

# Service Mail



7 May 2026

You have received this mail because you are a volunteer with Girlguiding Buckinghamshire.

Hello {{ contact.FIRSTNAME | default : "Volunteer" }}

I hope everyone is enjoying the sunshine when it makes an appearance and beginning to look ahead to some lovely outdoor meetings and activities with the girls.

I'm really looking forward to catching up with many of you at Competition Hikes this Saturday.

We have some fantastic events taking place across the county, so please remember to check out our [events](#) page. You can also download a copy of our Bucks Whizz newsletter, which contains lots of useful information, from our county [website](#).

Best wishes  
Janet Smith  
County commissioner  
Girlguiding Bucks

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## Training dates

### Upcoming 1st response trainings

- **6 June 2026** - Herons Lodge
- **27 June 2026** - Princes Risborough
- **19 September 2026** - Herons Lodge
- **10 October 2026** - Beaconsfield
- **21 November 2026** - Heron's Lodge
- **28 November 2026** - Princes Risborough

Please see the [county calendar](#) for details. Click on your preferred date and follow the instructions.

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## Messages from Region

### Peer Education Training Weekend - 25 to 27 September 2026

Girlguiding Anglia's next peer education training weekend will take place at Heron's Lodge in Milton Keynes from 25th–27th September. Peer educators are young members aged 14–25 who

support Brownies, Guides and Rangers in exploring important topics. Please note that this is the only training weekend in Anglia for 2026. You can book your place [HERE](#).

If you have any questions, please email [peereducation@girlguidingbucks.org.uk](mailto:peereducation@girlguidingbucks.org.uk)

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## Messages from HQ

### Applications open for Helen Storrow seminar

Applications are now open for a Girlguiding member aged 18–25 who is passionate about sustainable energy and environmental sustainability to be nominated to attend the [Helen Storrow Seminar 2027](#), a WAGGGS leadership development event focused on environmental action.

The seminar takes place from 23 to 30 January 2027 at Our Chalet, Switzerland, and is fully funded by Girlguiding.

**Applications close at 9am on 11 May 2026.**

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### County connections

We would like all our members to feel connected through our communications. There are a few things that you can do to keep in touch with all that is going on across the county.

- You can change your settings on Go and **opt in** to marketing so that the county team can include you in future mailings.
- You can join or follow Girlguiding Buckinghamshire on Facebook and Instagram.

We have a special Facebook group just for Girlguiding Buckinghamshire members which you can join using the button below.

Join members group

We also have a public facing page called **GirlguidingBuckinghamshire** which replaces our old public page. This page can be viewed by anyone. You can follow us using the button below.

Follow the Facebook page

Use the button below to check out and follow us on Instagram.

Follow us on Instagram

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