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Unit Details Update

Many thanks to those Units who have returned their Unit's updated details. If we haven't received the e-mail addresses of your new leaders yet, please forward this e-newz to them.

Uniforms and Badges

We have changed the suppliers of our green t-shirts for availability and economic reasons and you will see a new style of shirt coming through in due course. One Unit has trialled the new shirts for 12 months and they have worn well. There were no comments from the girls regarding the change.

We are also changing the way you order uniforms and badges. Although the final details have not been completed this should result in a reduced cost of uniforms.

After five years our badge makers have increased the price of small orders so there may be an increase in the cost of badges coming through.

The uniform lady will be at the Training Camp to talk you through the new easy way of online ordering and invoicing of uniforms and badges.



The two girls in the centre are wearing the new style shirts.

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Totally Totara Leaders' Weekend Training Camp

Have you returned your expression of interest for the camp yet? We are now moving into the sharp end of organising camp and registration forms will be going out to all leaders currently on our database. Again if we do not have your up-to-date Unit leaders' database please see that the forms get to all the leaders in your Unit.

Paying for camp. We do not want any leader to miss out on coming to camp because of lack of funding. If your church does not have a leadership training budget for you to draw on, or you do not have recourse to other funding, the Ministry Team will cover your registration cost. You will however need to organise your own transport.

Please watch for the registration and information forms coming through next week.

Three Year Review

When your church decided to set up an iconz4girlz Unit at your church, someone important at your church signed on your church's behalf a Memorandum of Understanding. Included in this MOU were the requirements for all leaders to be endorsed by the church, to be police vetted and to sign a Code of Conduct.

There would then be a review of each leader after three years and the process repeated. Letters have been sent to all churches that have leaders who have done three or more year service to the i-girlz Ministry, along with renewal forms.

If you are a leader of three years or more would you please ensure that your registration is renewed.



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Inquiries Via the Website

I recently received an inquiry on the i-girlz website from someone interested in starting a girls' club but the programme material available that she was finding came from overseas and was far too expensive. This is what the inquirer was looking for:

My aims for my programme are

To create a strong foundation in Christ.

To promote self- worth.

To help girls to understand their true potential in Christ.

The ability to look outside themselves, home, community, country, world. Mission-Focus.

I thought that described our i-girlz Ministry very well indeed!

Please commit the upcoming Leaders' Training Weekend to prayer; that we have a great turnout of leaders who are enthused and refreshed as they share in learning, networking and having some fun.

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