

This paper summarises the programs for Guide Branch 2020. It is independent of all other programs organised at HQ Level.

Guide Programs

Category	Guide Program	Cost for participant	Point of Contact	Date	Information
Interest Badge	Anti-drug Abuse Badge (Centralised Testing)	\$4 per Guide	Jasmine Cheong	5 June (Friday) 4 November (Wednesday) Guide can choose one of the slots for any of the days: 1. 9.30 am - 12.00 pm 2. 2.30 pm - 5.00 pm	Guide attains Anti-drug Abuse Badge
Interest Badge	Anti-Smoking Campaign/Smoke Free Ambassador	Nil	Puay Sim Yee	1. 6 March (Friday) 2:30 pm to 6 pm 2. 13 March (Friday) 2:30 pm to 6 pm 3. 20 March (Friday) 2:30 pm to 6 pm 4. 27 March (Friday) 2:30 pm to 6 pm	Guide attains Smoke Free Ambassador Interest Badge
Proficiency Badge	Bakester Course for Guides	\$15 per Guide	Jasmine Cheong	Dates to be released in 2020	Guide attains the Bakester Badge
Interest Badge	Crime Prevention Badge	\$2 per badge	Jasmine Cheong	Ongoing; coordinated by Guiders	Guide attains Crime Prevention Badge
Interest Badge	PUB Water Challenge	\$5 per Guide	Puay Sim Yee	1. 3 June (Wednesday) 9 am to 5 pm 2. 5 June (Friday) 9 am to 5 pm 3. 26 June 2020 (Friday) 9 am to 5 pm	Guide attains Water Challenge Badge Level 1 and possibly Level 2

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Proficiency Badge and Interest Badge	Jacob Ballas Children's Garden	Free	Puay Sim Yee	<p>First run of the year: (Attend all sessions)</p> <p>Session 1: 14 Jan (Tuesday)</p> <p>Session 2: 17 Jan (Friday)</p> <p>Session 3: 31 Jan (Friday)</p> <p>Session 4: 7 Feb (Friday)</p> <p>Session 5: (Make up) 8 Feb (Saturday) 9:30 am to 12 pm</p> <p>Session 6: 14 Feb (Friday)</p> <p>Session 7: 28 Feb (Friday)</p> <p><i>All sessions are 3:30 pm to 6 pm unless otherwise stated</i></p> <p>Guiding Sessions are between 7 March to 8 March and 14 March to 22 March</p> <p>Second run of the year: (Attend all sessions)</p> <p>Session 1: 23 June (Tuesday)</p> <p>Session 2: 26 June (Friday)</p> <p>Session 3: 3 July (Friday)</p> <p>Session 4: 10 July (Friday)</p> <p>Session 5: 14 Aug (Friday)</p> <p>Session 6: 21 Aug (Friday)</p> <p>Session 7: (Make up) 28 Aug (Friday)</p> <p><i>All sessions are 3:30 pm to 6 pm unless otherwise stated</i></p> <p>Guiding Sessions are between 29 Aug to 30 Aug and 5 Sept to 13 Sept</p>	Guide attains Jacob Ballas Children's Garden Interest Badge and Naturalist Proficiency Badge

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Proficiency Badge and Interest Badge	Garden by the Bay Ambassador	Free	Lin Fang	Dates to be released only in 2020	Guide attains Garden by the Bay Interest Badge and Naturalist Proficiency Badge
Proficiency Badge	First Aid Course (in collaboration with NYP)	\$5 per pax	Puay Sim Yee	11 th July (Saturday) 8.30am to 2.30pm	Guide attains First Aid Proficiency Badge and Emergency Helper Proficiency Badge
Proficiency Badge	Footdrill Proficiency Badge [Centralised Testing]	Nil	Puay Sim Yee	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 19 March and 20 March (Thursday, Friday) 2. 10 September and 11 September (Thursday, Friday) 3. 5 November and 6 November (Thursday, Friday) 	Guide attains Footdrill Badge
Proficiency Badge	Facilitation Workshop (Guides)	Nil	Lee Lin Fang	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 21 March 9 am to 5 pm (Saturday) 2. 4 June 9 am to 5 pm (Thursday) 3. 24 June 9 am to 5 pm (Wednesday) 4. 31 October 9 am to 5 pm (Saturday) 	Leads to Guide attaining Peer Facilitator Badge
Proficiency Badge	Pioneer Proficiency Badge (Centralised Testing for PGA candidates)	Nil	Jasmine	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 23 October 2. 30 October 	Potential PGA Guides attains Pioneer Badge
Proficiency Badge	Rock Climbing SNCS Level 1	\$55 per Guide	Jasmine Cheong	Guiders can choose their own slots and sign up at the beginning of each semester. Guider can seek further SEP funding through school directly.	Guide attains the Rock Climbing Badge
Proficiency Badge	1-Star Kayaking	To be confirmed	Jasmine Cheong	To be confirmed	Guide attains the 1-Star Kayaking Badge

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WAGGS Badge	Free Being Me + Action on Body Confidence	Nil	Lin Fang	1. 7 March (Saturday) 9 am to 5 pm <i>(Priority slots reserved through Division Commissioner)</i> 2. 18 April (Saturday) 9 am to 5 pm 3. 25 July (Saturday) 9 am to 5 pm	Guide attains the Free Being Me/Action on Body Confidence Badge
WAGGS Badge	WAGGS Surf Smart Program	Nil	Lin Fang	1 August (Saturday)	Guide attains Surf Smart Badge
Training for Guiders	Standardised Session for: Friends to the World & National Heritage Badge for Guiders [Online]	Nil	Jasmine Cheong	3 January (Friday) 15 May (Friday) 3 pm to 5 pm <i>Online Session</i>	For Guiders who intend to have their Guides to attain these badges; Per unit, there should be at least 2 Guiders attending. One to train and another to test.
Training for Guiders	Homemaker Standardised Session for Guiders	Nil	Jasmine Cheong	1. 17 January (Friday) 2. 8 May (Friday)	For Guiders who intend to have their Guides to attain the badge; Per unit, there should be at least 2 Guiders attending. One to train and another to test.

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Training for Guiders/Guides	She Solves Engineering Badge Training for Guiders/ Guides	Nil	Lin Fang	Dates to be released in 2020	

Other Programs

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National Competition	Wee Kim Wee Challenge Shield	\$20 per team	Jasmine Cheong	Preliminary Rounds: 20 March (Friday) Finals: 4 July (Saturday)	Competition at National level
For Brownies	Brownie Go for Guides!	\$5 per Brownie	Jasmine Cheong	For Brownies: 30 May	Sharing of Guide activities

Baden Powell Award

Round	Dates
Round 1	Written Test: 7 February 2020 Marking ² – 13 February (Thursday), 14 February (Friday) and 15 February (Saturday) Execution Test: Completed by end of Term 2
Round 2	Written Test: 3 July 2020 Marking ² – 9 July (Thursday), 10 July (Friday), 11 July (Saturday) Execution Test: Completed by end of Term 3

The Awards Ceremony is held on 12 September 2020.

Point of Contact: Jasmine Cheong

President Guide Award

Dates	Information
4 January 2020 (First Saturday)	Registration Deadline for PGA
18 January 2020 (For selected candidates)	Round 0 – Checking of Qualification of PGA Candidates
1 February 2020 16 March to 18 March 2020	Round 1 – Planning & Organisation Briefing for PGA Candidates Planning & Organisation Test <i>Guide participants:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Learning camping in a more creative manner OR</i>• <i>Social action – part of Initiatives where girls can use the ideas and bring it back to their schools</i> <i>Guides can sign up as part of Initiatives where girls can use the ideas and bring it back to their schools</i> <i>Cost per participant: \$60 (HQ subsidizes \$60)</i>
April 2020	Round 2 – Be Prepared Test Round 3 – Interview
9 December 2020	PGA Ceremony (at Istana)

Puan Noor Aishah Award (Year of Assessment 2019)

Dates	Information
4 January 2020 (Saturday), 5 pm	Submission of Deadline for Puan Noor Aishah Award (Guide)
February	Release of Results to all

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