training for existing mentors [Marriott Hotel]
 - 21 Jan Safe Space Training [Marriott Hotel]
 - 2 - 13 July Programme Renewal Training
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