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WHAC CHAIRPERSON MESSAGE

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WOSM SCOUT COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON MESSAGE

As Baden-Powell once said: ‘No one can pass through life, any more than he can pass through a bit of country, without leaving tracks behind, and those tracks may often be helpful to those coming after him in finding their way.’

Bronze Wolf holders are exceptional people with a clear belief in Scouting. They have witnessed the impact of Scouting in developing values, character and skills in young people. Often without realising it, Bronze Wolf holders who are ‘passing through life’ have left so many ‘tracks’ around the world, which today, are helping future generations of young people to ‘find their way’.

The World Scout Committee remains indebted to all Bronze Wolf holders for the exceptional service they have given to Scouting. Their dedication and commitment has enabled us to continue to develop and grow, bringing the life changing potential of the Scouting programme to millions more young people, who in turn, are leading the change that we need in the world today.”

Craig Turpie
Chairperson, World Scout Committee
Since the 41st World Scout Conference held in Baku, Azerbaijan in 2017, upon recommendation of the World Honours and Awards Committee, the World Scout Committee of the World Organization of the Scout Movement awarded the Bronze Wolf to the following Scout leaders for outstanding service of the most exceptional character to the World Scout Movement.

**Mari Nakano**
Japan (BW362)
Member of the Executive Board, Scout Association of Japan, Member of the World Scout Committee 2011 – 2017

"... through her actions and manner she has done a great deal to raise the awareness, involvement and value of women in Scouting at all levels of the Movement and she has been a great role model to others especially young women who see her as a source of inspiration and professionalism."

**João Armando Gonçalves**
Portugal (BW363)
Chairman of the World Scout Committee 2011 – 2017
Member of the World Scout Committee 2011 – 2014

"... he is a transformational leader, a global motivator, and an inspirational leader who often speaks passionately about our belonging to an extraordinary family, which increases Scouting’s power to transform the communities in which we live..."

**Karin Ahlbäck**
Finland (BW364)
Member of the World Scout Committee 2011 – 2017
The youngest person ever to be elected as a member of the World Scout Committee and to receive the award.

"... she has made a real impact not only on the Youth Programme, but also in the area of governance, communication and organizational development..."

**Ian Langford Brown**
Australia (BW365)
Member of the National Council, Scouts Australia, Former Internal Auditor of the World Scout Bureau

"... in all aspects of his work, he has demonstrated diligence, devotion, and distinction, and is living by the Scout Promise and Law..."

**Brigitte Therivel**
United States of America (BW366)
International Ambassador, Boy Scouts of America

"... she truly embraces Scouting as a way of life and considers all Scouts her brothers and sisters..."

**Laila Almedeen**
Egypt (BW367)
Former Media & Communication Director, World Scout Bureau, Arab Support Centre
The first woman to hold a senior role in the Arab Support Centre of the World Scout Bureau and the first Arab woman to receive the award.

"... passionate and a dedicated team player, keen to share experiences, modern theories and technologies ..."
Hon. Jejomar Cabauatan Binay
The Philippines (BW368)
Former National President,
Boy Scouts of the Philippines,
Former Chairman of the Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Committee

"... having served Scouting for more than 30 years with more than 20 at regional and world levels, his ability to manage a full professional life and volunteering is an example to all...”

Dan Ownby
United States of America (BW369)
Chairman elect, Boy Scouts of America Member of the World Scout Committee 2011 – 2017

"... he is an enthusiast supporter of the global profile of the Movement and has gone above and beyond to bring improvements to the educational aspects of International Scouting, including contributing globally by acting as a "bridge-builder" for different NSOs around the world.”

Anne Whiteford
United Kingdom (BW371)
Leadership and Management Trainer,
Scouts Scotland,
Member of the Board of the E. Frank Trust.

"... she has provided almost 30 years of significant service to support World Scouting. She performed a critical role supporting the educational approaches of WOSM. Her commitment, passion and expertise in Scouting is evident in all what she does...”

Paul Parkinson OAM
Australia (BW370)
Principal,
Scouts Australia Institute of Training Consultant,
Asia-Pacific Region Scout Committee WOSM – GSAT Unit, Global Lead

"... he lives his life based on Scouting values and he is a great role model to all. He always had a commitment to adult training and to support youth involvement. For more than 15 years, Paul has worked diligently to support Scouting at regional and world levels at the highest levels possible...”
Memories of Bronze Wolf Holders Luncheon Gatherings

To continue with the tradition which started at the 2007 World Scout Jamboree in the United Kingdom, a special luncheon will be organised at the 24th World Scout Jamboree on 23rd July at the Summit Bechtel Scout Reserve, West Virginia, site of the 24th World Scout Jamboree.

This luncheon promises to be quite popular since so far more than 20 holders have signed up for the gathering!