



The Bharat Scouts and Guides

Creating Better India

National Headquarters

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To
All the State Secretaries,
State Associations of
The Bharat Scouts and Guides,
INDIAN UNION



Circular No.: **105/2021**

Date : **25TH August, 2021**



SUB: INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE CELEBRATION 21ST SEPTEMBER, 2021

Dear Sir/Madam,

The International Day of Peace is observed around the World every 21st of September. The United Nations declared this day devoted to strengthening the ideals of peace through observing 24 hours on non-violence and ceasefire, both within and among all nations. The World Scout Bureau, Asia-Pacific Region under the umbrella of Messengers of peace has taken this initiative for the past six years in celebrating the International Day of Peace as a day creating awareness, inspiring young people and leaders to make this day a commitment day for year-round peace actions.

This year's theme as announced by the United Nations is "**Recovering better for an equitable and sustainable world**". We invite everyone to join efforts in focusing on recovering better for a more equitable and peaceful world celebrating the day by spreading compassion, kindness and hope in the face of the pandemic, and as we recover.

Goal for International Day of Peace 2021

Although activities may vary from State to State, our aim for this day is to **involve a large number of young people in peace actions/activities at all levels** (physically or virtually as per the local situations) with the objective of creating **massive awareness** on the roles they can play as global citizens leading to positive changes in their communities. Focus for this year is to unite and share thoughts in healing and changing the planet for the better. Scouting aims to "Create a better World" and this year's theme 'Recovering better for an equitable and sustainable world' will help us to reflect on this tagline.

Guidelines:

Please find attached herewith suggested activities with guidelines (enclosed) to commemorate "International Day of Peace 2021". State Associations can adopt based on their local needs and situations as per prevailing COVID pandemic.

Special Messengers of Peace-International Day Certificate of Participation

Cubs/Bulbuls/Scouts/Guides/Rovers/Rangers/Adult Leaders completing the International Day of Peace Activity and uploading it in <https://sdqs.scout.org/> with report submitted to the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters at <https://bit.ly/3B9ZuoW> can receive Digital Certificate.

Involvement of State Associations:

Please nominate a suitable coordinator either MoP State/Local Coordinator to coordinate the activities of IDP-2021 and forward the contact details of assigned leaders to the Bharat Scouts and Guides, NHQ, New Delhi by **05th September, 2021** so they can become part our network.

Here are some of our suggested activities:

One can also create more activities as per possibilities to create visibility of the organisation from home/online in action on Peace to create a better world.

You are requested to upload brief report of the activities with action photographs in the given link <https://bit.ly/3B9ZuoW> You are also requested to share your Peace activities through other social media using the hashtags **#PeaceDay #bsgindia #BSGNHQ #BSGIndia**

For further assistance or support from our end, please do not hesitate to contact Shri Amar B. Chettri, Joint Director of Scouts (Prog. & Trg.) in email internationaldeskbsg@gmail.com

A report form is attached to ensure that all projects held in celebration of the International Peace Day are well documented. **This form should be uploaded in the given link <https://bit.ly/3B9ZuoW> and reach National Headquarters latest by 25th Sept, 2021. Report received after 25-09-2021 is not eligible for the certificate.**

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,

(AMAR B. CHETTRI)

JOINT DIRECTOR OF SCOUTS (PROG. & TRG.)

**Encl: 1. Guidelines
2. Reporting Proforma**

Copy to:-

1. All the NHQ Office Bearers of the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters.
2. Chairman/Secretary, Railway Scout and Guide Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shahid Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi - 110016.
4. The Commissioner, Novadaya Vidyalaya Samiti, Institutional Area, B-15, Sector - 62, Noida, Uttar Pradesh – 201309.
5. All the District Secretaries, District Association of Dammam, Riyadh, Muscat and Jamiat Youth Club.