



Program

Here are some activities of Girl Scouts of Japan.

Girl Scouts of Japan organizes several national trainings and events as the central program of the organization. Some programs are subsidized by the government such as the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports and Science, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and others.

Youth Exchange Program with Girl Scouts of Korea

Since 1999, Girl Scouts of Japan has been inviting about 50 Girl Scouts of 13 to 18 years old from Girl Scouts of Korea on Youth Exchange Program to nurture friendship between youngsters in two countries to overcome the unhappy history. The steering committee of Girl Scouts of Japan includes Ranger Girl Scouts and this contributes to develop their leadership.



Ranger National Camp



Ranger Girl Scouts from all over Japan gather for the national camp. The steering committee consisted of Ranger Girl Scouts map out the program based on one point of our activities, Living with Nature.

The National Gathering

This is a triennial event for Senior and Ranger Girl Scouts.

They picked up the agenda for discussion and talked about their future actions related to the agenda.

The recent National Gathering invited non-members of the movement, both males and females from different high schools, and disseminated the message of Girl Scouts to wider societies.



Peace Pack Project

In response to WAGGGS Peace Initiative, Girl Scout of Japan sent Peace Packs containing stationeries and daily necessities to Afghan refugee children for ten years between 1994 to 2003. The delegations to monitor the distribution of Peace Packs were sent to Pakistan. As this activity was highly valued and recognized from the society, Girl Scouts of Japan received the letter of appreciation and a plaque from UNHCR.

We have new launched Peace Pack Project II , which is for Myanmar refugee children in Thailand.



Overseas Program

Girl Scouts of Japan sends Ranger Girl Scouts to overseas programs every year. Participation in the programs held at World Centres and international camps organized by other Member Organizations develops their views and leads to challenges in the future.

Cultural Exchange Programme with Girlguiding UK

Since 1996 this program has contributed to the development of young women, not only for cultural exchanges between two countries. Girl Scouts of Japan invites young leaders from the U.K. and extends activities throughout Japan. Young Japanese leaders play the important role in developing the program.

