

GIRL GUIDES GET TOGETHER:

Girl Guides and Girl Scouts from many parts of the world gather at Blair Atholl for the Scottish International Guide Camp. From the Philippines, from the States, from Sweden - in fact, from three Commonwealth and 14 foreign countries they have come to celebrate the centenary of Robert Baden-Powell, the man who founded the greatest youth movement in the world. Every county in Scotland is represented. Those include Orkney, Shetland and the Western Isles. The movement welcomes everyone - not forgetting the handicapped.

As everyone knows, there are ten Guide laws - and to remind us of them, this is called the Camp of the Ten Stars. The Chief Guide, Lady Baden-Powell, spends a day at the camp, and makes a point of chatting with the overseas visitors. For this one day, the 850 Guides who are staying a whole week in the camp are joined by 3,000 more Scottish Guides who have come to share their camp-fire evening.

Here's a group of Finnish girls performing a national dance. Many of the foreign guides have brought their own colourful national costumes with them, and it all adds up to as varied a camp-fire programme as anyone could wish to see. This tricky piece of footwork by the Phillipino contingent might be a demonstration of the Girl Guide motto - "Be Prepared".

A day whose memory will be carried all over the world.