



We, the participants in the 28<sup>th</sup> Conference of the International Scout and Guide Fellowship (ISGF) gathered in Bali, Indonesia, 9 to 13 October 2017,

- ☀ Considering the difficult relations between individuals, cultures and convictions all over the world,
- ☀ Considering the importance to strive for betterment and peace in a world plagued by war and terrorism.
- ☀ Considering the necessity to build a better society, in which the values of love, respect, tolerance, and peace are widely spread and shared.
- ☀ Considering the importance of encouraging dialogue and communication between different communities, and prohibiting discrimination based on race, gender, language, or religion.
- ☀ Considering the need to develop a sense of virtue and righteousness in everyone, through various programs and encourage a sense of responsibility towards one's community and the society in general, in particular through formal, informal and non-formal education of young ones.
  
- ☀ Declare that the following principles should be the basis for any action:
  - 1-maintain ongoing cultural dialogue that serves as a safe bridge between cultures, exchange experiences and uphold the common values that unite humanity.
  - 2- Respect others' cultural values and cherish cultural diversity as a mean to broaden everyone's horizon.
  - 3 - Use modern methods for cultural exchange programs, dialogue and joint social projects in which people from different cultures participate and aspire to a common goal.
  - 4- Encourage politicians, law-makers and other stake-holders to adopt policies that reflect the universal values of human rights as a mean to bring us together and to combat hate and intolerance.
  - 5 –Invest in national and international campaigns to promote a culture of peace and open dialogue, in particular among youth to help them in becoming active members in their societies.
  
- ☀ Recommend that communities and in particular NSGF's
  - 1 Celebrate the International Day of Tolerance, starting in 2018 (16<sup>th</sup> November).
  - 2 Take part in the work of NGO's within UNESCO and other international and regional bodies using the documents they will receive.
  - 3 Take part in social actions: organise activities with prisoners and young offenders, assist vulnerable people such as children of the streets, refugees, families in need etc. and take contacts with associations working in these fields.
  - 4 Organise activities or participate in activities which facilitate contacts: sport, marches, cooking, dance, music, host family exchanges etc.
  - 5 take contacts with known personalities who could accompany the actions.
  - 6 take contact with politicians, law-makers and other stake-holders to let them know a Scout and Guide (young and adult) point of view
  
- 🌍 Ask ISGF to
  - 1 encourage twinnings between local fellowships
  - 2 set up programmes such as the Scout and Guide Spirit Flame, "Messengers of peace" of WOSM, "Free being me" of WAGGGS.
  - 3 find a volunteer or group of volunteers competent in crowdfunding



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- 4 promote a systematic evaluation of experiences of participants during regional and sub-regional meetings.

**LET US MOVE FROM WORDS TO ACTS**