

Wednesday Weekly 15 August 2018

We hope that you have all had a lovely summer break, and that you will enjoy being back at your units soon, for the start of another exciting term!
Here's your busy news for the week!

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NEW PROGRAMME

We hope you have had a chance to look at the new programme? You do have a year to implement it, and there are elearning modules on the Girlguiding UK website, follow this link. <https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/making-guiding-happen/learning-and-development/information-for-trainers/training-resources/programme-training-resources/>

SHARE YOUR STORIES

With the biggest programme revamp in our history now rolling out ... we'd love to see and hear about all the exciting things those units using the new programme are getting up to under each of the 6 themes!

Either post photos/text in the Leaders Facebook Group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/GirlguidingEdinburghLeaders/> or send the photos and a wee story to us at girlguidingedin.news@gmail.com Let us know if we can share these on our social media channels!

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A NEW CHALLENGE?

Are you looking for a new challenge? We currently have vacancies in Division and District Commissioner roles across the County. If you would be interested in these great opportunities, please contact Fiona at EHQ admin@girlguiding-edinburgh.org.uk or 0131 225 4154

INTERNATIONAL EVENING - REMINDER

Tuesday 18th September 2018 At EHQ 7:30pm come and hear from those who travelled the world with Guiding in 2018. RSVP by 7th Sept: admin@girlguiding-edinburgh.org.uk / 0131 225 4154 Light Refreshments will be served

EDINBURGH VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT FAIR

We are looking for volunteers to attend a slot on our Girlguiding Edinburgh stand at Edinburgh's Volunteer Recruitment Fair on Wednesday 19 September, 11am to 7pm at St Paul's and St George's Church on York Place, EH1 3RH. Please email Rhian, Membership Coordinator at edincounty.recruitment@gmail.com if you can attend.

EDINBURGH COLLEGE FRESHERS' FAIRS

We are looking for volunteers to attend a slot on our Girlguiding Edinburgh stand at Edinburgh College Freshers' Fair on :

- Monday 3 September, 10 am-2 pm (Sighthill Campus)
- Wednesday 5 September, 10 am-2 pm (Milton Road)
- Thursday 6 September, 10 am -2 pm (Granton)

The aim is to raise awareness of Girlguiding in Edinburgh and to hopefully recruit more leaders/helpers. Please email Rhian, Membership Coordinator at edincounty.recruitment@gmail.com if you can attend.

COUNTY BP ADVENTURES

The County BP Adventure to Dalguise in October is full. If anyone drops out, their place will be advertised in Wednesday Weekly.

The Baden Powell Award does not feature in the new programme and the last BP Adventure will in the autumn of 2019. County BP Adventures will be held 1-2 June and 7-8 September 2019. Clermiston District are also hoping to hold BP Adventures which will be opened up to the rest of the County. Details will be advertised in Wednesday Weekly and on the website nearer the time of these events.

REN FORMS – DEADLINES FOR SUBMISSION

Please remember the submission time for Part 1 (12 weeks prior to event but 9-18 months if international/large scale) and Part 2 (4 weeks prior to event) of the new REN form become compulsory on 1 September 2018.

WHO'S WHO?

As the County register is no longer available due to the new GDPR legislation (General Data Protection Regulation) you can contact people through GO. This can be done by choosing directory at the top of your screen, then say, for example, you are looking for someone from the Outdoors Team, you can put in the search box ***outdoor*** and it will then give you a list of the team.

County Directory

Use asterisk (*) wildcard character to search on partial text

Individual	Level	Role Type	Alternative Title	Parent Level (Level)	Actions
Ann Nicoll	City Of Edinburgh County	County Outdoor Activity Adviser	Chair of Stanemuir Committee - County Outdoor Activities Adviser (Lead)	Scotland Country/Region	
Ann Urquhart	City Of Edinburgh County	County Outdoor Activity Adviser	Assistant County Outdoor Activity Adviser - Brownies	Scotland Country/Region	
Eleanor Birch	City Of Edinburgh County	County Walking Adviser	County Outdoor Activities Adviser (Walking)	Scotland Country/Region	
Helen McPhee	City Of Edinburgh County	County Residential Adviser	County Camp Adviser - County Outdoor Activities Adviser (Residential Experiences)	Scotland Country/Region	
Jennifer Hamilton	City Of Edinburgh County	County Outdoor Activity Adviser	Lead - County Outdoor Activities Adviser (Lead)	Scotland Country/Region	

At “actions” you can then choose communicate with a contact, they will get an email to say that they have correspondence in their GO email box.

Once you have dealt with a message you have received, you can choose “close” from the dropdown at the side, and it will remove the email from your GO inbox.

Some useful contacts that we can give you are:

- Susan Brown – County Commissioner edincounty.susan@gmail.com
- Emma Lyon – County Commissioner edincounty.emma@gmail.com
- Fiona Chisholm – County Administrator & Finance Assistant admin@girlguiding-edinburgh.org.uk
- Rhian Peebles – County Membership Co-ordinator
- Julia Taylor – County Treasurer edincounty.treasurer@gmail.com
- Elizabeth Paterson – Business, Management & Finance edincounty.business@gmail.com
- Claire Morrison – Guiding Development edincounty.gd@gmail.com
- Alison Fitch – Marketing & Communications girlguidingedin.marcom@gmail.com
- Mhara Brown – Queens Guide Co-Ordinator ggedinburgh@outlook.com
- Sarah Rhynas – Additional Needs Adviser sarah@rhynas.co.uk
- Alison McNab – International Adviser intadvisoredinburgh@outlook.com
- edincounty.recruitment@gmail.com
- Dorothy Walker – Chairperson Edinburgh County Trefoil Guilds dorothynewleith@outlook.com
- Outdoors Team – edincounty.outdoors@gmail.com

ALL RENS MUST GO TO THE SAME EMAIL ADDRESS WHICH CAN BE ACCESSED BY ALL THE RELEVANT COUNTY ADVISERS – ggedinburghren@gmail.com

ERROR IN BROWNIE BADGE BOOK

There is a significant error on page 61 of the new Brownie Badge book relating to the First Aid Stage 2 Skill Builder. Please amend all badge books in your possession (and until further notice) to remove the word "not" immediately before "breathing" in the Lie Back and Recover section of this page.

This is an error with the badge book for Brownies only. Rainbows and skill builder packs are unaffected. HQ are aware and future runs will be edited accordingly.