

**THE
TREFOIL GUILD
OF
VICTORIA**



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35TH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREFOIL GUILD OF VICTORIA - OCTOBER 1968

The past twelve months have gone so quickly, and yet when I read through all your reports, the amount of service given to Guiding and the Community amazes me that so much has been accomplished in that period.

The number of Guilds' in the State has continued to increase with seven during the year, five since March this year, making the total sventy nine throughout Victoria. I have appreciated the invitations to visit so many of you in your own areas (to date 47), and it has been wonderful to see the way you support each other by attending neighbouring Guilds' Annual Meetings and fund raising functions. At one stage I was a little concerned that people were seeing the Trefoil Guild only in the role of ladies' who cater and serve suppers etc for special events, so now when I hear that you are being invited to Unit meetings to teach as well as assess for badges, I am sure this is good P.R. for the younger members' of the Movement as well as for us. As you read the reports of activities from individual Guilds', you will see why the image of the Trefoil Guild is making such an impression, and is recognized as an important section of the Guide Movement.

The Guilds' during the year have responded to requests from H.Q. to join their 'working bees' to pack calendars, prepare Introduction to Leadership Kits, staff the stand at The Royal Show, make teas for Trainings as well as support the Lady Murray Bowls Day, the Lady Delacome Golf Day and the Gowns through the Ages parade. As part of the G.G. Association of Victoria, we are involved with 'Greening Victoria' and the appeal for the Royal Flying Doctor Service, which we are only too willing to support.

Many of our Trefoil Guilds' have had the opportunity to invite overseas Trefoil Guild members' to be their guests at meetings or other events during their stay in Victoria, also the correspondence link of 'Twinning' is another way to broaden our International understanding. In January of this year we entertained thirteen members' of the International Fellowship of Former Scouts and Guides (I.F.O.F.S.A.G.) from Belgium and they were very impressed that 'we would go to so much trouble for their little group'. Three of our members', Marjory Grigg, Irene Kerry and Betty Christie recently attended an Asia/Pacific Gathering in Indonesia, also Irene (Kerry) has just returned from her annual International Fellowship Meeting which was held in Brussels.

You have again been most generous with your donations to various funds within Guiding and also to your Community groups.

We had a very busy annual Trefoil Guild weekend at Britannia Park in October last year. The weather was perfect and we had a capacity crowd in residence, giving an indication that we might have to look for alternative accommodation if it is the wish of the members' that we continue to have a residential weekend which incorporates the Annual Meeting. The Annual Meeting was held on the Saturday and on the Sunday we had the 'changeover' ceremony of the National Joint Council to Victoria to be administered in this State until October 1990. The N.J.C. is the administering body of the Australian Fellowship of Former Scouts and Guides (A.F.O.F.S.A.G). The Council is comprised of three Baden-Powell Scout Guild and three Trefoil Guild members; Marjory Grigg, Isobel Lister and myself. Just a few of the tasks the Council attends to is regular reports on Australian events to the International Council, organize the subscriptions and mailing list for the 'Bulletin' magazine, be aware of any International visitors and arrange for Guild contacts, publicize any International event Australians might be interested in attending, collect and pay members' annual subscriptions, which is a very interesting exercise as the account is in Belgian Francs - thank goodness for well trained Bank personnel who do all the converting for me.

Thinking Day/Founder's Day was celebrated at Hepburn Springs with members of the Trefoil Guild and B-P Scout Guild enjoying a weekend of friendship and fellowship.

You might be interested to know some of the other meetings I attend regularly, Advisers', State Council, B-P Guild executive, the Robert and Olave Baden-Powell Trust Fund and one that has just come off the list is the National Gathering Committee.

What was probably Victoria's challenge for the Bi-centenary year was the 8th National Gathering of Trefoil Guilds' held at Monash University 19th to 21st August. With a very competent committee under the leadership of Shirley Reeves, we planned, organized and counted for thirteen months - the theme was "Let's make friends' " and I am sure this was achieved by all who attended - 214 in residence with every State represented and day visitors swelling our numbers to 260. Thankyou to the Guilds' who gave donations and to those who made the delightful craft gifts and supplied the other 'goodies' for the bags. The next National Gathering will be in Brisbane (end of September) 1990. Are you planning to go? Victoria will not be host State again until the year 2000.

It is always exciting to read of someone we know who has been recognized for her service to Guiding, this year four Trefoil Guild Members' were among the recipients of an A.M. and three (3) O.A.M's, as well there have been Citizen Awards and the presentation of many Long Service Awards. Congratulations and well done to you all!

We had to say 'goodbye' and 'thankyou' to Adelaide and Marie as they finished their term as Australian and Assistant Australian Trefoil Guild Adviser, but then isn't Victoria privileged to have Marjory Grigg and Beryl Weaver to take their place for the next five years?

I am now into my second year as Adviser, and as I conclude my report I would like to record my appreciation to 'Kerry' as Victorian Trefoil Guild Treasurer, to the Staff at Guide H.Q., to the other section Advisers' for their support, to our State Commissioner, her Assistants and State Secretary, to my own Guild who I am not sure if they appreciate having me in their midst or not, and finally to all of you. It has been a challenging and very busy time and you are all wonderful for the support and friendship you extend to me, and I say 'thankyou' to each and every one of you.



June Pobjoy
State Trefoil Guild Adviser

REPORT OF INDIVIDUAL GUILD ACTIVITIES - 1ST MAY 1987 to 30TH APRIL '88

"ACACIA" Nunawading District - Maroondah Region
15 Members 3 Associates

Held a Christmas Party in June - Attended Mitcham District's 60th Birthday - Waverley Guild luncheon, "Ashglen" luncheon - Friends' of World Centres luncheon - "Tallaranga" A.G.M. and luncheon - Packed show bags and World Day of Prayer kits - Made teas for Trainings - Gave donation to Guider going overseas - International Trainers' Conference - Lone Guides Association - to a Lone Guide - Britannia Park maintenance - Meals on Wheels - Collected stamps for I.F.O.F.S.A.G.

"AKOONA": Clunes District - Ballarat Region
10 Members 2 Associates

Made and donated five rugs - Made 'huggy bears', koalas and hats for International Trainers' Trek - Attended "Waminda", 1st Ballarat, "Argana", "Girrahween" and L.A. Annual Meetings - Attended State Trefoil Guild A.G.M. and Annual Weekend at Britannia Park and 'change over' of N.J.C, Trefoil and Baden-Powell Scout Guilds' weekend at Hepburn Springs, Outdoor day at Lingbogol, Luncheon, Lady Bolte Memorial, Thinking Day ceremony, Christmas 'break up', Creswick and Clunes B.P. Award nights, Lady Murray Bowls Day, State and Division Gatherings, M. Grigg's retirement afternoon, Local coffee mornings - Did badge assessing for local Units - Learnt about practice of a Chiropractor, Hair pin crochet, Quilting - Gave practical help to Peplon House and Kellaston House - Assisted with Meals on Wheels.

"AMY BUSH" Tambo Valley Division - Gippsland Region

WELCOME TO THIS NEW GUILD

"ARGANA": McKay Division - West Metropolitan Region
19 Members 2 Associates

Members' attended the opening of 'Campbell Cottage' at 'Mittagong' campsite, Local Community activities and a number of Trefoil Guild A.G.M's - Participated in other Guilds' fund raising luncheons and 'mahjong' days, Girl Guide Association activities, Joint Trefoil Guild and Baden-Powell Scout Guild functions - Two members' help at the R.C.H. Accident Prevention Centre, another member ran a course in cake decorating for Ranger Guide Unit - Service to Guiding has taken the form of making Guide skirts for the Division, packed Christmas cards, Guide and Training calendars and sorted stamps during the year - The Guild hosted the very successful 'farewell' party with over two hundred present to mark the end of The Trefoil Guild Adviser's term of Office. Donations given to the Irene Fairbairn, Amy Bush, J.S. Wilson, Thinking Day and Olave Centre Funds.

"ARKANA": Mortlake Division - Western Plains Region
9 Members 3 Associates

Held regular meetings for friendship and fellowship - Organized a street stall - Gave donations to various Guiding groups, Irene Fairbairn, Olave Centre, Britannia Park maintenance Funds.

"ASHGLEN": Glen Iris/ Burwood District - East Metropolitan Region
20 Members

Meetings held at Zoological Gardens, Guide/Scout Sailing Centre, Maranoa and Canterbury Gardens - President attended General Assembly in Coventry U.K. - Three members attended 24 hour Gathering at Kyabram/ Echuca, three others the State Trefoil Guild weekend and A.G.M, two the Hepburn Springs weekend. Helped pack calendars and one member helps despatch A.F.N. and two organize "Southern Cross" Lones Guild. Donations to various groups have been given during the year.

1ST BALLARAT: Sturt/Yuille Division - Ballarat Region
29 Members

Meeting together in friendship - Supporting all Unit activities, Sister Guilds' and L.A.'s - Serving various community groups and activities - Knitting caps for International Trainers' Trek - Helped with Annual Thinking Day luncheon (Profit donated to Lingbogol) - Donations to Thinking Day and Britannia Park Funds.

2ND BALLARAT: Sturt/Yuille Division - Ballarat Region
20 Members

Soup, sandwich and slice luncheon in September - Thinking Day luncheon at Lingbogol - Speakers on herbs, lace making, Iona Abbey in Scotland, England and Europe travels, calligraphy, old maps, India and the Ryder Cheshire Foundation and felt making.

3RD BALLARAT: "Waminda": Sturt/Yuille Division - Ballarat Region
19 Members 1 Associate

Made Brownie Aids for 10th Ballarat Pack - Held a luncheon on Melbourne 'Cup Day', proceeds to Lingbogol - Pre Christmas B.B.Q. proceeds from a collection to the Salvation Army - Donations to Irene Fairbairn, Amy Bush and Olave Centre Funds.

"BANONGILL": Skipton District - Western Plains Region
13 Members

Held a coffee party and picture evening, also a luncheon - Made teddy bears - Attended luncheons and coffee parties of other Guilds' - Assisted with Girl Guide stall - Attended coffee party for Bastin Park - Helped with Meals on Wheels, Hospital visiting, Transport of elderly, Red Cross, Blind Auxilliary, C.W.A. - Guild has links with Canada and Wales Trefoil Guilds'.

"BARKUMA": Warringal Division - Yarra Valley Region
8 Members 4 Associates

Made jam, sauce and fancy goods for two street stalls - Attended Guide/Scout Sailing Centre, Britannia Park for Trefoil Guild A.G.M - Marj Grigg's farewell party as State Adviser - Visited Repatriation Hospital and local Nursing Homes, also elderly folk who are house bound, whenever possible flowers and plants are given along with garden fresh vegetables - Donations given to Irene Fairbairn and Britannia Park Funds.

BARWON: Moorabool Division - Barwon Region
19 Members 1 Associate

Micro wave cooking demonstration - Slides of our past Annual Dinners - Illustrated talk on Greece and Jordan, travel talk on China - Bring a treasure with it's story - Member of spoon collectors' club spoke about her hobby - Annual Dinner - Learnt to make Christmas decorations - Christmas 'break up' dinner - Represented at morning tea for Trainers' Trek - Farewell party for Marj Grigg - Attended A.G.M's of Geelong and "Boorang" Guilds', Barwon Region A.G.M. where we served supper - The launching of the canoe 'May B 2' which we donated to the water activities section - Giving 'pattern-ing' every 2nd Wednesday to a 33 year old man with brain damage - Provided the entertainment at Dinner in aid of a fire damaged school - Donations to Irene Fairbairn and Britannia Park Funds.

"BELLBURN": Blackburn South District - Maroondah Region
13 Members 1 Associate

Held a 'dutch' auction to assist a country Guide attend Camp Porepunka - Board games night - Saw slides of a member's overseas trip - Knitted toys and made Christmas decorations for a hamper for the 'needy' - Held an informal buffet tea when we received our Trefoil Guild badges - Made chocolates and distributed them to elderly men at 'Inala' at Easter - Attended Thinking Day ceremony, B.P. Emblem night, Guild luncheons, Friends of World Centres luncheon - Assisted with games at Bi-centennial Day

"BLUE WRENS": Seville District - A heron Region
 15 Members 4 Associate

(Extensions)
 Chief intention of 1987 was to establish membership as a Trefoil Guild -
 Plan format of meetings - Exchange of ideas etc - Team of adult helpers'
 to support members' ideas - Visitor from the Royal Society for the
 Blind (Gave donation) - Celebration of five years together in Guiding
 and Promise renewal ceremony - Held meetings with handcrafts - Homecrafts-
 Table decorations - Australia Bi-centennial 'History' aspects.

"BOORANG": Division - Barwon Region
 19 Members 2 Associates

Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn Fund and Britannia Park
 maintenance - Made gifts for the National Gathering of Trefoil Guilds -
 Had guest speakers at meetings - Made 'Huggy bears' and collected tinned
 food for Geelong Policing Squad - Attended farewell afternoon for Marj
 Grigg and State Trefoil Guild A.G.M. at Britannia Park - Donated thirty
 pairs of childrens' thongs to Cottage by the Sea - Held a Church Service
 for Fellowship Day - Held a cake decorating day, a craft day - Catered
 for Brownie Barrowthon, Geelong finals of Encore 88 - Helped with
 Hamlyn Heights Scouts lamington drive, cake stall at Region A.G.M. -
 Gave financial donation to Brownie Leader's expenses for Tasmanian Training.
 Donations to Britannia Park and Irene Fairbairn Funds.

"CALLEMONDAH": Mooroolbark District - Acheron Region
 10 Members

Supported Lady Murray Bowls Day and sent donation for trading table -
 Luncheons held by other Guilds throughout the year - Attended farewell
 afternoon for Marj Grigg at H.Q. - Held dinner meetings occasionally -
 Helped with sale of Guide biscuits, one member was co-ordinator between
 Units and Bowls Clubs for Acheron Region - Held a luncheon and invited
 neighbouring Guilds' - Spent a weekend at the Chalet at Britannia Park -
 Helped with aged persons - Held a 'Thinking Day' afternoon and invited
 Guide and Brownie personnel in the Region to introduce ourselves -
 Supported Sangam with a donation, also Thinking Day and Britannia Park
 Funds

CAMPERDOWN: Camperdown District - Otway Region
 14 Members - 2 Associate

Helped at Guide and Brownie fete - Attended a special afternoon in aid
 of the International Trainers' Trek - Invited State Trefoil Guild Adviser
 and Nullabar, "Irrewarra/Colac and "Arkana" Guilds to our Christmas lunch-
 eon- Visited Nullabar Guild at Warrnambool.

"CARINE": Camberwell South Division - East Metropolitan Region
 23 Members 2 Associates

Held Annual Luncheon to raise funds for Guiding activities and community
 (1988 proceeds partly to R.F.D.S.) - Entertained girls from Janefield -
 Our members participate in community service by doing Meals on Wheels -
 Day Care Centre at Balwyn - Help annually at Eva Tilley Memorial Home
 fete - Volunteer work at 3 RPH.

CENTRAL MURRAY: Numurkah District - Goulburn Region
 10 Members

Members held a soup and sandwich luncheon - Video afternoon - Hepburn
 weekend - Held a reunion with leaders past and present, Speaker was Mrs
 Doris Spratling - Dinner held to assist Guides with fees for Porepunka
 Attended Annual Meetings at Echuca, Seymour, Kyabram - Two B.P. Awards -
 L.A. Annual Meetings attended during the year. Gave financial donations
 to Irene Fairbairn Fund, Thinking Day Fund and Britannia Park maintenance.

CHILTERN: Chiltern District - Barree Region
9 Members

Held coffee mornings, tupperware party and morning tea - Attended A.G.M. of Local Association - Helped at a Fashion Parade with L.A., hobby farmers' field day - Held B.B.Q. 'break up' before Christmas - Attended B.P. presentation - Had a combined Christmas party with L.A. and Leaders' at a Trefoil Guild member's home.

"CLARE BROADHURST'S OWN": State wide Guild
12 Members 3 Associates

Hold an Annual Weekend at Britannia Park - Members' are active in their own community organizations - Donation given to Britannia Park Fund

C.O.G.S: Hawthorn District - East Metropolitan Region
15 Members 1 Multiple

Held a sausage sizzle - Visit to the Zoo - Picnic in Botannical Gardens - Christmas party - Pool party and B.B.Q - Made rugs for the elderly in hospital - Donations given to Irene Fairbairn, Thinking Day, Amy Bush and Britannia Park Funds.

COHUNA: Cohuna District - North Central Region
15 Members

Chiropractor as Guest Speaker - Attended L.A. Annual Meeting - Luncheon to which Guide Leaders and L.A. members' were invited - Poolside party at a member's home - Demonstration of gift box making - Attended a dance at gathering in Kerang of former and present Guiding folk, Echuca Trefoil Guild's A.G.M. - We were entertained by a member of the Story Telling League - Commemoration of Thinking Day with International Dinner, display and a Guest Speaker - Assisted with Bi-centennial period costumes for Leitchville Guide Company.

"COOINDA": Shepparton District - Goulburn Region
(Extensions) 16 Members 1 Associate

Meeting fortnightly - notes kept of activities - Held a swimming night, special teas, craft, aerobics, hat making, T shirt painting - Attended a Telecom Award night in honour of our programme co-ordinator - a Region lunch and Christmas dinner at a resraurant.

"COOPER: Moorabbim District - South Metropolitan Region
12 Members

Celebrated Guild's 21st Birthday with International Luncheon - Arranged garage sale to raise funds for local Guide hall - Held Japanese tea ceremony - Assisted with farewell party for retiring State Adviser - Held 'mahjong' luncheon - State Adviser and incoming Australian Trefoil Guild Adviser, her Assistant and friends and Region Commissioner were our Guests at a Christmas B.B.Q. - Arranged a Pleasant Sunday Afternoon for Senior Citizens with entertainment and afternoon tea - Supported Ranger fund raising for girls attending Jamboree - Made cushions and bracelets for International Trainers' Trek - Held party to celebrate Dorothy Cooper's 90th Birthday - Donations to Thinking Day fund, Britannia Park and Olave Centre given during the year

CORRYONG: Upper Murray/ Corryong District - Barree Region
16 Members 1 Associate

Members' involved with Red Cross, C.W.A., Church Activities, Meals on Wheels, Hospital visiting - Have regular Bi-monthly meetings - Attend Guide and Brownie functions (four Guides received B.P. Awards) - Support L.A. - Held picnic at Yackandandah - Bi-centennial breakfast - Give financial support to as many funds as possible including Irene Fairbairn and Britannia ark.

"DOLPHIN" Red Hill District - Mornington Peninsula Region
28 Members 11 Associates

Fund raising for community projects - Knitted rugs for the Salvation Army and hospitals - Gave donations to Olave Centre, Thinking Day and Britannia Park Funds during the year.

ECHUCA: Echuca District - Campaspe Region
14 Members 3 Associates

Joined in Echuca District's 60th Birthday celebrations - Combined with 'Waterwheel' Trefoil Guild to host 24 hour Gathering in Kyabram and Echuca, approximately 130 attended from around the State - Several members' attended the Annual A.G.M. and weekend at Britannia Park - Joined in the Thinking Day Church Service, one member doing the Bible reading - Helped at the Guide activity day by organizing groups of Guides to cook scones in the camp ovens - Our Christmas 'break up' was a Christmas Tea shared with husbands.

"EUMEMMERRING": Dandenong District - Dandenong Region
25 Members 3 Associates

Held Annual luncheon and invited neighbouring Guilds' - Attended other Guilds' A.G.M's and luncheons - Assisted with leisure time activities for three days - Visited Shoreham campsite for one meeting - Provided staff for the Sailing Centre shop - Attended and served morning tea and lunchtime soup at Region Conference - Provided staff for Region Finals of Encore 88 - Attended Trefoil Guild A.G.M. and weekend at Britannia Park - Represented at the 24 hour Gathering at Kyabram/Echuca - Supported Dandenong Region campsite - Invited Speaker from Dandenong Palliative Care and gave donation - Assisted with Dandenong Festival of Music and Art for Youth - Attended the farewell afternoon for retiring Adviser - Held a craft day - Gave do to Irene Fairbairn Fund and administration expenses.

"EXTENSION": Statewide
9 Members 9 Associate

Held a fund raising luncheon to support Extension groups - Supported the "Zoo Do" and the launching of the book - "Extension Echoes" - Gave donations to Extension Units.

"FINDON": Findon Division - Yarra Valley Region
13 Members

Visited the Accident Prevention Centre at the R.C.H., the Chinese Museum, Bundoora Park and the new Historical Centre - Guided tours of the National Gallery, La Trobe University wild life park - Historic walk round Preston - Special projects were making teddies for abused children, coat hangers for the National Gathering bags - Entertained Janefield ladies' - Held our Guild A.G.M. - two meetings held at members' homes

GEELONG: Geelong District - Barwon Region
13 Members 2 Associate

Attended A.G.M. of Barwon Region Girl Guides and A.G.M's of other Guilds' - Held a street stall - Tested for badges - Assisted at Guide equipment depot - Heard speakers from local charities and had travel talks - Gave donation to administration expenses.

"GIRRAHWEEN": Maryborough District - Ballarat Region
28 Members 4 Associates

Talks by Occupational Therapist, member of Birthright, on rose care and pruning - Weekend at Halls Gap with "Akoona" - Spring salad luncheon for fund raising - Craft days making crazy patchwork cushions for inmates at Geriatric homes - Donated three rugs - Had Christmas dinner for the elderlies - Attended an International dinner - Memory lane afternoon - Made casserole for special accommodation centre - Donations to Lones section - Irene Fairbairn and Thinking Day Funds.

GLENELG: Casterton / Coleraine District - Western Border Region
6 Members 2 Associates

Attended Trefoil Guild luncheon in Portland - Wannan River luncheon -
Held a street stall - Met together for friendship

GOULBURN VALLEY: Shepparton District - Goulburn Region
19 Members 3 Associates

Supported elderly citizens home - Had lucky gifts and trading table at
each meeting - Saw slides or videos of members' trips - Attended Queen's
Guide presentation - Entered a group exhibit at local Show - Attended
Trefoil Guilds' A.G.M's - Supported the Red Cross - Helped Fire Brigade
social function - Held a fund raising pizza luncheon - Assist with badge
assessments.

HEATHERDALE: Heatherdale District - Maroondah Region
12 Members 3 Associates

Held fund raising functions and gave donations to Heatherdale Brownie Packs
stall, "Care" Broadmeadows, Lady Murray Bowls Day - Financial assistance
to a Guide to help her attend Camp Porepunka - Gave a box of toys and other
items to a needy family at Christmas - Continued our on going collection
of thirty six pictures per week for "Biala" - Helped at schools Anniversary
Day by manning stalls - Cooked and served four hundred sausages at Guiding
Expo Bi centennial Day in Mitcham - Attended other Guilds' meetings during
the year - Correspond with Mitcham U.K. Trefoil Guild - Held tapestry dem-
onstration, travel night conducted by members'.

"IRREWARRA"/COLAC Colac District - Otway Region
13 Members 2 Associates

Collected and pressed wildflowers to make 210 bookmarks for the National
Gathering - Held two street stalls to raise money for ablution block at
the campsite and provided lunch for workmen - Attended Guide reunion -
Participated in Thinking Day celebrations and attended meeting with Ass't
State Commissioner at Camperdown - Donations to campsite and Irene Fair-
bairn Funds.

"JUMINIMA": Beaumaris District - South Metropolitan Region
9 Members

Attended B.B.Q. for Thinking Day - Held a picture and supper evening,
afternoon tea meeting and planning for weekend at Britannia Park -
Organized a dinner party and lamington drive to raise funds for a donation
to Sandringham Council Crisis Home.

"KORKUPERRIMUL": Bacchus Marsh District - Ballarat Region
15 Members 2 Associates

Attended A.G.M's at Maryborough and Clunes - Had Speakers at morning coffees
- Visits from other Guilds' - Enjoyed two bus trips and several luncheons -
Financial support to Irene Fairbairn, Friends of World Centres, National
Gathering, International Trainers' Trek and Yooralla - Attended Thinking
Day Service at Bacchus Marsh - Knitted caps for International Trainers'
Trek and small dolls for National Gathering - Assessed Brownies and Guides
for badges - Helped with hospital trolley - Several members' awarded with
Long Service badges.

"LORIKEET" Karingal District - Mornington Peninsula Region
6 Members

Held travel talk nights - "Beetle" night - Demonstration on floral art -
Patchwork display.

"LYREBIRD" Leongatha District - Woorayl Region
12 Members 3 Associate

Organized a Street Stall - Held a 'Mahjong' day with Metropolitan visitors - Had a visit from a U.K. Trefoil Guild member - Visit from an Indonesian Rotary Exchange Student.

MARCONDAH: Maroondah Region
17 Members

Held a Christmas Party and two Theatre luncheons, proceeds of one went to 'Biala'. Attended luncheons and neighbouring Guild functions. Gave financial to Victorian Trefoil Guild administration.

"MENDALE" Mentone / Parkdale District - Sth Metropolitan Region
7 Members 1 Associate

Held a 'shopping spree', proceeds to the B.A.C.H. project (Bangladesh) - Assessed badges - Supported the Extension Company - Meet monthly for friendship. Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn Fund, Britannia Park maintenance, Olave Centre Appeal.

"MERLE BUSH" Bendigo Central District - North Central Region
30 Members 1 Associate

Provide assessors for Guide badges - Helped at Greening Victoria 'Operation Branchout' - Treasurer corresponds with Bridgewater Trefoil Guild in Canada - Collected 14,421 used stamps for stamp bank - Celebrated 65th Anniversary of Guiding in Bendigo with Church Parade and luncheon - Attended and helped at Bi-centennial Colonial Day at Sandhurst Town - Attended many District Guide A.G.M.'s - Had five Guest Speakers during the year - 'Get together outings' to 'Minda Killara and Werribee Park.

"MIDDLE WATCH" (ex Wrans) State Wide Guild
6 Members

Knitted 'huggy bears' - Knitted 'candles' for National Gathering - Donated goods for Bowls Day and Golf Day.

MILDURA Mildura District - Sunraysia Region
17 Members 1 Associate

Assisted with Guide and Brownie testing - Made vases for Hospital - Sorted stamps - Gave Christmas parcels to Mirralee Childrens' Home - Visited Broken Hill Trefoil Guild - Held a 'Homestead Picnic' - Helped with the Bi-centennial Exhibition - Visited doll exhibition. Gave financial assistance to Britannia Park.

MITCHAM "ROSELLA" Formerly Mitcham Extension Rangers
WELCOME TO THIS NEW GUILD
Mitcham District - Maroondah Region

MILPARA / ARIRA (1st Victorian Post) State Wide Guild
13 Members

Attended Trefoil Guild Weekend - Marj Grigg's farewell - Friends of World Centres luncheon. Gave financial assistance to Amy Bush Memorial Fund, Olave Centre and Victorian Trefoil Guild administration.

MOE Moe District - Baw Baw Region
10 Members

Member spun and knitted jumper for competition to raise funds to assist a Guide to go camping - Made teddy bears - 350 Book marks, lavender bags and tissue covers for the National Gathering - Visited a Special School, Nursing Hostel and served afternoon tea - Held slide morning on American Tour - Three attended Trefoil Guild weekend - Chinese dinner prepared by a member to raise funds - Gave donation to flag for Extension G.G. - Two members' helped Brownie and Guide Units - Joined in 60th celebration of Guiding in Moe.

MOORABBIN EAST Moorleigh / Bentleigh District - Sth Metropolitan Region
16 Members 1 Associate

Donated goods for the Lady Murray Bowls Day - Floral demonstration - Living in Japan' (talk) - Annual 'Beetle' luncheon - Visit to tulip farm - Tour of the Zoo - Attended 'Eumemmerring' luncheon - John Hancock's luncheon - Packed calendars at H.Q. - Attended Victorian Trefoil Guild A.G.M, The sailing centre - Tested Brownies and Guides - Made puppets for Bangladesh - Helped with Trainers' luncheons - Packed Training Kits at H.Q. - Attended M. Grigg's 'Thankyou Day', "Cooper's" 21st luncheon - A.G.M. with slides of India - Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn fund, Amy Bush fund, J.S. Wilson fund, Britannia Park maintenance.

"NAISMITH" Portland District - Western Border Region
19 Members 3 Associates

Attended Region luncheon, 24 Hour Gathering, Weekend trip to Britannia Park, Boat trip on the Nelson River - Made teddy bears and knee rugs for the hospital - Held coffee mornings, Fashion Parades - Gave gift for Guides attending camp - Visited native nursery - Provided testers for Brownie and Guide Units - Sold Guides biscuits - Visited members in hospital - Assisted Guiders - Cleaned Guide hall - Cared for garden and cut the lawns at the Guide hall.

NORTH METROPOLITAN North Metropolitan Region
12 Members 5 Associates

Held a luncheon - Provided supper for Training Department - Attended other Trefoil Guilds and L.A.'s Annual Meetings - Made teddy bears for H.Q. - Provided testers for Units - Helped at Kanyanya Day and Barellan Day - Sold calendars - Made sandwiches for 'Gowns through the Ages' parade - Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn fund, Thinking Day fund, Olave Centre and Britannia Park maintenance.

"NULLABAR" Warrnambool District - Otway Region
10 Members 1 Associate

Member completed a tablecloth which had been discovered with old Guide signatures embroidered on it - Camperdown Trefoil Guild entertained by Nullabar - Two members attended weekend at Hepburn Springs - Held a card afternoon - Long Service award presented to member - Honour board and plaque unveiled to record names of Queen's Guides and B-P Awards - Member carried out research for this.

OUTER EASTERN: Outer Eastern Region
11 Members

Seven members attended 24 hour Gathering at Echuca - Sold calendars and book marks - Donation to help a Guider go to India - Held a tupperware party, a Street stall, A lovely Christmas party, Break-up - Gave financial assistance to Britannia Park for maintenance and for girls to go to Encore 88

OVENS VALLEY: Barree Region
21 Members 4 Associates

Supported Encore 88, The Bi-centennial Exhibition at Wodonga - Held three luncheons to raise funds for Britannia Park maintenance, Bangladesh Appeal, Sangam, National Gathering and Barree Region.

"PATANGA" Central Metropolitan Region
15 Members 5 Associates

Meetings held bi-monthly - Had a weekend at Britannia Park and presented a replica of Patanga Badge for the B-P Hut - Attended 'Colour me beautiful' - Fund raising catering for The Iris Show and a Spit Roast Dinner - Held a Christmas luncheon - Jewellery demonstration - Catering at H.Q. for Reception in January - Visited Botanical Gardens

PORT PHILLIP Sth Metropolitan Region - Carrum/Bonbeach District
11 Members

Had a bus trip to Ripponlea - Luncheon and meeting at member's home - Packed calendars at H.Q. - Helped with afternoon tea at concert in aid of Guide Hall - Made novelties for Lady Murray Bowls Day - Served on Brownie and Guide stall during Chelsea's Youth Week - Christmas luncheon at member's home - Donated clothes and rugs for Royal District Nursing Service - Attended Thinking Day Service at Moorleigh - Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn fund and Britannia Park maintenance.

ROBINVALE Sunraysia Region - Robinvale District
8 Members 2 Associates

Visited three other Guilds' activities - Joined District at their Annual Meeting and Thinking Day - Held a Christmas Party - Knitted bears for the hospital - Continued work on local Guide history - Helped Leaders' in emergencies - Did meals on wheels, supported Red Cross, Care of the Ageing Committee and Hospital Auxiliary.

"SELCOR" Sunraysia Region
9 Members 3 Associates

Gave service to local community, Benevolent Society, Blood Bank, Mallee Family Care, Meals on wheels, Senior Citizens toy appeal - Catered for trainings - Assisted with badge testing - Fund raising for Yandiah - Made teddy bears - Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn fund, Thinking day, Amy Bush and J.S. Wilson funds, Britannia Park maintenance.

"SOUTHERN CROSS" (Lones) State Wide Guild
48 Members 2 Associates

Our multiple members support various Guiding projects through the active Trefoil Guilds' which they attend - Our members' are mainly women who were Guiders' in the 20's and 30's and now because of age or ill health cannot attend meetings - through their generosity we can give donations to many Guiding funds and this past twelve months have given financial assistance to Amy Bush fund, Britannia Park maintenance and the Olave Centre.

STRATHMORE Nth Metropolitan Region - Strathmore District
11 Members

Held three street stalls - Christmas luncheon, Trefoil Guild Adviser attend - ed - Joined with District Leaders' and L.A. ladies for Christmas Dinner - Gave money for camp badges for five Guides attending Camp Porepunka - Work - ing bee to make Mother's Day baskets for stall - 8th Birthday luncheon enjoyed by members' - Assisted at Rowallan Op. Shop - Attended Bowls Day - Gave craft for stall at Yarraville, books to housebound in District, assisted with afternoon tea at H.Q. for Thinking Day - Gave donation to Thinking Day fund.

"STRZELECKI" Baw Baw Region - Strzelecki Division
9 Members 1 Associate

Visited Morwell National Park - Representatives at Lady Murray Bowls Day - Britannia Park weekend - Farewell to Marj Grigg - Held coffee morning to raise funds - Catered for forty guests at Burnet Park's 20th Birthday celebrations - Held a formal Dinner for Burnet Park - Gave donation to Trefoil Guild administration.

SWAN HILL North Central Region - Swan Hill District
11 Members 4 Associates

Held monthly crazy whist afternoons for card players - Attended Victorian Gathering at Britannia Park and A.G.M - 24 Hr Gathering at Kyabram/Echuca - Joined with Swan Hill and Lake Boga Districts for Thinking Day at Tyntynder Homestead - Attended Echuca A.G.M, a function in Kerang for the Bi-centenary Thinking Day - Joined the Region for a Bi-centenary day at Sandhurst Town in Bendigo - Purchased a garden seat for the Guide Hall in memory of a member - Gave donations to Olave Centre, Britannia Park, J.S. Wilson, Amy Bush, Thinking Day and Irene Fairbairn Funds.

"TALLARINGA" East Metropolitan Region - Box Hill Division
 12 Members 2 Associates
 Knitted 'candles' for Training Trek and National Gathering - Made puppets for Bangladesh - Collected food for 'Care' Broadmeadows - Helped at Royal Show stand - Packed World Day of Prayer kits - Made teas for Trainers' - Wrapped calendars and helped with training kits - Organized roster and worked at Guide/Scout Sailing Centre - Made goods for Bowls and Golf days and manned stall for Golf day - Attended Wild Flower Day at Clunes - Attended 24 hr Gathering at Kyabram/Echuca - Weekend at Hepburn Springs - Worked in the kitchen for 'Friends of World Centres Luncheon - Knitted 'Huggy Bears' and childrens' wear for Victorian Relief Committee - Donated \$150 to Camp Prepunka for International visitor and local girls' - Entertained visitors from Belgium - Attended luncheons and meetings of other Guilds' - Had speakers from Talking Book Library, Biala, Care/Broadmeadows - Tested Guides - Corresponded with Dunstable Trefoil Guild - Gave financial assistance to Thinking Day Fund, Talking Book Library, Biala, Wattle Park L.A., Britannia Park maintenance, Irene Fairbairn Fund, Amy Bush and J.S. Wilson Funds.

TOWN & COUNTRY State Wide Guild
 36 Members

Held four meetings during the year with Guest Speakers - Many members attend Girl Guide Association and Trefoil Guild functions.

TRAINERS State Wide Guild
 17 Members 19 Associates

Purchased heavy duty stapler for H.Q., also rope, bandages, World Flag and pin boards for training - Helped with tea roster at H.Q. trainings - Had Guest Speakers at meetings on Bangladesh project, Multicultural Adviser - Made 'carry bags' for Trainers' Trek - Held 'Mahjong' days - Had lunch in Botanic Gardens and visit to Craft Cottage - Helped with Introduction to Leadership kits - Gave donations to Britannia Park maintenance, Olave Centre and International Trainers' Trek.

"TWIGS" Central Metropolitan Region - Richmond/East Melbourne District
 5 Members - These ladies have been meeting together for
 50 YEARS - Well Done!

Attended all combined activities - luncheons - H.Q. working bees - Sailing Centre - Helped at the Deaf Centre - Home for the Elderly - C.W.A. - Supervisor at Church flats for the elderly - Helped with Street Stalls. Met on Thinking Day - Collected and sorted stamps - Correspond with Overseas Guilds and Guiders' - Attended Church activities, 24 Hr Gathering, World Centres luncheon, Christmas outing - Assisted with badge testing. Gave a donation to World Vision.

"WALDAU" East Metropolitan Region - Doncaster Eastern Division
 14 Members 1 Associate

Had a Guest Speaker on America, New Guinea, Bangladesh project - Herb party from Cojara - Gave service at Britannia Park - Held a games night - Patchwork tour by Mae Bolton - Made finger puppets for Bangladesh - Had a hobby tex demonstration - Dinner at Whitehorse Hotel - Attended Trefoil Guild luncheons, Guild meetings and H.Q. Luncheon - Donation to Irene Fairbairn Fund and Trefoil Guild administration.

WANNON RIVER Western Border Region - Hamilton District
 30 Members 4 Associates

Manned Hospital Shop - Knitted Teddy Bears for Currawong House - Social afternoon at member's home - presented 17 Long Service awards totalling 466 years of service - Attended Region concert, Encore88 Region Finals (supplied time-keeper) - Attended 24 Hr Gathering at Kyabram/Echuca, Hamilton Civic reception for Guide Week, Region Trefoil Guild luncheon at Portland - Collected used stamps - Supplied supper for L.A. Fashion Parade also models and compere - Had Guest Speakers at meetings, fund raising casserole luncheon - Paid for improvements to Guide Hall - Attended L.A.'s Christmas Party.

WANNON RIVER (cont'd) Made and sold aprons - Trefoil Guild Christmas luncheon at Country Home - Collected tinned goods for Salvation Army - Gave donations to L.A., National Gathering, Elderlies Winter Christmas Dinner, Olave House, Trefoil Guild administration, Irene Fairbairn Fund, Argana Guild, Britannia Park maintenance.

"WATERWHEEL" Campaspe Region - Kyabram District
12 Members

Attended other Trefoil Guilds' A.G.M's - 'Thankyou' party to Marj Grigg - Held a fabric painting day, Attended Guide tupperware party - Did after noon tea for welcome to new Region Commissioner - Attended L.A. Meeting - Held a very successful 24 Hour Gathering - Went to District campfire, also 25th Birthday of Rushworth Brownies - Gave spoons to several B-P Award Guides' - Attended Britannia Park A.G.M. of Victorian Trefoil Guild in October - Made boxes of sweets for Hospital fete - Knitted coat hangers - Member attended Lone Guide meeting at Shepparton - Joined Division in Thinking Day Service.

WAVERLEY South Eastern Region - Waverley Division
21 Members 2 Associates

Have had interesting speakers on Overseas trips, Radio 3RPH, World Centres - Had outings to Schwerholt cottage and Alcheringa at Tynong Nth - Catered for Guiders' Conference at P.L.C - Raised funds for Guiding at annual luncheon, street stall, a Dutch auction and trading table. Several members' are badge testers and give occasional assistance at Unit meetings - Members' have visited neighbouring Guilds' for their luncheons and meetings - Gave financial assistance to Coralie Caple Memorial Fund, Amy Bush Fund, Britannia Park maintenance, Syndal Nth L.A. and Extension Guide group.

WERRIBEE/ALTONA West Metropolitan Region -
5 Members 3 Associates

Attended "Westgate" luncheon, Marj Grigg's retirement afternoon, morning coffee at Bacchus Marsh, "Argana" Annual meeting, Britannia Park weekend, Commissioners' Conference at Ballarat, Challenge for Fun at Werribee, Christmas Carols, Thinking Day services, Lady Murray Bowls Day, stall for Lara campsite - Donations to Irene Fairbairn Fund and Britannia Park maintenance.

"WESTGATE" West Metropolitan Region - Williamstown District
10 Members

Attended Trefoil Guild weekend - 24 Hour Gathering - Region Luncheon - Friends of World Centres Luncheon - Made rugs for Mittagong Campsite and the Mission of St James and St John - Gave donations to Amy Bush Fund, Olave Centre and Trefoil Guild administration.

"WHITEHORSE" East Metropolitan Region - Box Hill Nth District
30 Members

Packed Guide and Training calendars at H.Q. - Staffed Royal Show stall and Sailing Centre shop - Catered for Encore 88 State Finals - Helped with Introduction to Leadership kits - Community Service continues with teddy bears for needy children, rugs for the M.S. Society - Packed World Day of Prayer kits - Supplied baby singlets for Social Worker at Box Hill Hospital - Social Activities, Attended Marj Grigg's farewell, visits to neighbouring Guilds and Friends of World Centres Luncheons - Enjoyed a games morning, had Speakers' from 'Make a Wish', M.S. Society, Social Worker - Held our Annual Luncheon, a memorabilia morning - SPECIAL EFFORT is to raise funds to purchase a wheelchair to stay at Britannia Park.

YARRAVILLE West Metropolitan Region - Yarraville District
9 Members 1 Associate

Attended farewell to Marj Grigg, Werribee. Altona Trefoil Guild Annual Meeting, 24 Hour Gathering at Kyabram/Echuca and enjoyed the fun and friendship - Attended Victorian Trefoil Guild Annual Meeting at Britannia Park - Our main service projects have been to give physical and financial support to the completion of Campbell Cottage. We have attended working bees and raised and donated \$400 towards equipment - We continue to support our District at all functions and help stock and man street stalls - We have been busy making pillows and books for the National Gathering - Gave donation to the Irene Fairbairn Fund.

"YARRAYAMBIAC" Wimmera Region
19 Members 4 Associate

Meetings held in various parts of the Region, these are preceded by lunch - Trading table at each meeting to supplement funds - Guild supports local Unit activities - Gave financial assistance to Irene Fairbairn and Thinking Day funds, Olave Centre and Britannia Park maintenance.

"YINBILLIKO" Hume Region - Seymour District
10 Members 2 Associate

Held quarterly meetings - Luncheon held in September - Guild supports the Elderly Citizens Hostel 'Karingal', gave gift of relaxation lounge to commemorate 60 years of Guiding in Seymour. All members' are involved in general community organizations. Gave donation to Britannia Park maintenance.

NEW GUILDS'

"WOMBELANO" Maroondah Region - Heathmont District

MURRAY / DARLING Sunraysia Region - Sunraysia West Division

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES FOR YEAR ENDED 31/8/88.

<u>RECEIPTS</u>		<u>EXPENSES</u>	
Balances 1/9/87	Fixed Deposit	1000.00	
	S.S. Bank	<u>2355.68</u>	
Subscriptions			A.T.G. Adviser - Subscriptions
		3355.68	4266.90
Sales - Trefoil Guild Items		6574.60	Cards 1987
		458.48	1458.00
Calendar Cards 1987	2324.60	2952.10	Cards 1988
			T.G. Items
Calendar Cards 1988	<u>1193.88</u>	<u>390.93</u>	9067.93
T.G. Weekend			G.G.A. of Vic. - Subscriptions 1987
			1988
Photographs		3518.48	2168.00
Administration Expenses		1888.70	2282.00
Sundries and Donations		20.30	Insurance
Insurance		519.90	<u>4.00</u>
Olave Centre		19.45	Southern Cross T.G.
Thinking Day Fund		4.00	10.00
Irene Fairbairn Fund		289.00	300.00
Amy Bush Memorial Fund		98.36	110.36
J.S. Wilson Fund		323.86	620.26
Britannia Park Maintenance Fund		97.00	97.00
		45.00	45.00
Royal Flying Doctor Fund		202.00	202.00
Interest		1110.00	64.10
		139.47	400.00
			79.53
			1256.93
			10.60
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		<u>18664.28</u>	<u>18664.28</u>
			1000.00
			S.S. Bank
			946.57

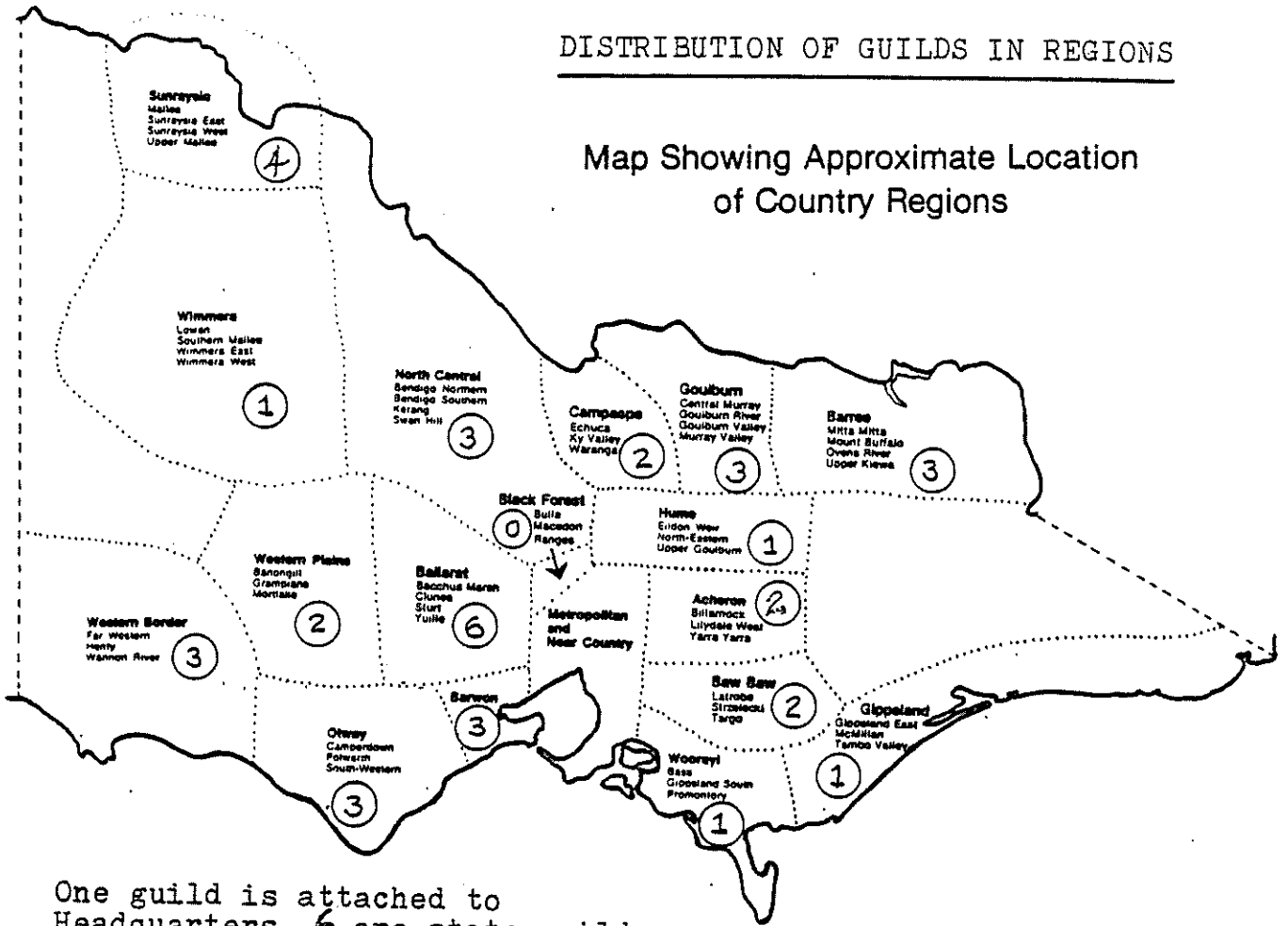
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DISTRIBUTION OF GUILDS IN REGIONS

Map Showing Approximate Location of Country Regions



One guild is attached to Headquarters, 6 are state guilds.

METROPOLITAN AND NEAR COUNTRY REGIONS

