

The Bharat Scouts and Guides

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National Headquarters

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



Circular No.: 164 / 2023
Date : 31st August, 2023

SUB: CALL FOR ASIA PACIFIC YOUNG WOMEN IN GOVERNANCE NETWORK.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters.

The Bharat Scouts and Guides is glad to inform you that Call for "Asia Pacific Young Women in Governance Network" is **NOW OPEN!** We request you to nominate one young woman (aged 30 or under) from your state association to participate in a one-year long programme where they will learn about aspects of governance and then have the chance to experience governance in a supported environment.

This programme is designed to be a 'taster' of governance by APR Region of WAGGGS. It will introduce participants to governance within WAGGGS and some of the skills that they can further develop. Please note it is not a comprehensive course or a 'qualification' programme.

The details of the event are as follow:

Name of the Event	:	Asia Pacific Young Women in Governance Network
Network period	:	November 2023 to November 2024 (12 months)
Who can participate	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rangers and Unit leaders aged 30 or under• Ready to commit to attending a monthly 1.5 hrs online session• Approximately 30 minutes of preparatory work before each session• Have some interest and knowledge in governance• Willing to give the knowledge back in the communities
Programme will be divided into three phases	:	<p>Discovery- Meet each other, Learn about the different elements of governance within Member Organisations and decision-making structures within WAGGGS.</p> <p>Develop- Have taster sessions in key skills identified for Governance, think about their interests and how they can further develop these within their communities and Member Organisations.</p> <p>Practice- Sessions simulating Board meetings and decision making processes.</p>

Commitment from Participants	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend and actively participate in all sessions. Complete any pre-session tasks as required
Note	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Should be a part of the WAGGGS Volunteer Pool. If you are not a part of the WAGGGS volunteer pool yet and willing to join, fill out the attached form with the circular and send it along with the endorsement from the District, State association. Duly endorsed applications to reach the National Headquarters on or before 20th September 2023.
There may be the opportunity next year for selected members of this group to meet in person.		
Last Date of Application	:	Kindly send the duly filled application forms with district/state endorsement to wagggs@bsgindia.org on or before 20th September 2023.

State Associations are requested to circulate these opportunities within their States/ Districts for interested members to apply.

For any queries feel free to contact the undersigned on +917666392611.

Thanking you with regards,

Yours sincerely,

(DARSHANA PAWASKAR)
JOINT DIRECTOR OF GUIDES
(PROGRAMME AND TRAINING)

Encl.:

- 1. Guideline for AP YW in Governance Network**
- 2. Volunteer Resource Pool Recommendation Form**

Copy to:-

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