

## **GUIDELINES FOR ASIA PACIFIC LEADERSHIP AWARDS-(Guide Wing)**

### **Aim**

To recognize achievement of leaders from the Asia Pacific Regional countries.

### **Categories of Award:**

There are three types of awards:

1. Asia Pacific Leadership Award for Troop/Unit Leaders.
2. Asia Pacific Leadership Award for District/State Commissioners.
3. Asia Pacific Leadership Award for Service to Girl Guiding.

### **Description**

1. Awards are presented annually after the recommendation from the Asia Pacific Regional Committee.
2. A certificate and an award pin will be presented to the awardees.
3. The Pin may be worn in and out of uniform.

### **Criteria for Asia Pacific Leadership Award for Troop/Unit Leaders**

Nominee must:

1. Be an active member of the District Associations with a valid BSG UID.
2. Hold a valid warrant or certificate or its equivalent to demonstrate that she qualifies to lead girls/young women in the troop/unit.
3. Achieve recognition at national level as an outstanding unit leader, either in the form of an award, certificate or equivalent credentials.
4. Have made a significant contribution in motivating the girls in her unit.
5. Develop herself and in her role as adult leader to girls/young women.
6. **Conduct activities along with her unit on the initiatives below and submit a detail report in the log book.**
  - a) Menstrual Hygiene day - 28<sup>th</sup> May.
  - b) International day for Girl child. - 11th October.
  - c) International Women Day - 8th March
  - d) 16 days of activism against gender based violence - 25 November to 10 December

7. Have a positive and constructive relationship with the girls/young women in her troop/unit. Have the complete unit registered on the OYMS of BSG.

### **Criteria for Asia Pacific Leadership Award for District/State Leaders**

Nominee must:

1. Be an active member of her State Associations with a valid BSG UID.
2. Hold a valid warrant or certificate or its equivalent to demonstrate that she qualifies to lead adults in the District/State (or equivalent level).
3. Achieve recognition at national level as an outstanding District/State leader, either in the form of an award, certificate or equivalent credentials.
4. Continue to develop herself and in the role as a District/State leader for adults.
5. Have made a significant contribution as a volunteer in her District/State in empowering Girls and Leaders in the last 10 years
6. Have influenced and helped another atleast 5 adult leaders to be a District/State leader.
7. **Conduct activities along with her unit on the initiatives below and submit a detail report in the log book.**
  - a) *Menstrual Hygiene day - 28th May.*
  - b) *International day for Girl child. - 11th October.*
  - c) *International Women Day - 8th March*
  - d) *16 days of activism against gender based violence - 25 November to 10 December*
7. Have promoted a balanced representation of age in decision-making positions at her District/State and have a positive and constructive relationship with the girls/young women in her District/State.

### **Criteria for Asia Pacific Leadership Award for Service to Girl Guiding**

Nominee must:

1. Be employed a volunteer full-time by the State Association for at least 10 years
2. Have consistently performed her job responsibilities at a level above and beyond normal expectations.
3. Have given significant contribution to the promotion of Asia Pacific and WAGGGS within and outside the organization.
4. Is a role model to other staff/ volunteers.
5. For Professional only - engage volunteer and staff involvement beyond job, within and outside the organization.
6. For Professionals only - have continued to personally develop in their role as professional staff.
7. The professional at State Associations who have motivated at least 20 Guides and Leaders to develop is enhancing the personnel skills.
8. **Conduct activities along with her unit on the initiatives below and submit a detail report in the log book.**

- a) *Menstrual Hygiene day - 28th May.*
- b) *International day for Girl child. - 11th October.*
- c) *International Women Day - 8th March*
- d) *16 days of activism against gender based violence - 25 November to 10 December*

### **Ways of Work**

1. Applications to the awards are open to all Members of Guide Wing.
2. Each State Associations may nominate:
  - a. Not more than **10** candidates per year for the AP Leadership Award – Troop/Unit Leaders.
  - b. Not more than **5** candidates per year for the AP Leadership Award – District/State leaders.
  - c. Not more than **2** candidates per year for the AP Leadership Award for Service to Girl Guiding.
3. Log book to be prepared point wise as per points given in the Guidelines above.

4. Earlier Asia Pacific award certificate copy to be attached if received award in the earlier category.
5. An awardee can only be awarded once in a lifetime for each type of category.
6. An awardee can only be awarded no more than one type of award in a year.