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Indian SGF – mourns the martyrs of Phulwama attack on Thursday 14th Feb 2019 and all over India SGF teams stood with gratitude to pay homage to brave soldiers. The SGF teams from Kharagpur S E Railway, Bizpur & Sethbhagan Dishari West Bengal, Warengal Tillangana, AP State, Pali Rajasthan & Delhi. Events of Indian SGF - 2nd Western Regional Council, Daman & Diu SGF while launching BS&G in Daman, DNH BS&G / SGF while celebrating 5th year of BS&G, 2nd State Gathering of Eastern Railway SGF, 1st Indian Railway SGF Gathering and many more took out candle lit marches, stood in silent and prayed for the martyrs.

Indian SGF stand firm with solidarity & integrity with the India & Indian Army. We promise, to do our duty, to god & our country..... Jai Hind.

Success stories

- Launched – **The Bharat Scouts & Guides** in Daman & Diu (UT)
- Celebrated – **The Bharat Scouts & Guides** DNH marked 5th year anniversary – same is also established by Indian SGF during 2014
- 1st **Indian Railway SGF Gathering** become history
- Indian SGF move towards **partnership** by joining B P Guild Gathering in Kelantan Malaysia
- 2nd **Western Regional** SGF Council concluded
- **Pradhan Mantri Yojana's Skill Centre** in Daman got educated about Scouting / Guiding
- Western Railway & Eastern Railway SGF's had their state council formations with Gatherings
- Indian SGF reached out in Bhopal (revival) MP, Burdhaman & Midnapore in WB
- Andhra, Karnataka, Rajasthan, Maharashtra, S E Railway, Rajasthan, SGF's continued to strengthen SGF and serve communities

National Updates

Launching of Bharat Scouts & Guides in Daman & Diu (UT) – Indian Scout & Guide Fellowship NHQ with continuous efforts lead by National Secretary M A K Mecci, with local facilitation of DNH team and coordination of Daman & Diu SGF team – The Bharat Scouts & Guides was launched in Daman on 19th Feb 2019.

Chief National Commissioner Dr. K K Khandelwal in magnanimous leadership came down to Daman one day prior to launching on 18th Feb 2019. A meeting was held in late evening with CNC, Mecci along with Dr. Deepak Patel – National Joint Secretary of Indian SGF & coordinator of launching from DNH, State Secretary Sharmista Desai and SOC (S) Shudhanshu Shekar of DNH BS&G in presence of President of Daman & Diu SGF Rajendra Rasulia. All details of launching shared and updated about establishing independent Bharat Scouts & Guides State in Daman & Diu (UT) – to be functioning after June 2019 under adhoc committee & by December 2019 will start working with BS&G NHQ New Delhi. CNC came out with one suggestion, to form Patrons council, by involving key persons / officials from both DNH & Daman Diu (UT's) for smooth functioning & get support. All agreed, immediately appointment with Advisor of both UT's & other key officials on 19th Feb 2019 in morning is fixed. With a cup of tea meeting came to end.

19th Feb 2019 – Great achievement with team efforts, Indian SGF initiatives & CNC personal magnanimous role.

- 1030 hours – Lead by CNC DR. K K Khandelwal along with Mecci representing Indian SGF along with local team visited office of Advisor to UT's in Moti Daman. Shri S. S. Yadav, IAS, Advisor to Administrator, Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli in presence team of senior officials from Daman & Diu UT Admin assembled in Advisors official chamber. CNC Dr. K K Khandelwal along with National Secretary Mecci along with three local team members reached in time, CNC presented flower bouquet to advisor, followed by his informative talk on BS&G & its basics/ structures. Followed by Mecci explained about launching of BS&G in Daman & Diu (UT), he also informed them about 2014 launching

BS&G in DNH by Indian SGF. On the occasion Advisor & his team release the official Scarf of BS&G Daman & Diu UT. Followed by presentation of Scarfs to all 7 members present on the occasion representing UT Admin with taking oath with Scout / Guide promise. In the next level of planning all the 7 members will be installed in Patron's Council including few from DNH & also few of them will join as office bearers of BS&G. The first slot went on very well.

- 1115 hours – Launching of Bharat Scouts & Guides – main program held in Vivekananda Auditorium, Govt. Degree College, Daman – all the guests were received by Band Part team of Scouts / Guides from Galaxy School Diu with beautiful slow march, general salute and escorting guests to auditorium
- Assembly stood for Scout / Guide Prayer, BS&G Flag unfurled officially lead by Diu Scout Master followed by welcome address from Dr. Deepak Patel – National Joint Secretary of Indian SGF & coordinator of launching from DNH, Being part of UT Admin as Medical Officer.
- Shudhanshu Shekar SOC (S) of DNH introduced the key invited guests among 200 members who assembled for launching – while introducing official scarf was presented to Dr. K K Khandelwal, Mecci, M M Rathi, Satish R Khanna and others.
- Senior Vice President of Indian SGF NHQ on behalf of Justice Kalpesh Jahveri delivered opening remarks. He extended gratitude to Bharat Scouts & Guides in general, CNC Dr. K K Khandelwal in particular – for accepting Indian SGF proposal to launch BS&G in Daman & Diu UT. He recollected 2014 success story when Indian SGF launched BS&G in DNH – he said today DNH is brimming with Scout & Guide activities, they are representing in Regional / National regularly, once they also represented India in Asean Jamboree in Malaysia. He also appreciated the celebration, Indian SGF team witnessed 5th year anniversary in Sillvasa on 18th Feb 2019, attended by around 1000 Cubs / Bulbus, Scouts / Guides, Rovers / Rangers and adult leaders under young SCC & her team. He concluded that Indian SGF dream same for Daman & Diu (UT).
- Prelude of Indian SGF was told to house in brief by International Secretary Seema Rathi – informing the role of Daman & Diu SGF.
- National Secretary Mecci with PPT. explained Bharat Scouts & Guides – its principles, objectives, structure, progressive approach of youth program, sections / wings and much more. He also said the dream of Indian SGF to see BS&G in all corners & grass root level in India, he declared once Daman & Diu (UT) is done, our next destination will be Lakshadweep (UT).
- Induction of Adhoc Committee to manage & establish BS&G in Daman & Diu (UT) is done under the patronage of CNC Dr. Khandelwal – by presenting official scarfs by CNC, reaffirmation of Scout / Guide Promise by Mecci & BS&G Flag along with set of literature APRO Pt 1, Pt 2, Pt 3, Rules, Scouting for Boys was handed over to the team.
- Adhoc Committee Members are - Hon'ble Collector - Daman, Shri Sandeep Kumar Singh (IAS), Hon'ble Collector - Diu, Shri Hemant Kumar (IAS), Director of Education - Daman, Shri Harsh it Jain (Danics), Smt Bhagvini D Desai, I/C GUPS Dalvada School, Daman, Shri

Anil K Damania, S V School Daman - Member Daman & Diu SGF, Shri Rajendra N Rasulia, S V School Daman, Secretary Daman & Diu SGF, Dr Deepak Patel - Joint National Secretary, Indian SGF / NHQ, Shri Sudhanshu Shekhar - SOC (S) DNH State Bharat Scouts and Guides, Ms. Maitri Diu, Vaibhav Singh Rajpur Diu.

- CNC Dr. K K Khnadelwal while accepting new 52nd State of Bharat Scouts & Guides in Daman & Diu (UT) – congratulated the UT Youth, young people, Educational Fraternity and administration. He said it is great contribution from Indian SGF in general, Mecci in particular along with SGF team from NHQ, DNH & Daman/Diu. He gave gist of BS&G in best oration by narrating examples of world famous authors, his inspiring talk being CNC of BS&G is eye opener to many in the audiences. His advise to new committee and Indian SGF to stick on to goal till we made BS&G functional in Daman & Diu UT, is well reciprocated by print media. He also asked Indian SGF to move ahead to support & establish BS&G in Lakshwadweep after Daman & Diu.
- Special time for DNH BS&G – as Indian SGF established BS&G in DNH, a special stage was set to support & promote DNH BS&G. CNC Released Official BS&G patch of DNH. Satish R Khanna Handed over Cheque of Rs.15000 to DNH towards solidarity funds, Pali Scout Pariwar under M M Rathi initiatives another Rs.10000 was given DNH BS&G on the occasion.
- In closing remarks – Satish R Khanna Advisor to Indian SGF International Cell, congratulating the Daman & Diu with assurance of support in future.
- Phulwama Attack – the assembly stood in silent for in martyrs memory & support of unit / integrity of India.
- Rajendra Rasulia, President of Daman & Diu SGF, proposed vote of thanks.
- Entertainment cum display by scouts / guides of Daman & Diu under Shudhanshu Shekar assisted by Rajput was mesmerizing.
- With National Anthem – Launching came to end, to begin new journey towards next level of establishment.

The Daman & Diu SGF team, DNH SGF & BS&G team including youth committee, Seema Rathi & Dr. Deepak Patel, Shudhanshu Shekar, Sharmista Desai, Rajendra Rasulia with his team made the launching memorable and grand success.

Last Stretch of CNC Dr. Khandelwal before flying back to Delhi, is stop at Pradhan Mantri Yojana's Skill Centre promoted and supported by Government of India in Daman. Along with Mecci & local team CNC met around 30 young adults of skill center – educated them about BS&G, its importance and why they should join Scouting / Guiding. The interactive session between CNC and skill center members went on lively. Mecci presented Scarfs to all Skill Centre members and they took oath with Scout / Guide Promise. CNC declared BS&G is taking every opportunity to educate & involve members from every level and every corner of India, Indian SGF will continue to train team of Skill Centre.

13th National Gathering – A combined meet between host committee & Indian SGF NHQ team was held in Lonavala at the venue of 13th National Gathering on 20th Feb 2019. Accommodation, Logistics, accounting, program schedule and many details discussed to finalise the Gathering. Lonavala Guild SGF & its team playing vital role to make the Gathering one of the memorable, with guidance & support from Maharashtra State SGF key leaders. On the occasion, Gathering logo was released.

Indian Railway Scout & Guide Fellowship

1st Indian Railways SGF Gathering – with efforts from 2009 & vision 2020 the 1st Gathering exclusively for Railways held in Kharagpur / Digha on 23rd & 24th Feb 2019 hosted by South Eastern Railway State SGF. Around 80 members attended from 11 Zonal Railways lead by three national council members Manju Ray Advisor, Padmini Pillai National Joint Secretary (Railways), S K Karak Convener Indian Rly SGF under the patronage of Col. C M Pagar and directions of National Secretary Mecci. The 2 days Gathering began with arrivals, registration & settling in Scout Den Premises of KGP BS&G SER District.

The first part of Gathering held in Vivekananda High School auditorium – integration session began with self-introduction of all participants, announcements about Gatherings, introduction of Management Team, do's & don'ts, including two days schedule. With tea break members re assembled for inaugural session. Lead by S K Karak inaugural session began with Scout Guide Prayer Song, welcome address by Padmini Pillai and local team presented event scarfs to dignitaries on dais including Manju Rai & others. In keynote, address National Secretary narrated a brief success story of Indian Railway SGF, with support of RSGB from 2009 till date. He said time has arrived by which Indian Railway SGF should be independent and vibrant in its own way – by being part of Indian SGF. In inaugural address Manju Ray congratulated the hosts, organisers and proudly inaugurated the Gathering. She gave very specific examples how Indian Railway SGF can serve and survive with retired & serving professionals. Col. C M Pagar gave presidential address and blessed the occasion, he explained dual membership with BS&G & appreciated same. In technical side – President of Kharagpur District SGF S E Rly Mr. Panda expressed gratitude to Indian SGF and organisers by bringing such first & best Gathering to KGP, he said it best opportunity for KGP to host. The inaugural session came to end with formal thanks and announcements by S K Karak. Shreerangam Haritash Sr. DPO of KGP joined the occasion and blessed the Gathering. Manju Ray installed him as SGF members and advised him to be Sr. Vice President of SER SGF.

With a break, the first Assembly of Indian Railway SGF began with zeal & enthusiasm. After briefing the fundamentals of Indian SGF & its hierarchical structures, Railway Board Circulars issued in favor and support of Indian SGF were discussed. While discussing many issues were raised on Membership of Railway SGF, Fee structure, SCL for serving professionals, involving retired professionals, forming State / District / Guild council in Railways as per Railway Policy (constitution) much more were listed out. Shibshankar Pal of Eastern Railway SGF and Jameel Ahmed of DLW Varanasi SGF were nominated to note the discussions & submit the recommendations for further action. Manju Ray gave an advise, to communicate to RSGB & arrange a meet with team of Railway SGF at RSGB for further support.

With lunch break – members reassembled for Zone wise SGF activities reporting and same was monitored by S K Karak. Followed by ATAS Gathering for all eligible members – 4 new members were presented with ATAS Patches. Then Gathering came to have celebrations with plenty of entertainment with best presentations by local Scouts & Guides. To make it more colorful SGF participants joined and made the

evening memorable by presenting attractive cultural items. The evening was managed by Kalol Dey Vice President of S E Rly SGF & on the occasions – two new SGF teams joined – one is first Nagpur District SGF of SECR joined Indian SGF under Devendra Sakre leadership and other unit is Midnapore members joined West Bengal SGF in presence of Vice President Barnua Choudhry. The hosts presented individual souvenirs to all registered participants and certificates. Indian SGF recognized key leaders of S E Rly State SGF for hosting and making the event most successful. The first day came to end with grand dinner and with instructions to visit Digha next day morning.

On Sunday 24th Feb 2019 – Gathering moved to Digha with special busses. By enjoying breakfast on the way members reached Digha, they had a Gathering in Digha Railway Station, with prayer, summing up, formal thanks, safety measures to be taken while enjoying in Digha Beach were informed, timings & place for lunch / evening tea were announced. The Gathering went on enjoying the beach, few games, water fun and official photographs. With lunch and evening tea – 1st Indian Railway SGF Gathering came to end & all participants left back to their destinations. Kalol Dey, Bhibhu Kanungo, Pradip Maity, Sumanta Bera played a key role representing S E Railway SGF with support from local BS&G officials especially DOC (S) Kripal Singh & his team. The service Rovers / Rangers team also contributed a lot to make Gathering success.

Partnership In continuous efforts Indian SGF – Building Bridges Beyond Borders was shown in action during Gathering of Kelanthan B P Guild Malaysia. On 1st & 2nd Feb 2019 National Secretary joined the Gathering, partnership was discussed, result can be seen during 13th National Gathering in Lonavala. The dialogues of partnership held in presence of GUnaseelan T, Brenda Kaun and local key leaders of Kelanthan B P Guild.

Regional Empowerment

2nd Western Regional SGF Council Meet held in Gholvad State Training Centre of Western Railway BS&G on 16th Feb 2019 attended by 17 members from Daman & Diu, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Western Railway. Chaired by Padmini Pillai & convened by Sachin Toshniwal. Vishnu Agrawal played a vital role along with Mecci. The council discussed few critical areas of coordination & two SGF team read out reports. Hierarchical structure of District / Guilds were explained, financial management also on the agenda. With technical discussions, members also enjoyed camping life with Rovers / Rangers of BS&G Western Railway, especially pioneering projects erected by various team. The pioneering of Mujaffar Hussain Rover displaying various water fountains attracted every one and SGF team enjoyed camp lunch, with few spots of interests in Campsite as well as Gholvad. The Council Meet was hosted by Western Railway BS&G – lead by Aijaz Mirza SOC(S) & his team. Santosh Talpe invited all to 13th National Gathering to be held in Lonavala. In the beginning, members paid homage to Phulvama Martyrs & stood in silence memory of Dr. Mehta 1st Death Anniversary.

INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

Andhra Pradesh SGF

Guntur District SGF 257th Monthly meeting held in Guntur on first Sunday 3rd Feb 2019 – they are working to support and promote AP State SGF in all districts. Swarnalatha & Lakshmikant are playing key role.

Dadra & Nagar Haveli SGF

The fifth Anniversary of The Bharat Scouts & Guides DNH State on 18th Feb 2019 in Silvassa went on very well. DNH SGF extended complete support to same, on the occasion Cubs / Bulbuls, Scouts / Guides, Rovers / Rangers & adult Scouts / Guides came together from all over DNH to celebrate. The SCC of DNH BS&G took lead to mark fifth year along with her team State Secretary Sharmista Desai, SOC (S) Shudhanshu Shekar, along with youth committee & other key volunteers. The highlights are: -

- Flag Hoisting Ceremony & Grand March Past by the best performance
- Recognizing best candidates of all 6 sections of both wings
- Appreciating best units, institutions, print media
- Presenting first set of Warrants to Unit Leaders / charters to units under DNH BS&G seal
- Supporting Daman & Diu volunteers to gearing up forming BS&G in their own territory
- Functioning of independent SHQ of DNH BS&G & SGF
- Entertainment by local Scouts & Guides
- 15 more members joined SGF on the occasion

National Secretary Mecci was chief guest on the occasion, under patronage of M M Rathi VP and in presence of Seema Rathi IS. Indian SGF NHQ continue to support DNH, on the occasion Pali Scout Pariwar gave cash award towards solidarity funds for uniform & LCD projector for DNH SHQ is also committed by NS.

Daman & Diu SGF hosted launching of The Bharat Scouts & Guides in Daman on 19th Feb 2019 befittingly. It is new beginning of for Daman & Diu team led by Rajendra Rasulia President, Anil Damania, Dipin Damania, along with Vaibhav Rajput & Maitri from Diu. CNC DR. K Khandelwal & Indian SGF National team were inspired by their efforts and commitment.

Eastern Railway State SGF

2nd State Gathering & GA was held on 22nd Feb 2019, hosted by Howrah District SGF – in Burdhaman_ led by Chayyan Bhattacharya and his team. 71 members from five districts attended. With Scout / Guide prayer, members paid tributes to Phulwama Blast Martyrs by floral tributes & lighting up candles. They also garlanded Lord & Lady BP to mark Thinking day. The formal Gathering began with welcome address & brief introduction by working president S K Karak. Followed by self-introduction, reporting by all participating Districts / Guilds SGF's was informative and Ajantha Basu Joint State Secretary did the state combined reporting. IRF & membership related discussions were held, Railway / non-Railway membership is main discussion. National Secretary Mecci presented gist of Indian SGF & it's hierarchical structures, stress was given on Railway SGF functioning in accordance with Railway SGF policies adopted in constitution. The State Council of Eastern Railway State SGF is being updated with additional members included from new SGF units and inducting experienced / workable team. A plan was discussed with outlines with dos' & don'ts. With lunch break, members came back to E Waste Management workshop, which continued for one hours with interactions and input by Mecci. With formalities the Gathering came to end, DRM/ Howrah paid visit to Gathering while he was on inspection in the locality, he recognized Mecci with souvenir. S K Karak proposed vote of thanks and all stood for National Anthem. With a cup of tea, members departed. The SGF team of Chayan Bhattacharya, Ali and Rovers / Rangers from Burdhaman did amazing job by hosting and Smarendra Nath MUKkerjee, Shibshankar Pal, along with key leaders from all District SGF's played a key role.

Gujarat State SGF

Organised free distribution of footwear among poor students in Ahmedabad on 1st Feb 2019 with support of Sanskar Foundation. Dhruvbhai Vyas State Secretary took lead with other members cooperation from Gujarat State SGF.

Karnataka State SGF

Ballari District SGF – held their General Assembly on 3rd Feb 2019 in Bellari and new council 2019-2022 was formed. President : Vikram Pola, Vice President : Shanta Bai, Vice President : Virupaksha, Treasure : Jakaria, Secretary : Ajmal Shakeeb, District Organiser : B MD Aejaaz, Jt. secretary : Suma, Asst. Secretary : Nisar Ahmed and Dist representative to KSGF State council : B Md Aejaaz.

Chamundi Guild SGF - BLOOD DONATION CAMP AT MES COLLEGE MALLESWARAM. Chamundi Guild in association with Rashtrottana Blood Bank organized a Blood Donation Camp at MES College, Malleswaram on 28th February, 2018. Some of the Guild members volunteered at the event and also donated blood. The event was very successful and we were able to collect 219 units of Blood from the Camp.

SRI SATYANARAYANA PUJA - Every year Sri Satyanarayana Puja is performed at the Group. This year also Sri Satyanarayana Puja was performed on Sunday 17th February 2019. Both Chamundi Guild & Sri Chamundi Scouts and Guides came together and performed the pooja. All the arrangements like decorations, pooja arrangements, preparation of offerings taken up by both the Guild members and Scouters. The entire amount of the puja expenses was sponsored by Guild members.

Kerala State SGF

Kerala State SGF - Working President Verghese is taking lot of efforts to establish & strengthen SGF in Kerala with regular coordination with NHQ.

Maharashtra State SGF

Greater Mumbai District SGF

28.02.2019 Hosting of Guests from Denmark. Greater Mumbai unit had the privilege of hosting Two Members of Denmark Fellowship Ms. Med Birthe & Ms. Birgit Gildehilsen who visited Mumbai on 18.02.2019 to understand how the fellowship carries out its functions in India and also to understand the scouting and guiding activities in Mumbai. The Guests from Denmark were received by our President Mr. Vishnu Agarwal from Farias Hotel and a function was held at SVS English School, Worli in their honor. Our members Mr. Satish Khanna, Mr. Surendra Agarwal & Mr. Sachin Toshniwal welcomed them at the school. The school authorities received them with a grand and warm welcome. The Guests, Members & School Authorities discussed about the scouting activities carried out in Mumbai and India. Experiences were shared among the Guests and Members. Thereafter the Guests were taken to the function specially organized for the guests. The scouts and Guides welcomed the guests with Scout Salute & Parade and presented them with Shawl, Bookey and Set of Books. The children presented various entertainment programmes such as Pole Malkham, Human Pyramid & Lezim Dance. The Guests were thrilled to watch the children present such dance items and scintillating performance. The School had also organized "Promise Ceremony" for the children who have successfully completed Pratham Sopan and were ready to be inducted in Scouting and Guiding by providing them the Oath and Scarf under the Scouting Flag.

Celebration of B.P. Day This year the members celebrated the B.P. Day (Thinking Day) on 21.02.2019 with the children of Sishuvihar School, Matunga. Scouting Flag was hoisted. An overnight camp was planned & organized in the school premises with the help of school authorities. 12 different tents were erected by 12 groups of campers by using different knots. A refresher course was also organized where the rajya puraskar scouters and guiders were giving refresher training to the fellowship members and the fellowship members were enthusiastically taking part in the activity by refreshing their knotting and first aid skills. A Small skit was performed by the scouts and guides depicting the various stages of scouting and guiding like cub/bulbul, Scouts/guides, ranger/rover, and continuing the scouting activities through fellowship after schooling. Mr. Satish Khanna took part in the play and explained the activities carried out by the fellowship which benefits the society. In the evening, the scouts and guides showed their various skills by giving some entertainment programmes and providing snacks to the fellowship members which they has prepared on their own.

Thane District SGF

Celebrated Thinking Day/BP DAY on 22nd February at Thane Bharat Scout Guide Conference Hall. All our members participated to render their respect to our beloved Leader Baden Powell and Madam Baden Powell on their Birthday, popularly known as Thinking Day. Took the promise to carry forward their good deeds with full of vigour and selfless motive.

Pune District SGF

At Pune Scout & Guide Dist. Asso with Dr. Ganpat More, Education Officer, Pune Dist, Mr.Saptale, Pune Divn. Scout Guide Incharge, with other Scouter ,GuidersPune members : Dineshkumar Pandey, Priya Kalaskar, Mrs. Jyoti Belliappa, Mrs. Avantika Rane. On occasion of Thinking Day oath taking in a school Shramjeeve Balak Mandir, Primary and High school, Madhyamik Vidyalaya. By Pune Unit Members.. Smt. jyoti Phadnis , & Smt.Shama Shikalgar

Lonavala Guild SGF –

Hosted meeting of host committee along with key leaders of Maharashtra State SGF & Indian SGF on 19th Feb 2019 in 21 Retreat Resort Lonaval and also lunch for all. They took initiative to promote new two districts in Maharashtra by inviting their representatives. Lead by Guild President, State Secretary Dr. Amol and Organising State Secretary Santosh Talpe.

Had meeting with Dr. Amol Kalekar, and the Lonavala Unit. Discussed about the planning of the upcoming event, National Gathering to be held in the month of April, 2019 Our President. Pande participation In KHELO INDIA KHELO youth games. Tt And the Third event this month was the Closing Ceremony of Centenary year of The Bharat Scouts & Guides, Pune Association (Sthanik Sanstha) Our Pune Unit members participated in organizing and carrying out this event successfully. Chief Guest was Shri.Deepak Tilak, Director Tilak Maharashtra Vidhyapeeth. Cubs, Bulbuls, Scouts and Guides performed scouting /camping activities.

Madhya Pradesh SGF

Seoni District SGF - According to guideline of Ind SGF NHQ the renewal for 2019 is completed. Council Members submitted to NHQ. SEONI District SGF, has developed networking with co- ordination cell "JAN-

ABHIYAAN PARISHAD" initiated by MP Govt. This is advised by the District Collector to acquire community awareness/service project in district.

Bhopal District SGF - revival of Bhopal District SGF was held in past 2 months & on 18th Feb 2019 New Council Formed and initiated by NIRAJ SHARMA. Around 27 members have come back to fold of SGF.

President - Shree Ramdayal prajapati

Secretary - Neeraj sharma

Treasurer - Sweta karosiya

District Organizer - Aakash kumar Bhatt

Member - Manav kumar agnihotri

Odisha State SGF –

State Secretary Rusi Patnaik met National Secretary Mecci in Cuttack on 25th Feb 2019. The functioning of State Council in Odisha is main agenda and future planning is also discussed.

Rajasthan State SGF

Udaipur District SGF – "मंदबुद्धि - बधिर छात्रावास में नाश्ता एवं फल वितरण कार्यक्रम' आज दिनांक 17.02.2019 रविवार को विकलांग कल्याण समिति के मंदबुद्धि - बधिर छात्रावास, उदयपुर में इंडियन स्कॉउट एंड गार्ड फ़ेलोशिप, उदयपुर द्वारा नाश्ता एवं फल वितरण किया गया | कार्यक्रम की अध्यक्षता स्टेट सचिव श्री हरिशंकर तिवारी एवं मुख्य अतिथि स्टेट कॉउन्सिल सदस्य व संभागीय उपाध्यक्ष श्री देवेन्द्र माथुर, संभागीय सचिव श्री चंद्रकांत पालीवाल और स्टेट पी.आर.ओ. व संभागीय सह-सचिव उदित चौबीसा थे | उदयपुर शाखा फ़ेलोशिप परिवार द्वारा 75 विद्यार्थियों को उक्त सामग्री वितरित की गई। सभी बच्चों के साथ फ़ेलोशिप सदस्यों ने उनके छात्रावास का परीक्षण किया एवं उनके साथ भिन्न-भिन्न खेल भी खेले। उन बच्चों की प्रतिभा को देखा, समझा और उनकी प्रतिभा को आगे पहुँचाने का प्रयास करने का लिया। कार्यक्रम में श्री हरीश चन्द्र सनाढ्य चीफ़ पेटर्न, श्री सूरज कुमार श्रीवास्तव कोषाध्यक्ष, श्री अशोक श्रीमाली, श्री बसंतीलाल पालीवाल, श्री किशोर मिश्रा, श्री अमित तोषनीवाल, श्रीमती मिथिलेश सनाढ्य एवं अन्य सदस्यगणों की उपस्थिति रही | आभार अभिव्यक्ति एवं धन्यवाद ज्ञापन श्री चंद्रकांत पालीवाल और कार्यक्रम का सफल संचालन उदित चौबीसा ने किया गया |

“भावभीनी श्रद्धांजलि अर्पित की गई” आज दिनांक 19.02.2019 मंगलवार को गोवर्धन सागर पाल स्थित श्री सुंदरसिंह भंडारी प्रतिमा स्थल के समीप इंडियन स्कॉउट एंड गार्ड फ़ेलोशिप, उदयपुर द्वारा जम्मू कश्मीर के पुलवामा में शहीद हुए वीर जवानों को भावभीनी श्रद्धांजलि हेतु शोकसभा का आयोजन किया गया | स्टेट सचिव श्री हरिशंकर तिवारी ने बताया कि 14 फ़रवरी को सीआरपीएफ़ के काफ़िले पर किये गये आतंकी हमले की निंदा की एवं इसे इंसानियत पर हमला बताते हुए इस हरकत की भर्त्सना की | शोकसभा में राजस्थान काउंसिल सदस्य व संभागीय उपाध्यक्ष श्री देवेन्द्र माथुर, संभागीय सचिव श्री सी.के. पालीवाल, स्टेट पी.आर.ओ. उदित चौबीसा, चीफ़ पेटर्न श्री हरीशचन्द्र सनाढ्य, श्री रामचंद्र अग्रवाल, श्री प्रेमनारायण जोशी, श्री गोविन्दराम चेचाणी, श्री विजयशंकर सिंह, श्री तुषार दोषी, श्री संतोष तनेजा, श्री बसंतीलाल पालीवाल, श्री विजयशंकर सिंह, श्री पन्ना सिंह, श्री अमित तोषनीवाल श्रीमति मिथिलेश सनाढ्य एवं श्रीमति अग्रवाल की उपस्थिति रही |

Pali Marwar District SGF organised swine flu awareness in Pali Town in various location four times during Feb 2019 as the cases of Swine Flu were on rise. They also arranged local herbal drink which can stop the infections among general public. Devraj Sharma President of Pali Marwar, along with M M Rathi, Bhattnagar & other team members played vital role. It become very popular in Pali town.

South Eastern Railway SGF

Kharagpur District SGF – took out candle light march with solidarity of Indian Army & Phulwama Martyrs on 15th Feb 2019 in Kharagpur town. They hosted 1st Indian Railways SGF Gathering befittingly and celebrated Thinking Day on 22nd Feb 2019.

Western Railway SGF

On 16th Feb 2019 – by hosting 2nd Regional Council Meet in Gholvad, Western Railway SGF also organised its 1st State Gathering attended by 19 members from 4 Railway Districts. On the occasion the 1st State Council was installed as follows.

SCC of BS&G - Patron by virtue of post

Shri. M. R. Goel, President (CPO- IR)/ CG

Ms. Padmini Pillai, Working President (Ex.DFM RJT)/ Dy GM National High speed Rail Corporation

Shri. Rajkumar, VP (Sr.DEN(Co)BVP)

Shri. Deepak Shaklecha, VP (ADMO/RTM)

Shri. S. N. Shrivastava, VP (AE/KILE)

Shri. Ashok, State Treasurer (AA CCG)

Shri. K. B. Katoch, State Secy.

Shri. Rajesh Chaudhari, Ex Officio being State Secretary of BS&G

Shri. A. H. Mirza, Ex Officio being SOC (S) of BS&G

After joining Regional Council – members of Western Railway SGF had nitrated with newly elected State President M R Goel and enjoyed ATAS Gathering, Campfire including evening walk on seashore. Aijaz Mirza coordinated the Gathering with advice from Padmini Pillai.

West Bengal State SGF -

Bizpur & Sethbhagan Guild SGF's – candle light march with solidarity of Indian Army & Phulwama Martyrs was organised in Guild premises as well in public area.

Burdhaman District SGF – 7 members team took oath by reaffirming Scout / Guide Promise on 22nd Feb 2019 lead by Jitendra Choudhry. Amit Dey Working President of West Bengal greeted them in presence of National Secretary Mecci, S K Karak Convener and Chayyan Bhattacharya.

Dates to remember: -

- 23rd & 24th March 2019 – 2nd N E Regional SGF Council Meet – Guwahati
- 12th to 14th April 2019 – 13th National Gathering – Lonavala Maharashtra State SGF
- 21 / 22 September 2019 – 29th General Assembly (Special) – New Delhi
- December 2019 – Special 60th Year Celebration Camp – Nepal