



PAPUA-NEW GUINEA



NEW SOUTH WALES



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

REPORT 1962

THE GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA



VICTORIA



QUEENSLAND



TASMANIA



WEST AUSTRALIA



NORTHERN TERRITORY

Papua-New Guinean Guides waiting for the billy to boil.

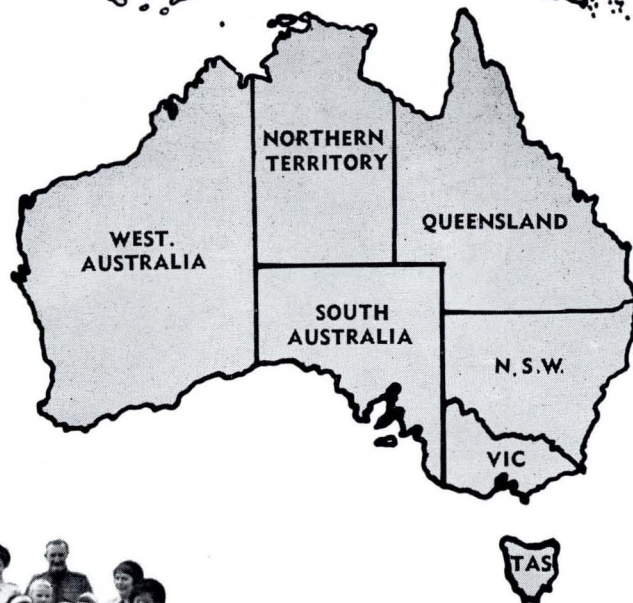


Brown Owl teaches Norfolk Island Brownies a new song.



• NAURU

CHRISTMAS IS



NORFOLK IS



Fun on Christmas Island.



Two smart Guides from the
Kimberleys, W.A.



The World Badge

THE GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION

(Incorporated by Royal Charter)

PATRONS:

Her Majesty the Queen.
Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Queen
Mother.

PRESIDENT:

Her Royal Highness the Princess Royal.

CHIEF RANGER OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH:

Her Royal Highness the Princess Margaret.

FOUNDER:

The Rt. Hon. the Lord Baden-Powell
of Gilwell, O.M., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O.,
K.C.B., LL.D.

WORLD CHIEF GUIDE:

Olave, Lady Baden-Powell, G.B.E.

DIRECTOR, THE WORLD BUREAU OF THE WORLD ASSOCIATION OF GIRL GUIDES AND GIRL SCOUTS:

Dame Leslie Whateley, D.B.E., T.D.



THE GUIDE PROMISE

I promise on my honour that I will do
my best —

1. To do my duty to God and the Queen.
2. To help other people at all times.
3. To obey the Guide Law.

THE GUIDE LAW

1. A Guide's honour is to be trusted.
2. A Guide is loyal.
3. A Guide's duty is to be useful and to help others.
4. A Guide is a friend to all and a sister to every other Guide.
5. A Guide is courteous.
6. A Guide is a friend to animals.
7. A Guide obeys orders.
8. A Guide smiles and sings under all difficulties.
9. A Guide is thrifty.
10. A Guide is pure in thought, word, and deed.

Motto: BE PREPARED

CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

1962 has come to an end, and we review the progress of our Guiding and test its worth by asking, "Are our Guides happy?" The increase in our numbers tells us that they are. "Are they carrying Guiding out into the world by means of service to the community?" The record of Service from all States shows that they are, just as in the days when Guiding first began. "Are they going forward in every way, and building for the future?" Their active participation in all aspects of Australian life, and their contribution to international understanding and to



friendship throughout the world, answers this question.

The first "forward looking" event of our year was the election of our next Chief Commissioner, Mrs. M. A. Buntine, M.B.E. By the time this Report is printed she will have taken office, and we welcome her with the greatest joy, and look forward to following her lead into 1963.

Mrs. Buntine's first duty is to attend the World Training for National Commissioners in Malaya.

One of the most exciting events in 1962 was the visit to Australia of Her Majesty Queen Sirikit of Thailand. Her Majesty graciously consented to attend a luncheon at Glengarry Training Centre, given by the Girl Guides Association of New South Wales. Over 2000 Guides, Brownies and Rangers were present, and were addressed by Her Majesty, after which she inspected a Camp, and sat at lunch at a table with Rangers, Guides and Brownies.

In other States, members of the Movement were also given the honour of taking some part in the programme arranged for Her Majesty, who won the warm friendship of our Movement by her kindness and her sincere interest in all that we are doing—an interest which is reciprocated, for Australia was privileged, late in 1961, to send a Trainer (Miss Peg Barr) to Thailand for a period of three months at the invitation of the World Bureau.

Our numbers have reached approximately 100,000—of these, a fair proportion are Guides in the Territory of Papua-New Guinea, and we feel our Founder would be pleased to know the part our Movement has played in helping girls and young women from the remotest parts of the Territory on their way to fuller citizenship. Signal recognition of Guiding in Papua-New Guinea was the grant this year of £E360 under the UNESCO System of Associated Youth Enterprises for "the continuation of Australia's project for Guide Trainers in Papua-New Guinea." This project, inaugurated in 1959, has given training to

girls from many parts of the Territory, not only in basic Guiding skills, but also in related subjects, such as the care of infants and young children, health and hygiene, elementary cooking, sewing, housekeeping, reading and writing—thus, on their return to their homes, they can be of real service to the community as well as doing actual Guide work. Each course is of 12 months' duration, and has opened up a new career for Papuan-New Guinean women, with good prospects of advancement.

An interesting facet of the development of Guiding in Papua-New Guinea has been the strengthening of links with the mainland of Australia; during the year the Guides of New South Wales sponsored a visit by two P/N.G. Guides to Sydney for a week; the Brownies of Victoria subscribed pennies to purchase a large canoe for Port Moresby, so that Trainers might visit Packs and Companies in their own villages, and also bring groups to Port Moresby Guide House; Tasmanian Guides and Brownies have sent parcels to their sisters in Papua-New Guinea — and they, in their turn, have sent, through Tasmania, money to help Korean orphans.

A particular concern has been the development of Guiding in the Northern Territory, that vast area at present administered by South Australia and slowly working towards State status; as in the Kimberleys area of Western Australia, and the more remote areas of Queensland, distance and the problem of obtaining Guiders make it extremely difficult to obtain continuity in Guiding, particularly among the aborigines; with vigorous training programmes this is being remedied, but the problem will not be solved overnight.

Distance, too, is a problem in dealing with places such as Christmas Island, Norfolk Island, Nauru, and the Bass Straits Islands, all administered by various States; time and expense mean that much must be done by correspondence.

A great event was the International Conference/Training for Guiders of the Extension Section, held in Victoria in January, 1962. Miss Anu Karkare, World Travelling Commissioner, Asian Area, and Miss Margaret Hornby (England) served on the staff, and gave the greatest help and inspiration to the Delegates..

Left—H.M. Queen Sirikit of Thailand delights Guides and Brownies at "Glengarry." In the background, Miss Eleanor Manning, Chief Commissioner, 1955/62.

—Photo: "The Daily Telegraph," Sydney.



*"I looked in the mirror and there saw myself"
Extension Brownies at an Enrolment Ceremony*



*Newcomers from Estonia, Latvia and Poland join their
Australian friends in planning a Local Association activity.*

Miss Mary Lambe was the Commandant, and both Mrs. Fairbairn and I attended. Thanks to Miss Lambe, with the help and advice of Miss Karkare and Miss Hornby, our minds were cleared, and recommendations were made to the Australian Council which resulted in better appreciation of the position of the Section in Guiding, and the appointment of Miss Mary Lambe as the first Australian Adviser for the Extension Section. There was a very happy Camp for Guides and Rangers of the Section nearby.

Owing to bad bushfires, the Camp and the Conference had to be evacuated to Melbourne, but they took this in their stride and continued with their discussions and activities perfectly happily.

Another important event in January was the Biennial Australian Training Conference, held this year in Tasmania and attended by three overseas visitors—Miss Anu Karkare, Miss Anita Caba from the Philippines, and Miss Margaret Hornby—as well as Diploma'd Guiders and Training Advisers from all States.

Later, in April, the first All-Australian Training for Commissioners (to help them with the training of other Commissioners) was held in Victoria. Both events were under the direction of the Australian Adviser for Training, Miss Clare Broadhurst.

As always, our contacts in International Guiding have been many, varied and infinitely rewarding; we are delighted to have with us, for six months, Miss Ng Seoh Seoh, from Singapore, and in addi-

tion to those already mentioned have recently enjoyed the visits of Misses Elizabeth Ethal and Natalie Evans, who came here under the Juliette Lowe Exchange Scheme from U.S.A. Miss Elizabeth Cacdec visited us from the Philippines. The World Conference of the Associated Country-women of the World, held in Victoria, brought many delegates who share our Guiding interests, and made such fleeting contacts as their busy schedules allowed. Three young Australians, Pamela Cooksey (N.S.W.), Lindsey Pearson and Robyn O'Brien (Vic.), represented us at Britain's Panorama, and we were also well represented at the first Australian Assembly of Youth, convened by the National Youth Council of Australia, in New South Wales. By correspondence, many new overseas links have been made through our Post Box.

We have received, with deepest regret, the resignation of our Hon. Australian Treasurer, Mrs. R. B. Charlton, M.B.E. I am glad to be the Guide whose duty it is to place on record the debt Australian Guiding owes to Mrs. Charlton. Her ability as Treasurer, considerable though it is, is the least of her attributes. In the responsible posts in Guiding we need people with strong principles, with wide vision, goodwill, understanding, and the quick clear brain which can turn these qualities into action, and Margery Charlton has helped our progress more than she knows.



A Cadet shows a Guide how to erect her hike tent.



Mrs. M. A. Buntine, M.B.E.,
Chief Commissioner since 1st December, 1962.

We welcome her successor, Mrs. D. A. Norton, LL.B., with enthusiasm, and the promise of our utmost co-operation.

It is with deep regret that we have also accepted the resignation of the Assistant Honorary Australian Treasurer, Miss Cecil Ashburn; our sincere appreciation of her help in so many ways is recorded.

Our Vice-President, Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, O.B.E., has continued to work unceasingly for Guiding. She is known and loved throughout Australia, and in her travels during the year, particularly in the Northern Territory, she has left a spirit of goodwill, renewed confidence and enthusiasm.

Our other Australian Office-Bearers have, as usual, worked for Guiding with a spirit of unselfishness, and a determination to overcome any difficulties.

Our Trefoil Guild Recorder, Miss Edith Purnell, has achieved success in developing and co-ordinating our Trefoil Guild, and making it part of the International Fellowship of Former Scouts and Guides. This took careful work and a great deal of thought and discussion, and we thank her sincerely.

Our sincere thanks go to Miss Rose Taylor, who has come into Australian Headquarters for years now, and regularly each week does all the filing.

Thanks are due, too, to our Hospitality Committee members (particularly to Mrs. E. V. Newman), who have been so helpful and generous to our visitors.

An Australian Superannuation Scheme has been started for our salaried members,

thanks to Miss Mabel Cooper (Victoria). This was badly needed, and we owe her our very grateful thanks.

Miss Marjorie Johnson continues to collect stamps on our behalf. When a market is found, Miss Johnson will have a very good supply of stamps available, for which we are very grateful.

This is the last report I shall sign as Chief Commissioner, and I send to every Guide my love and good wishes for joy in her Guiding.

And to our new Chief Commissioner, Mrs. Buntine, I send my most sincere greetings and assurance of loyal support during her term of office, and may she be happy and proud in the knowledge of your trust and confidence.

God bless you all.

Eleanor Manning
Chief Commissioner.

HER EXCELLENCY THE VISCOUNTESS DE L'ISLE

The death in November of our President, Her Excellency the Viscountess De L'Isle, brought great sadness and a sense of deprivation to all members of the Movement in Australia; in the brief period that Lady De L'Isle occupied this office she closely identified herself with all aspects of Guiding; those who had the privilege of meeting her remember her genuine and practical interest in young people, and there is infinite regret that she has gone from among us.



"I have much pleasure in declaring open Darwin Guide Hall." The Australian Vice-President, Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, with District Commissioner for Darwin, Mrs. Gregory Thrum.

THE GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

The Australian Council was formed in 1926, and directs a general policy for the Movement within the Commonwealth in matters which affect the State Associations as a whole, and which concern Australia in the international sphere of Guiding — Guiding within the States dates back, in some cases, to the period before the first World War, and each State has autonomy in the management of its own affairs.

Her Excellency Lady Stonehaven, wife of the then Governor-General, was the first Australian President in 1926, and this tradition has been preserved unbroken.

It was not until 1948 that a Chief Commissioner was appointed, the position being filled by Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, who remained in office until 1955, when Miss Eleanor Manning was elected. Mrs. Fairbairn is now a Vice-President.

The Council consists of the Chief Commissioner for Australia, who acts as Chairman, all State Commissioners and those Commissioners for Territories who are given the status of State Commissioners by the Council, and not more than two delegates from each State appointed by the respective Executive Committees. The Council meets at least once every two years. There is an Executive Committee, comprising the Chief Commissioner, all State Commissioners, and those Commissioners for Territories who are given the status of State Commissioners by the Council.

OFFICE-BEARERS

PRESIDENT:

Her Excellency the Viscountess De L'Isle, to November, 1962.

VICE-PRESIDENT:

Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, O.B.E. (Victoria).

CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

Miss Eleanor Manning, O.B.E. (N.S.W.), to 1/12/62; Mrs. M. A. Buntine, M.B.E. Honorary Treasurer: Mrs. R. B. Charlton, M.B.E. (Queensland), to July; Mrs. D. A. Norton, LL.B. (N.S.W.).

Assistant Hon. Treasurer: Miss C. Ashburn (Queensland), to July.

International Commissioner: Miss D. Hayman, M.B.E. (Queensland).

Assistant International Commissioner:

Mrs. K. J. G. Wilson (Queensland).

Training Adviser: Miss Clare Broadhurst (Victoria).

Post Box Secretary: Miss L. Laidlaw (Queensland).

Council Fire Correspondent: Mrs. A. Chauncy (Tasmania).

Equipment Secretary: Mrs. J. K. Proudfoot (Victoria).

Trefoil Guild Recorder: Miss E. Purnell (Victoria).

Public Relations Adviser: Mrs. D.

Curtis-Otter, O.B.E. (Victoria).

Adviser for Extensions: Miss Mary Lambie (Victoria).

SUB-COMMITTEES:

Awards Sub-Committee: Miss May Douglas, O.B.E. (South Australia), Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, O.B.E. (Victoria), Mrs. E. C. D. Ringrose, O.B.E. (Queensland).

Administrators, Irene Fairbairn Award Fund:
Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, O.B.E. (Victoria),
Miss M. Douglas, O.B.E. (South Australia),
Mrs. B. V. Stacy (New South Wales).

Headquarters Hospitality Sub-Committee:

Miss Eleanor Manning, O.B.E.,
Mrs. E. V. Newman, M.A., Mrs. Hart,
Mrs. Osborne, Mme. Maurice Playoust,
Mrs. A. F. Deer, Mrs. W. H. Relton,
Misses Rose Taylor, J. Stevenson, White,
and Marjorie Johnson (all N.S.W.).

Public Relations Sub-Committee:

Mrs. D. J. Riddle, Mrs. T. Sandeman,
Mrs. J. K. Proudfoot, Miss Betty Reynolds,
ex officio, Public Relations Adviser
(all Victoria).

SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVES:

Commonwealth Advisory Panel on
U.N.E.S.C.O.: Mrs. H. Steche (New
South Wales).

Freedom from Hunger Campaign, National
Committee: Mrs. H. Steche, Miss L. Mitchell,
M.B.E., J.P. (both N.S.W.).

Australian Council of Social Service: Miss
L. Mitchell.

National Youth Council of Australia:
Miss M. Waudby (Victoria).

MUTUAL AID IN THE PACIFIC:

Australian Adviser, Pacific Area: Lady Cleland,
M.B.E. (Papua-New Guinea).

Australia Liaison, Pacific Area:

Mrs. E. V. Newman, M.A. (N.S.W.).

Asian Centre Appeal Director for Australia:
Mrs. H. R. Hancock (Queensland).

TRAINING:

Australian Training Committee: Mrs. M.
Reynolds Brown (S.A.), Miss M. Andrews
(Tasmania); ex officio, Training Adviser.

Hon. Secretary to Australian Training
Committee: Mrs. B. McNally.

Training Diploma Holders:

Queensland: Miss M. Jackson (Guide),
Mrs. J. Grigg (Camping), Mrs. M. Hamlyn
Harris (Brownie).

South Australia: Miss T. Giles (Brownie),
Miss M. Sullivan (Guide).

N.S.W.: Mrs. E. Railton (Ranger), Misses
K. Leplastrier (Brownie), M. Deer (Ranger
and Camping), N. Kemp (Camping and
Guide), J. Stacy (Guide),

B. Stevens (Guide and Camping),
D. Llewellyn (Camping), M. Wood
(Brownie), G. Roach (Brownie).

Tasmania: Misses M. Andrews (Guide),
M. Hill (Guide), G. Hesketh (Camping),
E. Johnstone (Camping), J. Williams
(Brownie).

West Australia: Miss G. Millar (Guide).

Victoria: Mrs. A. Rylah (Guide), Mrs. A. E.

Sharp (Brownie), Mrs. K. Woollacott
(Ranger), Mrs. G. M. Kentmann (Brownie),
Misses E. Bunning (Camping and Guide),
S. MacLeod (Guide), P. Barr (Guide),
M. Mellor (Camping), M. Lambe (Guide),
N. Sims (Brownie), V. Harrison (Camping).

Assessors for Diploma Tests:

N.S.W.: Mrs. J. Swain, Misses B. Archdale,
E. Manning, M. Deer, G. Roach,
B. Stevens.

South Australia: Mrs. M. Reynolds Brown,
Miss J. Wood.

Queensland: Mrs. H. Burcher, Mrs. Y. Lalor,
Mrs. V. Patten, Miss D. Hayman.

West Australia: Mrs. R. G. Cameron,
Miss F. Couper.

Tasmania: Misses M. Andrews, G. Hesketh.

Victoria: Mrs. R. G. Orr, Misses C.
Broadhurst, E. Moran, P. Barr, E. Bunning,
S. MacLeod.

AUSTRALIAN HEADQUARTERS:

Girl Guides Association of Australia.
G.P.O. Box 675, Sydney, N.S.W.

Executive Secretary: Miss Lillian Mitchell,
M.B.E., J.P.

Typist Clerk (part time): Miss K. Leplastrier.

STATE HEADQUARTERS:

Girl Guides Association of Papua and New
Guinea, P.O. Box 137, Port Moresby.

Acting Territory Commissioner: Lady
Cleland, M.B.E.

Territory Secretary: Miss Gladys Brown.

Girl Guides Association, Queensland,
335 Boundary Street, Brisbane.

State Commissioner, Mrs. C. A. Burcher,
State Secretary: Miss Zillah Stormonth (to
September); Miss Margaret Munckton.

Girl Guides Association, New South Wales,
17-23 Rowe Street, Sydney.

State Commissioner: Mrs. W. C. Wentworth.

State Secretary: Mrs. M. Wurth.

Girl Guides Association, Victoria,
20 Russell Street, Melbourne.

State Commissioner:

Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn, O.B.E.

State Secretary: Miss Betty Macartney.

Girl Guides Association, Tasmania,
93 Davey Street, Hobart.

State Commissioner: Miss Gwen Hesketh,
M.B.E. (to September); Mrs. R. Gabriel.

State Secretary: Mrs. C. A. Whiteman.

Girl Guides Association, South Australia,
278 South Terrace, Adelaide.

State Commissioner: Miss Jean Wood.

State Secretary: Miss Isabelle Muir.

Girl Guides Association, West Australia,
Pastoral House, St. George's Terrace, Perth

State Commissioner: Miss Sylvia Perry.

State Secretary: Mrs. M. F. Newton.

INCOME

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR YEAR

INCOME

Membership Fee and Quota—		
New South Wales	£442	0 0
Queensland	194	0 0
Tasmania	156	15 4
South Australia	145	0 0
Victoria	644	0 0
Western Australia	128	0 0
Papua and New Guinea	162	6 0
	-----	£1872 1 4
Sundry Receipts—		
Interest Received:		
Bank of New South Wales	108	18 0
Industrial Acceptance Corp.	314	1 8
Australian Guarantee Corp.	66	18 4
Bank of New South Wales Savings Account	5	14 1
G.G.A.—Interest transferred from Grant A/c	103	2 4
	-----	598 14 5
Donations—		
Sir Adolf Bassar, C.B.E.	250	0 0
George Patterson Ltd.	100	0 0
Whale Industries Ltd.	50	0 0
Others	21	15 0
	-----	421 15 0
Golden Jubilee Stamp Issue—		
Sales (additional surplus)		66 17 8
Sundry Income—		
Profit — Sale of Equipment	11	18 7
Profit — Sale of Tape Recorder	6	7 0
Surplus — All Australian Training Camp	51	11 5
Exchange	61	13 8
	-----	131 10 8
TOTAL INCOME	£3090	19 1

AUDITORS' REPORT

We report that we have audited the Cash Book of The Girl Guides Association of Australia, Federal Grant Account, for the year ended 30th June, 1962, and we certify the above Statement of Receipts and Payments is a correct record of the manner in which the Federal Grant was expended over that period.

Brisbane. Valentine & McInnes,
27th August, 1962. Hon. Auditors.

ENDED 30th JUNE, 1962

EXPENDITURE

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Administrative Expenses—

Postages	£201	3	9	
Telephone, Telegrams, Cables	199	0	3	
Printing and Stationery	384	2	9	
P.M.G. Fees, Telegraphic and Box Fees	13	2	6	
Cleaning, Lighting, Repairs and Maintenance, Removal Expenses	186	16	11	
Typing and Secretarial	1796	12	5	
Insurances	26	2	6	
Allowance — Chief Commissioner	200	0	0	
Superannuation	69	3	8	
Depreciation	57	0	0	
Fee, World Fellowship of Former Scouts and Guides	3	3	3	
Fee, Australian Council of Social Service	30	0	0	
Subscription and Expenses, National Youth Council of Australia	27	11	0	
				£3193 19 0

Travelling Expenses—

Fares, Expenses	721	1	1	
Less Refunds	508	13	6	
				212 7 7

Australian Council Meeting, 1961—

Expenditure during period	987	7	3	
Receipts	446	5	1	
				541 2 2
				60 0 0

Upkeep — “Foxlease” Room

Painting — Australian Headquarters—

Receipts	30	5	6	
Remitted	50	0	0	
				19 14 6

Reports—

Cost of Printing and Production	403	18	9	
Less Receipts	233	2	7	
				170 16 2

TOTAL EXPENDITURE £4197 19 5

ELEANOR MANNING,
Hon. Chief Commissioner.

LILLIAN MITCHELL,
Hon. Secretary.

A. M. CHARLTON,
Hon. Treasurer.

ASSETS**BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th JUNE, 1962**

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS

CASH ON HAND

Honorary Federal Secretary	£13 14 7	
Honorary Federal Treasurer	1 7 0	
International Commissioner	6 1 7	
Public Relations Adviser	2 9 3	
Council Fire Correspondent	2 7 7	
Post Box Secretary	18 5	
Australian Trefoil Guild Recorder	3 0 4	
Equipment Secretary	8 1	
P. O. & R. Compiler	4 13 9	
	-----	£35 0 7

CASH AT BANKERS

Bank of New South Wales (Brisbane)	2883 4 5	
Bank of New South Wales Savings		
Bank (Sydney)	17 16 7	
	-----	2901 1 0

SHORT TERM DEPOSIT

Industrial Acceptance Corp. (due 15/5/63 at 6½%)	3000 0 0
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STOCKS ON HAND

Awards	114 15 6	
Equipment Secretary	51 3 1	
	-----	165 18 7

DEPOSIT

Sydney County Council Electricity Deposit	5 0 0	
	-----	6107 0 2

FIXED ASSETS

FURNITURE AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Balance, 1st January, 1961	259 1 1	
Additions during period (Gestetner and		
Copying Machine, etc.)	510 7 3	
	-----	769 8 4
Less Depreciation	57 0 0	

TOTAL FIXED ASSETS 712 8 4

TOTAL ASSETS £6819 8 6

LIABILITIES

LIABILITIES

Less LIABILITIES

CURRENT

WORLD BUREAU QUOTA—

Balance, 1/1/1961	£10	2	2
Receipts from States	1040	3	7

1050	5	9
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Remitted to London	1043	4	0
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Balance in Hand		7	1	9
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THINKING DAY CONTRIBUTIONS—

Balance, 1/1/1961	1	14	8
Receipts from States	2731	17	6

2733	12	2
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Less Payments Ex Fund	1324	10	0
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Balance in Hand	1409	2	2
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RENT — 77 CASTLEREAGH ST.—

Receipts	486	8	0
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Payments	455	12	3
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30	15	9
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£1446	19	8
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TOTAL NET ASSETS

£5372	8	10
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ACCUMULATED FUNDS STATEMENT

Balance as at 1st January, 1961	£6479	9	2
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From which is deducted deficiency for period	1107	0	4
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£5372	8	10
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HON. AUDITORS' REPORT TO MEMBERS OF GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

We report that we have examined the Records and Books of Account of the Girl Guides Association of Australia for the period 1st January, 1961, to 30th June, 1962, as shown herein, and the foregoing Financial Statements are a true and fair record to the best of our knowledge and the Records of the Association and the explanations given to us during the course of our Audit.

28th August, 1962.

Valentine & McInnes, Hon. Auditors.

FEDERAL GRANT

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1962

RECEIPTS

Balance at Bank as at 1st July, 1961	£1266 17 2
Commonwealth Government of Australia — Federal Grant, 8th December, 1962	5000 0 0
U.N.E.S.C.O. (Paris) — Transfer for Papua-New Guinea Area	375 0 0
Refund Air Fares — QANTAS — Account C. Gay (Malaya)	38 5 0
Girl Scout Association — U.S.A. — Refund Account Juliette Low Award	950 5 2
	£7630 7 4

PAYMENTS

DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE COMMONWEALTH

—Papua and New Guinea	
Training and Development	£3000 0 0
—South Australia	
Training and Development in Northern Territory	800 0 0
—Western Australia	
Development Amongst Aborigines	100 0 0
Development on Christmas Island	150 0 0
—Queensland	
Training in Outback Areas	400 0 0
—Tasmania	
Training and Development in Islands in Bass Strait	150 0 0
	£4600 0 0

GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF PAPUA-NEW GUINEA

—Payment ex-U.N.E.S.C.O.	375 0 0
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INTERNATIONAL

Thailand — Public Relations Expenses	10 0 0
Philippines — Insurance Philippine Guiders	8 5 0
United Kingdom — Travelling Expenses	65 16 0
Sundry Expenses, including Portable Typewriter and Stationery on International Affairs	90 1 0
	174 2 0

INTERNATIONAL TRAINING CONFERENCE OF HANDICAPPED GUIDERS

Conference Contribution	144 7 1
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TRAINING EXPENSES

Travelling and Accommodation	136 5 9
Postage and Sundry Expenses	41 0 2
Diploma Tests	57 14 6
Australian Training Conference—	
Travelling Expenses — Staff	190 6 0
Travelling Expenses — Representatives States	247 18 0
	673 4 5

ADMINISTRATION

Postages, Stationery, Telephone	16 3 8
Expenses three Representatives Aust. Assembly of Youth	44 0 0
Part Salary (Typing)	200 0 0
	260 3 8

Balance as at 30th June, 1962

6226 17 2
1403 10 2
£7630 7 4

STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND REMITTANCES FOR FUNDS RECEIVED FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES

WORLD BUREAU QUOTA—

Balance (commencement of period)	£10 2 2
New South Wales	253 6 10
Queensland	132 4 11
Tasmania	65 14 0
South Australia	100 13 0
Victoria	389 1 0
Western Australia	79 11 6
Papua and New Guinea	19 11 6
	1050 4 11
Amount Remitted	1043 4 0
Balance (30th June, 1962)	£7 0 11

THINKING DAY CONTRIBUTIONS—

Balance (commencement of period)	1 14 8
New South Wales	872 16 9
Queensland	247 10 2
Tasmania	204 9 10
South Australia	120 11 9
Victoria	1090 0 0
Western Australia	164 0 0
Papua and New Guinea	32 9 0
	2733 12 2
Less Payments ex Fund	1324 10 0
Balance (30th June, 1962)	£1409 2 2

NOTE.—£1367/16/- of above contributions received June, 1962.

DONATIONS TO MME. CAMARASESCU

New South Wales	£20 0 0
Tasmania	5 5 0
South Australia	10 0 0
Victoria	19 15 4
Western Australia	5 0 0
Papua and New Guinea	2 2 0
Amount Received	£62 2 4
Draft Remitted	62 2 4

DONATIONS A/C. "FALK" (SWITZERLAND)

New South Wales	£6 5 6
Queensland	1 1 0
Tasmania	3 3 0
South Australia	10 0 0
Western Australia	3 3 0
Miss Broadhurst	2 2 0
Amount Received	£25 14 6
Amount Remitted	£25 14 6

NEW HEBRIDES APPEAL

Queensland	£7 7 0
Amount Remitted	£7 7 0

Contributions from other States previously received and remitted in prior period.

IRENE FAIRBAIRN AWARD FUND

HISTORY

IRENE FAIRBAIRN AWARD FUND		
Balance, 31st December, 1960		£872 10 5
Add — Contributions for the period 31st December, 1960, to 30th June, 1962—		
New South Wales	£100 0 0	
Queensland	68 19 7	
South Australia	50 0 0	
Tasmania	108 15 4	
Victoria	19 2 0	
Western Australia	25 0 0	
		371 16 11
Donation		5 0 0
Bank Interest — The National Bank of Australasia Ltd.		50 14 5
		1300 1 9
<i>Deduct —</i>		
Grant to Victoria		75 0 0
Balance, 30th June, 1962		£1225 1 9

HISTORY OF FUND

CONTRIBUTIONS—		
New South Wales	£200 0 0	
Papua-New Guinea	10 0 0	
Queensland	166 13 11	
South Australia	153 10 0	
Tasmania	373 10 0	
Victoria	840 1 8	
Western Australia	103 5 3	
	£1847 0 10	
Donations	10 5 0	
Bank Interest	134 13 11	
	£1991 19 9	
<i>Deduct—</i>		
Grants—		
Papua-New Guinea	£200 0 0	
Queensland	90 0 0	
South Australia	61 8 0	
Tasmania	100 0 0	
Victoria	75 0 0	
Western Australia	240 0 0	
	766 8 0	
	£1225 11 9	
Bank Fee	10 0	
Balance, 30th June, 1962		£1225 1 9

This Fund is administered separately from the Association by the Trustees, Mrs. C. O. Fairbairn (Victoria), Miss M. Douglas (South Australia) and Mrs. B. V. Stacy (New South Wales).



"Come on in, the water's fine"—members of the Extension Guiders' Training Conference cool off between sessions.

WHAT IS GUIDING?

The Girl Guides Association (founded in 1910) gives girls between the ages of 7½-21 years training in citizenship through healthy and happy activities.

The Guide Movement is divided into three age groups:

Brownies (7½-11 years) have fun and learn to be helpful in their Packs, led by Brown Owl and her assistant, Tawny Owl.

Guides (11-16 years) join Companies, led by a Captain and a Lieutenant. Through a series of Tests they are trained to be helpful, resourceful, responsible, friendly and cheerful.

Senior Branch (15-21 years): Girls may join whichever Section interests them — Land Rangers (climbing, exploring, etc.); Sea Rangers (rowing, yachting, etc.); Air Rangers (theory of flight, flying as passengers), or Cadets (training to be Guiders).

Within these three age groups, special provision is made for:

Extension Section: Brownies, Guides and Senior Branch members who cannot, owing to physical or mental disability, join an active unit, are welcomed in the Extension Section.

Lone Section: Lone Companies are formed for Guides and Rangers prevented by distance from joining ordinary Companies.

In addition, the **Trefoil Guild** is open to former members of the Movement who are unable to continue with active Guiding, but wish to give such help as their responsibilities will allow.

The Local Association: In each District the Commissioner is advised by a group of interested and influential men and women who form the Local Association. These people not only give valuable support to the Movement, but help to free the Guiders from outside administrative work.

GUIDING

Is an Out-of-Doors Movement: Hiking, camping and woodcraft are included in the programme.

Is designed to help every member make the best of herself. Individual training is given in small units, with practice in self-government and in service for others.

Is a voluntary organisation: Commissioners and Guiders (the adult Leaders of the Movement) work in a voluntary capacity.

Is Interdenominational: Every member is encouraged to become a full and active member of her own Church; the words "Duty to God" come first in each Promise.

Is International: Every enrolled member of the Movement is one of a sisterhood of more than 5,000,000 Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, linked together by the World Association. There are no barriers of colour class or creed.

CENSUS

CENSUS FIGURES SUMMARY AS AT SEPTEMBER, 1962

Total in Australia under each Branch, Section, etc.:—

	ENROLLED			NOT ENROLLED			GRAND TOTAL
	STATES	TERRITORIES	TOTAL	STATES	TERRITORIES	TOTAL	
State Council Members (elected members)	355		355	166	62	228	583
Ex-officio on Executive Committee	54	6	60	3	3	6	66
Secretaries	244	5	249	112		112	361
Members of Sub-Committees (not included in other headings)	11	1	12	39	4	43	55
L.A. Members	8,750	104	8,854	10,614	221	10,835	19,689
Commissioners	1,042	37	1,079				1,079
Guiders	6,043	357	6,400				6,400
Senior Branch:							
Cadets	133	16	149	4	4	8	157
Land Rangers	454	2	456	153	5	158	614
Sea Rangers	328	7	335	139		139	474
Air Rangers	85	16	101	20		20	121
Lone Land Rangers	44		44	26		26	70
Lone Sea Rangers	14		14				14
Extension Rangers	60		60	25		25	85
Guides	27,082	974	28,056	5,249	1,041	6,290	34,346
Extension Guides	128		128	55		55	183
Lone Guides	187		187	63		63	250
Brownies	27,604	951	28,555	4,393	1,443	5,836	34,391
Extension Brownies	64		64	22		22	86
Trefoil Guild Members	584		584	26		26	610
	73,266	2,476	75,742	21,109	2,783	23,892	99,634

ENROLLED MEMBERS

STATES—

Victoria	27,988
New South Wales	19,174
Queensland	9,189
South Australia	7,255
Western Australia	5,500
Tasmania	4,160

73,266

TERRITORIES

Papua-New Guinea	1,728
Australian Capital	345
Northern Territory	277
Norfolk Island	37
Nauru	89

2,476

NOT ENROLLED MEMBERS

STATES—

Victoria	8,191
New South Wales	6,493
Queensland	1,682
South Australia	1,853
Western Australia	1,153
Tasmania	1,737

21,109

75,742 (Enrolled)

CENSUS

CONTINUED

TERRITORIES—

Papua-New Guinea	2,489	
Australian Capital	181	
Northern Territory	110	
Norfolk Island	3	
Nauru	—	
	2,783	
		23,892 (Not Enrolled)

Grand Total for AUSTRALIA 99,634*

SUMMARY

		1962	1961
Victoria		36,179	33,976
New South Wales — State	25,667		23,743
A.C.T.	526		495
Norfolk Island	40		40
		26,233	
Queensland		10,871	10,794
South Australia — State	9,108		8,170
Northern Territory	387		337
		9,495	
Western Australia		6,653	6,161
Tasmania		5,897	5,934
Papua-New Guinea		4,217	3,092
Nauru		89	85
		*99,634	92,827
Net increase for 1962		6,807	



"In the gloaming, in the gloaming, come sing and be merry": New Australian Guides and their friends around a Campfire.

THE GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

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