

# Girlguiding Celebrates 2025

## A guide to nominating someone!

It's great to hear you're interested in nominating someone to come to Girlguiding Celebrates. Read this guide carefully before you submit...

Nominating someone for Girlguiding Celebrates means they could get to come and join the fun, excitement and entertainment of the day, and be celebrated for the amazing things they do for Girlguiding. It means they will be added to a list for country and region chief commissioners to review and select a shortlist of people who'll be able to attend. Anyone who is nominated and shortlisted can attend Girlguiding Celebrates and is celebrated alongside other members who've received Girlguiding awards.

### You can:

- Nominate anyone who's a member of Girlguiding and holds a volunteering role
  - Example roles: young leader, Guide helper, unit leader, unit helper, commissioner, treasurer.
- Nominate someone who's a member of Trefoil Guild (we have a small number of places available).
- Nominate anyone, as long as they're a current Girlguiding member. This includes members in British Overseas Territories (part of Girlguiding North West England).
- Nominate someone in your unit.

### You may not:

- Nominate a young member who doesn't have a volunteering role.
  - Example roles: Rainbow, Brownie, Guide, Ranger.
- Nominate someone who is no longer a member of Girlguiding or Trefoil Guild.
- Nominate someone in your family.

### Notes

- We'll automatically be inviting those with Queen's Guide award, Laurel award, Silver Fish award, and Guiding Star award – it's not a problem if you aren't sure, but if you're planning to nominate someone for this reason, they'll already have an invitation. For Girlguiding Celebrates 2025, we'll invite people who received these awards between January 2022 and December 2024.
- If they've attended before as a nomination we'll be unable to shortlist them again. Please don't worry if you're not sure if your person has attended or not – we can check this. You're welcome to nominate someone who has achieved an award and attended previously (for example Queen's Guide award).

- All nominations are sent to country and region chief commissioners to shortlist. They will make the selection for who gets a seat. This means not everyone nominated will get to come to Girlguiding Celebrates.
- The purpose of the nomination form is to nominate someone to come to Girlguiding Celebrates. It's not for any other type of award or prize.
- If you'd like the person you nominate to see your reasons for nominating them, we'll add those to their invitation. If you don't want us to include them, please indicate this on the form. This will not affect your nominee's chance of getting shortlisted.
- If your nomination is successful and the nominee attends Girlguiding Celebrates, we'll let you know only if the nominee has given us permission to do so.
- You won't be contacted if your nomination is unsuccessful.
- Tickets are not transferable.
- Attendance is free, but we do not have a travel bursary.

## Thank you

Thank you so much for nominating someone amazing. We know there are unsung heroes in every corner of Girlguiding and unfortunately we have a limited number of seats.

If you think your person deserves an award – have you considered nominating them for a [Laurel](#) or [Silver Fish](#) award? You can learn more about these awards on our website.

Please do keep thinking about how to celebrate on a local level as well!