



WORLDINFO

News for Key Leaders in **Scouting**

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1. Gifts for Peace and Centenary of Scouting Publications

Two exciting documents have been developed following the initiatives undertaken during the Centenary of Scouting in 2007: the Centenary of Scouting Overview and the Gifts for Peace Report. These have been mailed in a recent Scoutpak along with a CD-ROM containing the Gifts for Peace report (in English and French) and photo exhibition.

The documents are available to download from [scout.org](http://www.scout.org):
 Centenary of Scouting Overview -
http://www.scout.org/en/content/download/12413/100291/file/2007REP_EN.pdf
 Gifts for Peace Report -
http://www.scout.org/en/content/download/12412/100288/file/Gifts_for_Peace_Report.pdf

If you would like a hard copy version, please contact worldbureau@scout.org

Please share these documents with others and show them what Scouting can achieve!

National Scout Organizations / Associations received additional copies of the Gifts for Peace Report to share with key supporters, funders and leaders, for example on 21 September,

the International Day of Peace, to strengthen the link between Scouting and peace education. Information on this day and related activities will be available shortly on scout.org.

NB. At the recent 38th World Scout Conference, a resolution on peace education in Scouting was adopted unanimously. This can be viewed in Circular 20/2008 at:
http://www.scout.org/circulars2008/circular_n_20_august_2008
 and 21/2008 (see below for link).

2. 38th World Scout Conference: Business Resolutions

The list of the Business Resolutions which were adopted by the 38th World Scout Conference has been mailed in the recent Scoutpak, and is available online in Circular No. 21/2008 at:
http://www.scout.org/circulars2008/circular_n_21_august_2008.

Several of these resolutions require the attention and action of NSOs.

Please note that, since the resolutions are a compilation of all those adopted during the World Scout Conference in Korea, the sequence and numbering is different from that used in the Resolutions Committee report to the Conference.

The official Conference Report is being compiled. One copy will be sent to each National Scout Organization in Scoutpak when it is published.

3. 10th World Scout Youth Forum: Final Report

The final report from the 10th World Scout Youth Forum held this past July in Iksan, Korea, is now available.

The 10th World Scout Youth Forum was the biggest ever, in terms of both the number of participants and the number of countries represented.

The programme of the Youth Forum was based around two key themes. On the theme of "Scouting in the New Century", discussion focused on topics such as Youth Involvement, Governance, Constitutional Issues, and the Vision and Mission of Scouting. On the theme of "Creating A Better World", participants addressed the Millennium Development Goals and the Scouts of the World Award.

A copy of the report has been mailed in the recent Scoutpak, and is available online in Circular No. 22/2008 at: http://www.scout.org/circulars2008/circular_n_22_august_2008.

4. World Scouting Directory

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