

Girl Guides Association of Namibia 2019

CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES

JANUARY

- 01 – New Year’s Day (Public Holiday)
- 08 – Schools open for the 2019 academic year (Government schools)
- 26 – Parents meeting

FEBRUARY

- 04 – Lectures begin at the University of Namibia (UNAM) for 2019
- 06 – Lectures begin at the Namibia University of Science and Technology (NUST) for 2019
- 22 – Thinking Day
- 22 – Deadline for submission of WAGGGS 2018 Group Annual Census

MARCH

- 03 – World Wildlife Day
- 16 – Regional Finance Meeting
- 18 – Mid-semester break begins at UNAM. Lectures resume on March 25.
- 23 – Regional Committee meeting
- 23 – Regional Training for Central Region (to be confirmed)
- 21 – Namibian Independence Day (Public Holiday)
- 22 – Public Holiday
- 22 – World Water Day (Theme: “Leaving No One Behind”)
- 31 – Regional Deadline for submission of quarterly reports to the Chief Commissioner

APRIL

- 07 – World Health Day (Theme: “Universal Health Coverage: Everyone, Everywhere”)
- 10 – National Council Meeting
- 10 - NATEX
- 12 – Last day of the first term (Government schools)
- 19 – Good Friday (Public Holiday)
- 21 – Easter Sunday
- 22 – Easter Monday (Public Holiday)
- 22 – Mid-semester break begins at NUST. Lectures resume on April 29.
- 22 – Earth Day (Theme: “Protect Our Species”)
- 25 – World Malaria Day (Theme: “End Malaria for Good”)
- 27 – Regional Council Meeting

MAY

- 01 – Workers Day (Public Holiday)
- 04 – Cassinga Day (Public Holiday)
- 6 – Southern Regional Training
- 12 – Mother’s Day
- 13 – Schools reopen for the second term (Government schools)
- 25 – Africa Day (Public Holiday) 2
- 30 – Ascension Day (Public Holiday)
- 31 – World No-Tobacco Day (Theme: “Tobacco and Lung Health”)

JUNE

- 01 – International Children’s Day
- 05 – World Environment Day (Theme: “Beat Plastic Pollution”)
- 7 to 9 – National Patrol Leaders Course
- 16 – Day of the African Child
- 16 – Father’s Day
- 17 – Mid-year recess begins at NUST. Lectures resume on July 22.
- 21 – End of first semester at UNAM. Lectures resume on July 15.
- 30 – Regional Commissioners: Deadline for submission of quarterly reports to the Chief Commissioner

JULY

- 01 – Mid-year recess begins at UNAM (ends on July 5)
- 6 – Regional Finance and Parent Committee meeting
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- 13 – Regional Training (Northern Region, Onesi)
- 16 to 20 – 12th African Regional Conference, Rwanda
- 27 – Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Scouts of Namibia (Tsumeb)
- 30 – International Day of Friendship

AUGUST

- 09 – Last day of the second term (Government schools)
- 9 to 11 - Regional Camp (venue to be announced)
- 12 – International Youth Day
- 26 – Heroes' Day (Public Holiday)
- 27 – Second semester mid-term break at UNAM begins. Lectures resume on September 2.

SEPTEMBER

- 02 – Schools reopen for the third term (Government schools).
- 14 – National Council
- 14 – NATEX meeting
- 21 – International Day of Peace
- 21 – Thinking Day Celebrations (Central Region)
- 29 – Guide Sunday
- 30 – Regional Commissioners: Deadline for submission of quarterly reports to the Chief Commissioner

OCTOBER

- 04 – World Animal Day
- 05 – School Holiday (tentative)
- 05 – Regional Committee Meeting
- 05 – International Teachers' Day
- 12 – NATEX meeting
- 12 – Regional Council and Parent meeting
- 12 - Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Girl Guides Association of Namibia
- 11 – Arbor Day (Tree-Planting Day)
- 15 – Global Hand washing Day
- 16 – World Food Day
- 18 to 20 – 62nd Jamboree on the Air (JOTA) / 23rd Jamboree on the Internet (JOTI) - Scout events
- 24 – United Nations Day

NOVEMBER

- 09- Regional Finance Meeting
- 09 – Regional Council Meeting
- 13 – World Kindness Day
- 29 – End of academic year at Government schools
- 29 – End of second semester at UNAM
- 30 – End of the year Regional Christmas Farewell
- 30 – Regional Commissioners: Deadline for submission of year-end reports to the Chief Commissioner

DECEMBER

- 01 – World Aids Day
- 10 – International Human Rights Day