ARE YOU TWINNED?

What exactly is ‘Twinning’ and what is involved? Twinning is keeping in contact with a Person, a Guild or Board in another country or even in your own country. Keeping in touch can involve as much or as little as you wish – just an exchange of greeting cards by snail mail, e-mail, Facebook or other means. You and your twin decide.

You may wish to exchange photos, ideas for meetings, information about your lifestyle, local geography or history. If you can afford, you can visit each other. You or your Guild or Board might sponsor the fare of a member or for a twin guild member. Hospitality could be offered for visits.

Who keeps in touch when you twin within a Guild? It can be just one Guild member or several. You decide but do ensure the contact is maintained.

What else can you do? You can send badges, recipes or ideas what to do with your Guild in order to support the Scouts and the Guides. Tell how you support a community elsewhere in the world or in your neighborhood.

How do you go about finding a twin person, guild or board? Contact your International Secretary or send an email to the ISGF Twinning Coordinator twinning@isgf.org. You will receive suggestions, from which to choose your twin. Once you have agreed the twinning, register it with your International Secretary and if you want you may apply for a Twinning certificate.