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Girlguiding Hampshire East County

## LEADER NEWSLETTER

November 2019

### SUBSCRIPTIONS



#### Annual Subscriptions 2020

The amount for the 2020 Annual Subscription is broken down as follows: National = £16 [a 3% inflation only increase from 2019], Region = £10.50 [an increase of 60p] and County = £5.50 [a decrease of 10p], making a total of £32 per member.

NOTE: your Division may add their contribution to this amount.



# Membership, Growth and Retention Working Party

## **Membership, Growth & Retention**

The Membership, Growth & Retention [MGR] team have developed a marketing plan, which has a lot of useful ideas but they cannot all be done at once, so we will have to concentrate on one goal at a time.

Our first goal will be to recruit Rainbow Leaders. Some Divisions have a greater need than others but all Divisions will be assisted. The MGR team are meeting with the Division Commissioners on 8th November to discuss how this can be achieved and what support is need from all Leaders.

Members of the team will be attending the Region MGR conference on 23rd November. The keynote speaker will be Laura Cottey, Girlguiding Lead Volunteer MGR, and we will hear what other Divisions and Islands are doing MGR wise.

Liz Dunning



## **Email Addresses**

Under the General Data Protection Regulations, Girlguiding members must not be using their family email address for guiding related correspondence. All Girlguiding members should have their own individual email address. If you are currently using a family email address for guiding purposes, please set up your own individual email address and ensure your GO record is updated accordingly.

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**Hampshire East**  
**County Brownie Activity Weekend - Isle of Wight**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

Calling all Brownie Leaders!

Why not bring your Brownies and join us for a fun, action packed adventure weekend at the Kingswood Activity Centre, Bembridge I.O.W, in October, next year.

This exciting venue offers a wide range of water sports and indoor/outdoor activities to suit Brownies' interests and age range.

Included in the price is travel by ferry from Portsmouth, food, accommodation and all the activities, from Friday evening, to mid-afternoon on Sunday.

Cost £120 per girl.

The price for Adult leaders accompanying the girls is £50 each, within a 1:6 ratio. Additional adults £70 each.

As it is a county event, we can also take Brownies without their own leaders so please make sure everyone has a chance to come. A non-returnable deposit is required by 17<sup>th</sup> November.

Make sure you look out for an application form and further details being sent out to Brownie Leaders. Places will be allocated on a first come, deposit paid basis as we anticipate a good response.

Nicky Bull

County Events Co-ordinator

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### **Adventurers from CyberFirst**

On Saturday 15th February 2020, South West Region are holding a CyberFirst event for Guides and Rangers aged 10 to 14 at Bristol Business School. The event is designed to showcase the varied roles and jobs that both exist and involve the use of technology in the workplace, to enthuse and inspire girls into an interest in technology. It is also designed to counter the stereotype that computer science is a subject that only leads to jobs in programming and coding.

Full details can be found by clicking here: [Adventurers-from-cyberfirst](#)

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### **Early 2020 Training Date for your Diaries**

Leadership Qualification training day - Saturday 25th January 2020  
Safe Space Levels 2 & 3 - Sunday 26th January 2020

Full details of the 2020 Training Programme will be available with the next newsletter. To book onto any of these courses please use the booking form which can be found on the County website.

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### **County Training - Certificates**

Currently, when you attend training in the County, a 'paper' certificate is handed to you upon completion of the session. Starting immediately, an email will be sent out instead confirming the date and training attended for all training sessions, apart from First Response and First Response Renewal.

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### **Long Service Awards**

Congratulations to the following Unit Helpers and Leaders on gaining their service awards:

#### **5 Year Service Award**

Kate Humby - Fareham  
Katherine Hoad - Fareham

#### **10 Year Service Award**

Gudrun Hoad - Fareham  
Immi Dunning - Fareham  
Vicky Langford - Gosport South

#### **20 Year Service Award**

Carol France - Fareham  
Karen Drayton - Portsmouth North  
Liane Crosby - Portsmouth South  
Nicky Hammond - Meon Valley  
Nicola Gilbert - Meon Valley  
Sallyann Smith - Meon Valley  
Sheena Dawson - Gosport South  
Susan Squire - Gosport South  
Tracy Blades - Portsmouth North  
Vicky Langford - Gosport South

#### **30 Year Award**

Brenda Pitt - Gosport South  
Christine Smalley - Petersfield  
Jacqui Anderson - Petersfield  
Stacey Carter - Horndean

#### **40 Year Award**

Brenda Scott - Gosport South  
Heather Scott - Fareham  
Lesley Stubbs - Portsmouth North

#### **50 Year Award**

Linda Wynne - Portsmouth South

#### **County Silver Standard Award**

Congratulations to the following who were presented with the County Silver Standard Award:

Jane Beveridge - Horndean

Louise O'Sullivan - Bere Forest  
Nikki Munday - Portsmouth North

#### **County Gold Standard Award**

Congratulations to the following who were presented with the County Gold Standard Award:

Gillian Lovegrove - Fareham  
Kate Oliver - Fareham

#### **Leadership Qualification**

Congratulations to the following leader on gaining her Leadership Qualification:

Bethany Vartan [modules 1-4] - Titchfield  
Gini Cooling [modules 1-4] - Titchfield  
Rosanna Gray [modules 1-4] - Petersfield  
Stephanie Pinhorn [module 1 Guides] - Petersfield



#### **Dates for your Diary**

##### **2019**

20 Nov First Response Renewal Training  
24 Nov Safe Space Level 3  
24 Nov LQ Day for New Leaders

##### **2020**

25 Jan Leadership Qualification training  
26 Jan Safe Space Levels 2 & 3  
2-4 Oct County Brownie Activity Weekend

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