

1st RESPONSE RENEWAL

Tuesday 9 October 2018- 6.30pm-8.30pm

Your 1st Response training is valid for three years from the date that you complete the course. This is a refresher for those who have already attended the full day training course to ensure your knowledge is up to date. Once completed the qualification will be valid for three years. For more details and how to book, visit the county [website](#).

MENTORS AIR AND SHARE EVENING

Wednesday 17 October 2018- 7.30pm-9pm

A chance to look at the new programme and see how it will impact the mentoring of leaders in training; there will also be opportunities to ask questions and discuss new procedures in the region. For details on how to book, visit the county [website](#).

GIRLGUIDING NOTTINGHAMSHIRE HOODIES

Order your Nottinghamshire Hoodies by 29 October 2018

The hoodies are available in navy blue or purple & come in a range of sizes with the county logo embroidered on the front to the side. The hoodies are made to order, and the next order will be placed at the beginning of November for delivery in December. If we do not receive your payment by the closing date your hoodie will not be ordered. The cost is £20 per hoodie plus £3.00 for P&P if required, use promo code 'no postage required' to deduct the cost of the £3.00. Please note these do not replace official Guiding uniform. For more information, including a size guide & to place an order, visit the County [website](#).

COUNTY SINGING CIRCLE

Monday 15 October 2018 - Guide HQ - 7.30pm-9pm

Do you enjoy singing, even if you're not too good at keeping in tune? Then why not join us for a fun evening of singing? No need to audition, we meet throughout the year and take it in turns to choose the songs - the programme usually consists of Guide songs. All are welcome. For a full list of meeting dates, visit the County [website](#).

COUNTY FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Saturday 10 November - 12pm - 3pm - Beeston Guide HQ

The next meeting of the County Friendship Circle is on Saturday 10 November 12pm-3pm at Beeston Guide HQ and is a bring-&-share lunch. New members are always welcome. For further information contact julie.surgey@ntlworld.com

SAVE THE DATE...

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY TRAINING

Saturday 17 November 2018, venue & time tbc

A day to learn about the new programme with section specific training sessions - a Safe Space training will also be available. This is also an opportunity to meet other leaders & share ideas and experiences. Come in the morning, afternoon, or for the whole day - whichever suits you. For all leaders, leaders in training, unit helpers, & young leaders aged 16+. Details on the County [website](#) soon.

WOW - GUIDE, RANGER & YOUNG LEADER DAY - OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN THE PLANNING GROUP

Event date: Sunday 7 April 2019 - First planning meeting: Wednesday 17 October 2018

For Guides aged 12+, Rangers and young leaders aged up to & including 18. Find out about the exciting opportunities available to you as an older Guide, Ranger, young leader and beyond. With activities, workshops & stalls, plus opportunities to meet with other members your age. You'll can also find out about the new programme & meet members of the county team. We're setting up a planning group of young members to help & guide us with the organisation of the day. The first meeting is on Wednesday 17 October, 7pm, Guide HQ in Carlton. If you know of any Guides, Rangers or young leaders (aged 12+) who would be interested, email acckh@girlguidingnottinghamshire.org.uk. Likewise, spread the word about the event to encourage young members to attend!

BROWNIE BLAST 2019 - SAVE THE DATE

Friday 18 - Sunday 20 October 2019 - PGL Caythorpe

An action-packed weekend just for Brownies, with adventurous activities, from climbing and abseiling to a giant swing and zip wire. This exclusive weekend will include full board accommodation for two nights, all adventure activities and lots of guiding fun with Brownies from across Nottinghamshire. Booking will be open on the County website very soon.

COMING UP SOON...

Date	Event	Contact
9 October	FIRST RESPONSE RENEWAL, Guide HQ, 6.30-8.30pm	Guide HQ
15 October	COUNTY SINGING CIRCLE, Guide HQ, 7.30-9pm	Anne Allery
17 October	MENTOR EVENING, Guide HQ, 7.30-9pm	Guide HQ
17 October	WOW- GUIDE PLANNING MEETING, Guide HQ, 7pm	Kayleigh Hunt
22 October	SAFE SPACE TRAINING LEVEL 2, Paxdien, 7pm-9pm	Guide HQ
27 October	COUNTY SHOP CLOSED	County Shop
31 October	COUNTY SHOP CLOSED	County Shop

WALKING SCHEME LEVEL 2 - TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT WEEKEND

Friday 2 - Sunday 4 November 2018, Hope Valley, Derbyshire

For those wishing to take girls out walking further afield (Peak District, Yorkshire Dales etc) a weekend of training, or (if training is already completed) assessment. Cost is £90 which includes accommodation, food & training. Those wishing to gain some log book walks can come for £65, this includes food & accommodation. Email walking@girlguidingnottinghamshire.org.uk for info & a booking form.

NATIONAL GAMES OF REMEMBRANCE FOOTBALL MATCH - FREE TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR GIRLGUIDING NOTTINGHAMSHIRE UNITS

Thursday 8 November - 7pm kick off - Notts County FC and Nottingham Forest FC

The National Games of Remembrance is a project for anyone interested in football to find out about & remember football's important role in World War 1. One of the games on Thursday 8 November 2018 is scheduled for a 7pm kick off & there are free tickets on offer for Girlguiding Nottinghamshire units. The match will have a youth friendly Fan Zone which will focus on history, fun, information, music & football. The match experience will include loads of activities, displays, military music & will create a very special commemoration occasion in full partnership with the German Armed Forces. The organisation is looking to provide as many free tickets to organised community group trips in the region, as possible, including Girlguiding Nottinghamshire. It may also be possible for them to fund coach/bus travel for some groups. If you're interested, visit the County [website](#) for more information.

MEGAMIX 2019 - BOOKING NOW OPEN

Saturday 10 - Wednesday 14 August 2019 - Beaudesert Campsite, Staffordshire

A festival-style camp for Guides, Rangers, young leaders and leaders. With live bands, adventurous activities, creative arts, relaxation sessions and much more! Prices from £120 per girl (£105 early bird price if booked by 31st October 2018) with adults at £60 (£45 early bird if booked by 31st October 2018). For more information visit the [Girlguiding Midlands website](#).

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY SHOP

The whole team at the Girlguiding Nottinghamshire shop would like to say a massive thank you to everyone who has used the shop to buy their new programme materials. We have been amazed by the number of orders while trying to get our heads around the new programme as well, so thank you for bearing with us! In one month, we have sold over 200 Rainbow badge books, 500 Brownie badge books, 300 Guide badge books and nearly 100 Ranger books! Don't forget we are now open until October half term, when we will be closed on Saturday 27 and Wednesday 31 October 2018. If you have any special needs, please do call or email in advance to see if we have the stock, we are happy to help. We look forward to seeing you there! Find out more about the shop on the County [website](#).

WALKING SCHEME LEVEL 3 - TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT AND HML TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT

Monday 15 - Thursday 18 April 2019, Waddow Hall, Lancashire

For those passionate about taking their girls out walking well off the beaten track (Lake District, Dark Peak, Snowdonia etc). Cost £225 which includes meals, accommodation and training. Please email waddow@girlguiding.org.uk or 01200 423 186. Please also let Rachel Goldby on walking@girlguidingnottinghamshire.org.uk know if you intend going!

HANSON HOUSE - LOST PROPERTY

A wrist watch has been found at Hanson House, which may have been there for some time. If you think it may be yours, please contact Dorothy Jowitt at Hanson@girlguidingnottinghamshire.org.uk with the make and colour.

NOTTINGHAM PLAYHOUSE PANTOMIME TICKET INFORMATION

For units wishing to go to this year's Nottingham Playhouse Pantomime Robin Hood, the youth group rate is £12 for children on Monday to Thursday performances on the following dates: Mon 3 Dec - Thu 20 Dec 2018 & Wed 9 Jan - Thu 17 Jan 2019. Leaders' rate is that 1 leader pays youth group price per every 6 children. Additional adults pay standard pricing. Tickets need to be reserved in advance & paid for 6 weeks prior to the performance date. No deposits, administration, or postage fees. To reserve tickets or find out more contact the Box Office on 0115 941 9419 & quote 'Youth Group'.

Dates for your Diary...

Date	Event	Contact
2 - 4 November	WALKING SCHEME LEVEL 2, Hope Valley, Derbyshire	Rachel Goldby
8 November	NATIONAL GAMES OF REMEMBRANCE, Notts County FC & Nottingham Forest FC, 7pm	See County website
17 November	COUNTY TRAINING DAY, venue & time tbc	Guide HQ
10 December	COUNTY SINGING CIRCLE, Guide HQ, 7.30-9pm	Anne Allery