



The Bharat Scouts and Guides

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To
All the State Secretaries,
State Associations of
The Bharat Scouts and Guides,
INDIAN UNION



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**SUB: ACTIVITY PACK - CELEBRATION OF INTERNATIONAL DAY OF GIRL 2022 (IDG)
- 11TH OCTOBER.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters!

International Day of the Girl is an annual and internationally recognized observance on 11 October was declared International Day of the Girl (IDG) by the United Nations in 2012. Ever since, Girl Guides and Girl Scouts around the world have been celebrating IDG every year. It is a key moment for us to come together to raise up girls' voices, and show how our Movement empowers girls and young women to shape the world they want to see all year long.

Why is our theme #GirlsSpeakUp?

We have made the commitment to become a girl-led Movement by 2032 . To be truly girl-led means that, at all levels from local to global, we must create every opportunity we can to provide a brave space so that girls can speak up about their feelings, experiences and opinions.

This is why our 2022 International Day of the Girl activity pack is not only a series of engaging activities for girls to incorporate into their meetings, but it is also a global #ListenToGirls youth consultation!

For many adults in our Movement, the idea of facilitating a youth consultation may seem daunting. We hope that by following the steps laid out in this #GirlsSpeakUp activity pack, you will discover how simple (and rewarding) it is to consult your Girl Guides and Girl Scouts in a way that is Relevant, Exciting, Accessible and Learner-led (R.E.A.L).

What does Girl Guiding/Girl Scouting mean to you? What do you wish to experience and learn about through Girl Guiding and Girl Scouting? The games and activities in this #GirlsSpeakUp activity pack will enable girls to share their feelings, experiences and opinions in relation to these questions:

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What do you wish to experience and learn about through Girl Guiding and Girl Scouting?

As part of the #ListenToGirls youth consultation, you will make a pledge to use the information you gather to implement activities which are more girl-led and aligned with girls' interests and needs. WAGGGS will use the information you provide from your youth consultation to develop initiatives which are R.E.A.L for the girls all across our Movement and advocate on the issues important to them.

How to complete the pack

The games and activities suggested in this pack can be adapted to suit girls of all ages and groups of all sizes. They emphasise girl choice and can be experienced in person or virtually depending on your local context. Your group may also create your own activities to do in order to meet the objectives of the first three parts of the #ListenToGirls youth consultation. Parts four and five must be completed as written.

Steps to complete the #ListenToGirls youth consultation and earn the #GirlsSpeakUp badge: The activity pack is enclosed for your ready reference.

The activity photos and report should be sent to the Bharat Scouts and Guides National Headquarters, New Delhi on or before **20th September, 2022.**

Who can participate :

- Cub /Bulbul/Scouts/Guides/Rovers/Rangers and Adult Leaders registered with the Bharat Scouts and Guides.
- Eligibility: quality of work and also depend on the Sharing on social media to be appropriate with the all the platforms.

The programme is initiated to engage our members to speak up and celebrate the International Day of Girl, hence we request all the State Associations to give wider publicity for this competition and motivate more and more members to join the event and brief report and action photographs of all the activities sent to National Headquarters.

The Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters is organising the webinar on **11th October, 2022** for the Celebration of International Day of Girl 2022 at National level to participate all the State Associations for this event.

Thanking you,

Yours in Guiding,



(SUREKHA SHRIVASTAVA)
DY. DIRECTOR (GIRL PROGRAMME)

Encl.: Activity Pack.

Copy to:-

1. All the NHQ Office Bearers of the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters.
2. Chairman/Secretary, Railway Scout and Guide Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shahid Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi - 110016.
4. The Commissioner, Navadaya Vidyalaya Samiti, Institutional Area, B-15, Sector - 62, Noida, Uttar Pradesh - 201309.
5. All the District Secretaries, District Association of Dammam, Riyadh, Muscat and Jamiat Youth Club.
6. All Assistant Director, Bharat Scouts and Guides for follow-up.