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**1920**

Guiding rented one floor of the Scout's new building at 25 Buckingham Palace Road London  
Miss Nella Levy accepted invitation to initiate Guiding for N.S.W. (Australia)  
Miss Agnes Baden-Powell resigned as Vice President of The Girl Guide Association  
Princess Mary (Princess Royal) President of the Association. She was enrolled by Olave in 1917  
'Taps' adopted as a world-wide closing hymn or vespers  
Senior Guides became Rangers  
State Executive formed in Tasmania (Australia)  
Lady Newdegate - Chief Commissioner for Western Australia -1924  
When the Prince of Wales toured Australia he reviewed a March Past of 200 W.A. guides, He had asked B-P for a representation of guides wherever possible, B-P had passed the request on  
Guiding banned in Germany, 1920-33. (The East rejoined in 1946) and Ukraine - rejoined in 1992  
Guiding began in Kenya and Liberia

[Germany](#)

[Kenya](#)

[Latvia](#)

[Liberia](#)

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**1921**

A Victorian Executive was formed (Australia)  
Miss R. Hamilton- Toorak Ladies College, became the 1st Honorary State Secretary of Victoria (Australia)  
First enrolment of (26) Leaders in N.S.W. Australia  
First Companies formed, Lones established and Brownies began, N.S.W., Australia  
Lord & Lady Baden-Powell visited Palestine (Guiding was in action)  
Guiding began Ghana, and it is thought in Iraq too

[Ghana](#)

[Iraq](#)

[Palestine](#)

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**1922**

Foxlease, in the New Forest, was given to the Movement by Mrs Archbold. It was endowed by the Princess Royal from her wedding gifts and called Princess Mary House. Australia has a room in this house  
The first training week at Foxlease was held in June  
First State rally held in Victoria at Government House, Stonnington, in Glenferrie Road, Malvern. 300 attended  
Second International Conference held in England  
N.S.W. held the first 'officer training camp' at Canley Vale. From then on only trained leaders could take guides camping  
Guiding began in Guyana, Iceland and Slovenia (Dissolved 1941 and returned in 1990)

[Guyana](#)

[Iceland](#)

[Slovenia](#)

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**1923**

Lord and Lady Baden Powell made their first visit to Canada  
Miss Hogarth appointed first full-time Secretary for Guiding in Victoria  
Lone Guides started in Victoria  
First Mounted Guide Company in Australia formed at Wannan, Victoria  
Rangers commenced in Victoria  
N.S.W. State Standard presented to the Movement by Dame M. Davidson  
First edition of Victorian State Magazine 'Matilda' came out in July- (published quarterly at first) Miss Hogarth, State Secretary, Editor  
Guides New Zealand was incorporated  
Guiding began in The Gambia, Costa Rica, Paraguay and Turkey

[Costa Rica](#)

[Gambia](#)

[Paraguay](#)

[Turkey](#)

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**1924**

Third International Conference held at Foxlease, England  
First International Camp followed the conference. Held in the grounds of Foxlease  
First Lones Company founded by Phyllis Munday in Canada  
Miss S. Irving appointed State Secretary for Victoria  
N.S.W. magazine 'The Supplement' stated as a single page slipped into the English 'The Girl Guide Gazette', (later became 'The Waratah')  
An aboriginal guide unit was started at the Yarrabah Mission station in Queensland. The girls burned charcoal to raise money for their uniforms and equipment  
Lady Campion- Chief Commissioner for Western Australia -1931  
The 1st Swinbourne Ranger Company (W.A.) was registered on 17th June. Miss May Davey was appointed Lieutenant in charge  
Guiding began in Austria, Botswana, Fiji, Sierra Leone, Swaziland, Uruguay, and Zambia

[Austria](#)

[Botswana](#)

[Fiji](#)

[Sierra Leone](#)

[Swaziland](#)

[Uruguay](#)

[Zambia](#)

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**1925**

Lady Baden-Powell was presented with her own Guide Standard



Lady Baden-Powell's violin (she had named it 'Diana') was presented to the Association for loan to promising young players in need of a good instrument. There are now many instruments for loan



Guiding began in Iran, (-1988) Lesotho and St Lucia

[Iran](#)

[Lesotho](#)

[St Lucia](#)

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**1926**

Dame Katharine Furse - First director of the Girl Guides (1926–1936)  
Thinking Day commenced (22nd February - Joint birthday of Lord & Lady Baden-Powell)  
First Australian (Later Federal) Council meeting held in Melbourne  
First Interstate camp held in New South Wales  
Lady Somers became Victorian State Commissioner  
Fourth International Conference held in U.S.A.  
Victorian State Council formed in November. - 1st Federal president  
Guiding began in Mauritius, Kiribati and Belarus

[Belarus](#)

[Kiribati](#)

[Mauritius](#)

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**1927**

Juliette Low, the Founder of the Girl Scouts of The U.S.A. died. A fund in her memory was started to promote world friendship  
'Sea Guides' renamed 'Sea Rangers'  
Waddow Hall bought to be a training centre. (England) [Waddow Hall web site](#)

Australian State Badges adopted



First meeting of Victorian State Council held in March  
Extension Guiding and Post Guides started in Victoria  
Girl Guides uniforms and badges were registered  
Welcome cards were placed on ships carrying migrants to Australia  
Lady Chauvel, Deputy State Commissioner, represented Guides of Victoria at opening of Federal Parliament in Canberra.  
An Extension Brownie Pack was formed at the Blind Institute  
The enrolled members of The Australian Girl Guide Association numbered 16,925. (In 1924 it had been 6,000)  
Companies were started in Nauru, Norfolk Island, Christmas Island and Cocos Island. (Under Australian administration)  
Guiding commenced in Papua New Guinea under Australian Association  
Guiding began in Congo, St Vincent and The Grenadines

[Congo](#)

[Papua New Guinea](#)

[St Vincent & the Grenadines](#)

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**1928** Fifth International Conference held in Hungary

Lithuanian Girl Guides at camp

Council Fire 1978

World Bureau set up in London



First Victorian Guiders Conference held- Country rallies were held in larger centres  
The World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scout was formed. (W.A.G.G.G.S.)

Dame Katharine Furse - First director of the WAGGGS



The Foundation members of W.A.G.G.G.S. were

Australia	Belgium	Canada
Czechoslovakia *#	Denmark	Estonia *
Finland	France	Hungary *
Iceland	India (with Pakistan & Bangladesh)	
Japan (until 1939 then again in 1960)		Liberia (until 1931 then again in 1975)
Lithuania *	Luxembourg	Netherlands
New Zealand	Norway	Poland *
South Africa	Sweden	Switzerland
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland		
United States of America	Yugoslavia (see 1990)	

\* After the 2nd World War the people were not permitted to be involved in Scouting or Guiding.  
# Rejoined in 1990.

Guiding began in Bangladesh, Cook Islands, France, Romania, Vietnam, Sudan and Tanzania

[Bangladesh](#)  
[Cook Islands](#)

[France](#)  
[Romania](#)

[Sudan](#)  
[Vietnam](#)

[Tanzania](#)

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1929 Second Australian Interstate Camp held at Frankston, Victoria  
First Ranger Conference held in Victoria  
Guiding began in Spain and Monaco

[Spain](#)

[Monaco](#)