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Newsletter 2022

- A message from the County Commissioner -

This Month was International Women's Day. When I look around our county, we have so many inspirational women. I believe that every one of you are an inspiration to our young members who you Lead, Guide and Nurture to be tomorrow's Women. Guiding has such an impact upon their Growth and Development through the opportunities we provide.

The World's current situation saddens me. As we were starting to reopen from COVID, we now see and hear about the atrocities happening in the Ukraine. International Guiding holds a special place in my heart and there has been a lot of support from units which has been fantastic. But, please can I draw your attention to the WAGGGS Appeal and to the Girlguiding Cymru Support Ukraine Badge.

Thank you to Yr Dderwyn Division for inviting me to Beth Williams thank you meal who had completed her service as Div Com. Its was lovely to meet you all and just spend time socially. Thank you Beth for your leadership and support during what has been challenging times for Guiding.

Our membership in Central Glamorgan has not significantly changed over the past year. It's been a difficult 2 years. Thank you for all you have done to continue Guiding in your area. We have all been affected in different ways by what's happened, and we have all dealt with the situation in different ways. This year Lets Grow Guiding. You make such an impact upon our members. Our young members need Guiding More than ever. They have miss out on so much. Guiding helps develop so many skills for their future.

Julie Thomas

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50p from each badge will be split between

 WORLD ASSOCIATION OF GIRL GUIDES AND GIRL SCOUTS EMERGENCY APPEAL



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Pre-order Badges £1.20 each
Shipping costs apply



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Competition Time!

Could your unit be the winners of the new county logo?
Do your girls want a new logo or would they like to fill
the gap?

Please design your logo either circle, square, rectangle
and include the trefoil and the wording "Girlguiding
Central Glamorgan County". Send your design to
pr.girlguidingcg@gmail.com

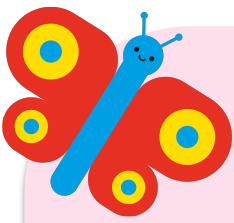


Face coverings: Welsh Government Guidance From 28/02/2022

You must still wear face coverings in shops, health and social care settings and on public transport.

There is no longer a legal requirement for you to wear a face covering in other indoor public places.

Leaders are permitted to request that members age 11+ wear masks on a voluntary basis if there are vulnerable members in the unit.

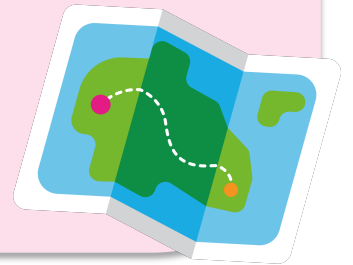


Pontypridd Division

Kelly Allen and Kim Brown represented the Pontypridd Division at a “community saints” award held in at David’s uniting church, Pontypridd this morning.

The division was nominated for the work and opportunities given to the girls weekly especially with the pandemic where we sent stuff out or offered zoom sessions.

The award was presented by the high sheriff of Glamorgan to us and was well received.



2nd Beddau Brownies

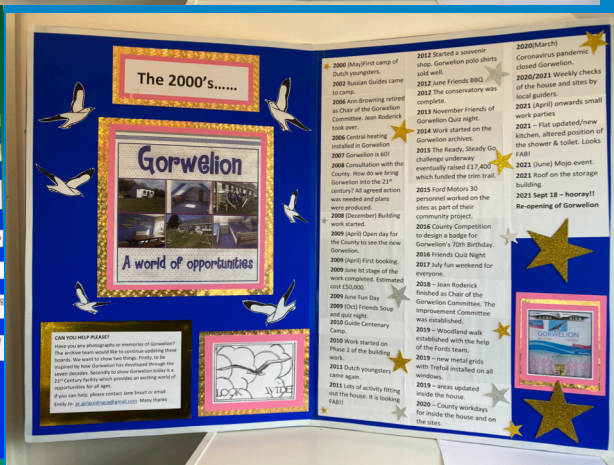
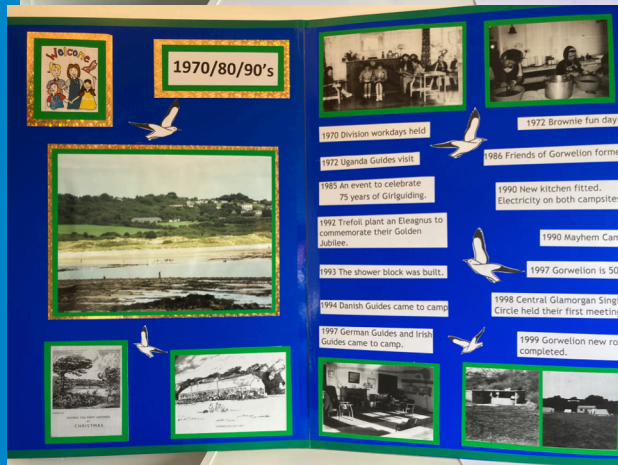
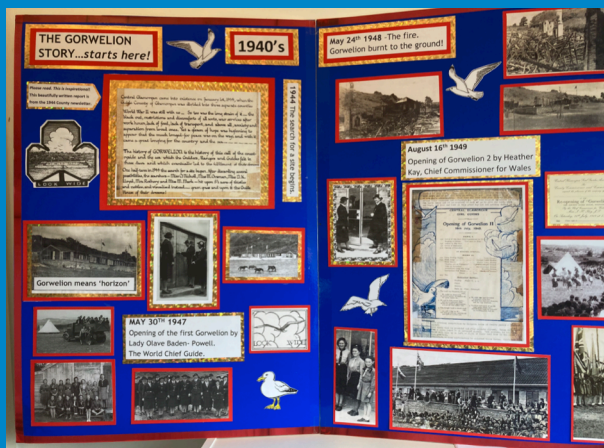
The Brownies enjoyed themselves at the ice skating and then watched Cardiff devils beating Coventry in the ice hockey. But an extra thank you to Emma and Rachel of the Cardiff comets, who took special care of Maddie and looked after her as though she was the only brownie there.



Gorwelion Archives

These four display boards tell the inspirational Gorwelion journey from the 1940's to today. They are available for you to use! Just contact anyone on the County team if you want to borrow them. Great for promotion, Great for everyone to learn the amazing Gorwelion story and appreciate what an incredible facility we have in our County for all to enjoy.

Such a bonus to see lovely black and white photographs in the early years. Gradually as time moves on photographs are coloured and by the 2000's due to the lack of any photographs the events from 2000 to 2020 just had to be listed. Please help to fill the next board starting 2022 with loads of fulfilled Gorwelion photographs! Contact the County team or Jane Smart rjsmart555@btinternet.com



Lets Celebrate!!!!



This year sees Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II will be the longest Reining Monarch. Watch this space for more information :-

1. Our County Activity Pack and Badge.
2. Join us for a Camp Fire Celebration at Gorwelion on Thursday 2nd June at 6:00pm to 10:00pm where we will join in the Beacon celebrations.
3. Afternoon tea anyone! Save the date 17th July

Eisteddfod time in the Brownies

Our brownies held an Eisteddfod to celebrate St David's day by dancing singing and playing the piano.

They could earn points for items performed and also any art/crafts etc submitted.
The Hedgehogs won the trophy!



Gorwelion - WE are Open.



Bookings and enquires to bookings.gorwelion22@gmail.com

House Prices

Overnight

Daily

Booked by	Price per head per night	Non returnable deposit	Minimum charge per night	Per Hour Use
Central Glam Members	£10.00	£90.00	£180.00	£10.00
Scouts / Guides	£10.50	£90.00	£200.00	£10.50
Other organisations	£12.00	£150.00	£300.00	£12.00

Camp site Fees

Overnight

Daily

Booked by	Price per head per night	Non returnable deposit	Minimum Charge per night	Per Hour Use
Central Glam Members	£6.00	£50.00	£66.00	£10.00
Scouts / Guides	£7.00	£50.00	£77.00	£10.50
Other organisations	£7.50	£70.00	£82.50	£12.00

PLEASE NOTE Daily use of Gorwelion

- Morning Hire – Hirers may enter the building from 8:30am and must vacate the site by 12.30pm
- Afternoon Hire – Hirers may enter the building from 1.30pm and must vacate the site by 5:30 pm
- Evening Hire – Hirers may enter the building from 6pm and must vacate the site by 9:00pm

1st Williamstown Salvation Army

We are pleased to say that the Rainbow Unit has been re-started and we are happy to see the girls return every week with a smile on their faces.

A massive Thank you to all those who have helped make this unit a success.



4th Bridgend Guides

Seven new guides made their promise and planned their own Promise Party with pass the parcel, Limbo and a fire with s'mores



You're a Star! Rwyd ti'n Seren!

What a Fantastic Achievement. These members of Abercynon Girlguiding were part of a group of young people who raised over £1600 for Cynon Valley PALS, plus raised awareness of autism.

They took part in a sponsored 'Choc free Feb' where no food containing chocolate was eaten. Well done all - you are stars!!

★ Grace, Mya, Scarlett Rae, Seren, Sophie, Kaisey, Ffion ★



Well Done Andrea Rowe from 1st Wick & St. Bride's Major Brownie and Brackla Rainbows did 2,800 Squats in February for Teenage Cancer Trust and raised over £2050. Did you know 7 young people aged 13-24 hear the words "you have cancer" every week. Specialised nursing care and support helps them get through it. Teenage Cancer Trust are the only UK charity dedicated to meet these young peoples needs.

★ Andrea you are a star ★

Do you have a Star in your unit? Is there a Fundraiser that you would like to be recognised? Is there someone carrying out a community action that is having an impact upon their community? Is there someone doing a "Good Turn" that should be shouted about? Lets us know. There is some fantastic work going on in our Guiding County - lets share this news and recognise our "stars". Email

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