



GIRL GUIDES
AUSTRALIA
VICTORIA

FUN LEADERSHIP FOR YOUTH (FLY)

Lingbogol Girl Guide Camp, Creswick

*10.00 am Saturday 7 April –
3.00 pm Monday 9 April*



Information Booklet

Basic Information

What?

Fun Leadership for Youth (FLY) is a leadership weekend for all Guides aged 14-17 who are looking to further their understanding of leadership and their own leadership skills.

The content has been designed to ensure that National Youth Leadership Skill Training guidelines are met and that this weekend can be used as the residential leadership training for the Queen's Guide.

When?

10.00 am on Saturday 7 April – 3.00 pm on Monday 9 April

Where?

Lingbogol Girl Guide Campsite
Cnr Broomfield and Geddes Roads
Creswick North
Victoria

Cost?

\$140

Includes accommodation, food, and all activities.

Accommodation for FLY is in indoor bunk rooms.

Enquiries

Enquiries regarding registration and payment for the event can be directed to:

Katie Possingham at support@guidesvic.org.au

Enquiries regarding event plans, transport, or health matters can be directed to:

Merilyn Cunningham at cunninghammerilyn@gmail.com



Program

The FLY program is jam packed full of fun and challenges. We'll be both indoors and outdoors throughout the weekend, moving around lots with some sections sitting down, and of course having fun! We all sleep indoors in bunks to make it easier and more friendly.

Although we have done our best to give you some down time, it is not a weekend you will be able to fit homework into – this is something you should consider when planning your weeks and weekends before and after.

The FLY program has been designed around the National Youth Leadership Skills Training Standard, which means that it meets the requirements for the Residential Leadership Course for the Queen's Guide Award. This means that there are lots of new ideas and concepts for most of our Guides, so we need to have some sections of 'theory' so that everyone can fully understand the activities that come next.

The FLY program is a challenging weekend incorporating advanced personal development and critical thinking skills. If this type of activity sounds particularly challenging, please indicate on registration. We will make every effort to accommodate the needs and abilities of all Guides, however it is important that these are disclosed for planning purposes.

In line with our duty of care obligation, if a Guide arrives with a support requirement about which the volunteer staff have not been notified, or for which the volunteer staff cannot cater (for reasons of supervision ratio or training), it is very likely the Guide will not be able to join the event.



Transport

Transport to and from camp will need to be privately arranged.

There are public transport options possible. If you are coming to camp by public transport please let Merilyn or Katie know by email.

Mobile Phone/Technology

There will be no need for your mobile phone or other technology during the weekend, therefore we recommend you leave it at home.

If you choose to bring any of these items, they will be collected before each session and will be given back during meal breaks and overnight. This will help to ensure your full attention and focus is on the activities.

Expectations

As with all Guide events, we expect that you will live the Guide Promise and Law throughout the weekend.

FLY will be run as a Guide camp, and as such you will be working as a member of a Patrol.

We expect that everyone will participate fully in all parts of the training to their own ability.

We expect that everyone will take responsibility for themselves; owning their emotions and dealing with them appropriately. We ask that you

- practice openness
- be fair
- speak your feelings
- tell the truth
- show consistency
- fulfil your promises
- maintain confidences

All Girl Guides Victoria events are non-smoking events. No alcohol or drugs are permitted on the site.



Kit List

Item	Notes
Clothing:	
Jeans, tracksuit pants, shorts	No short shorts
T-shirts, shirts	No singlet tops or bare midriffs
Jumpers	
Close toed shoes	You will need at least 2 pairs, incl. 1 waterproof
Thongs	For use in shower only
Underwear & socks	
Pyjamas	
Sun hat	
Beanie/Scarf/Gloves	
Waterproof jacket	Needs to be fully waterproof and be long enough to cover your bottom
Guide Uniform	For formal dinner (including appropriate shoes)
Toiletries:	
Toothbrush and toothpaste	
Hair brush and hair ties	
Sunscreen	
Insect repellent	
Deodorant	
Soap/Shampoo	
Towel	
Sanitary items	
Sleeping Gear:	
Sleeping bag	
Pillow	
Miscellaneous:	
Note pad and pen	
Torch and batteries	
Sit upon	
Water bottle	
Song book/Guides Own book	If you have them
Camera	Optional

