



TMBR Challenge

Here's What's Next

Objectives: Encourage transitioning members to develop leadership and life skills while staying active and feeling valued during their transitioning year.

Outcome: Upon completion, a pin and certificate of completion will be awarded.

Requirements: All participants must be registered members of Girl Guides of Canada in British Columbia. Transitioning members do not have to be attached to a unit to participate. They should however, be registered at a District level to allow for access to trainings, activities and events.

Challenge: Experience a sample of what Guiding has to offer adult members allowing for the time, varied interests and resource concerns many transitioning members face.

There are three focus areas (Training, Unit participation and Councils and Committees). All participants must complete the mandatory safe Guide training. To complete the challenge participants complete one per area. Upon completion, the attached form is completed and forwarded to the BC Membership Adviser at Membership@bc-girlguides.org

You can request to be included on our Facebook page to keep in touch with other transitioning members while you complete the challenges. Please contact Membership@bc-girlguides.org for an invitation to be included in the private page.

Training:

Safe Guide (mandatory): Safe Guide must be completed after the participants 18th birthday in order to fulfill Safe Guide requirements for adult members. This course may be completed in person or on line. Information regarding available sessions available through the District Commissioner. The on line fee of \$5 is waived when a PIN is requested through the Provincial office Officeclerk@bc-girlguides.org

Participate or facilitate one additional element of training. The minimum time commitment including research and planning is 6 hours.

- Facilitate a camp skills training with a unit (bed rolls, packing, navigating with a compass, putting up a tent, etc.)
- Any Girl Guide TEAM training
- Attend District or Area meeting and teach social media skills
- Teach safety
- First aid
- District or Area training committee participant
- Teach Guiding traditions (horseshoe, campfire, how to set up patrols) to a group of girls or new Guiders
- Teach any other skill to a Guiding group

Unit Participation

Be involved in a unit planning session, meeting or event. Determine that Safe Guide criteria have been met. Minimum total time commitment, including planning and preparation: 6 hours
Have a District Commissioner give you the contact information for a unit then:

- Participate in a unit planning session
- Participate and lead 3 unit events (the same or different units)
- Lead an activity at 3 unit meetings (may be remotely)
- Plan and help with a special unit event such as a sleepover, camp, or special outing.

Councils and Committees

Investigate the workings of a Guiding council or committee. Provincial Advisers can be contacted directly (see contact information on the BC Girl Guides Website). Request contact information for Area and District Council and Committees from your District Commissioner.

Participate in one or more committee activities. Minimum total time commitment: 6 hrs.

Camping

- Participate in a District or Area Camp planning session
- Assist with a District or Area level camp
- Work on the QM team at a District or Area level camp
- Become a Provincial, Area or District Camping Committee member

Archives

- Request a tour of Provincial Archives and Museum (Vancouver)
- Help Archive your Area or District records

International

- Investigate the required elements for a world trip
- Investigate a community project at a World Centre you can bring to your District Council
- Assist with a District, Area or Provincial Thinking day celebration

Awards

- Promote nominations on social media
- Assist with some award selections (ask Awards Adviser)
- Confirm membership years in your District
- Present awards at District or Area awards presentations

Membership

- Investigate and report on diversity initiatives with LGBT community
- Investigate and report on underrepresented groups in your community
- Plan or participate in a membership booth at the District or Area level
- Investigate or participate in outreach initiatives in your District or Area
- Become a District or Area Membership Committee team member
- Assist or help administer a District or Area webpage
- Assist with TMBR challenge administration

Program

- Help Rangers with the completion requirements for Chief Commissioner or Duke of Edinburgh awards
- Help with Area Challenge administration
- Assist with a Provincial, Area or District program event
- Become a District or Area Program Committee member
- Provide information to unit Guiders on program resources

PR

- Investigate and report ways to promote Guiding in your District / Area
- Reach out to PR committee in your District or Area to learn and understand Graphic Standards
- Write a submission for the Pipeline, include a picture
- Educate a council about the advantages and risks and limitations of social media in Guiding
- Become a District or Area PR Committee team member