

		Confidential WINGS2009 Shooting Form		Participant ID	
		Please write clearly and complete all sections Unit Member		Unit ID	1794
1 Person					
Family Name			Given Name		
2 Shooting Activity					
<p>Shooting is one of the activities at WINGS2009. The Policy of Girlguiding UK and the Scout Association requires written parental permission for this activity.</p> <p>The activity will involve shooting with air rifles at targets on an open air range set up in accordance with the requirements of the relevant national governing body. All instruction and shooting will be supervised by an appropriately qualified range officer and run in accordance with the safety rules of the Scout Association and Girlguiding UK</p> <p>Shooting is one of the activities in the Outdoor Skills Zone. Participants will spend up to 3 hours in this zone as part of the overall activity programme at WINGS2009. In the Outdoor Skills Zone they will undertake up to 6 activities and they will spend up to 30 minutes on the shooting range.</p>					
3 UK Law					
<p>UK law prohibits anyone who has been convicted of certain offences of handling firearms and hence they are excluded from this activity. Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 prohibits the possession of a firearm and ammunition (under any circumstances) by any person who has been convicted of a crime and sentenced to a term of imprisonment (or its equivalent for young persons) of 3 months or more. The prohibition applies in all circumstances, including handling and firing airguns. A sentence of 3 months to 3 years attracts a 5 year prohibition, shorter ones no prohibition but a longer one means a life ban.'</p> <p>If you have any queries relating to this permission form please contact your Unit Leader.</p>					
4 Permission if the Unit Member is aged under 18					
<p>I, being the parent/guardian of the person named above, declare that he/she is not subject to restriction by virtue of Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 (which applies only to persons who have served a term of imprisonment or youth custody) and give permission for them to take part in the shooting activity at WINGS2009.</p>					
Signature					
Print Name		Relationship		Date	
5 Declaration if the Unit Member is aged 18 or over					
<p>I declare that I am not subject to restriction by virtue of Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 (which applies only to persons who have served a term of imprisonment or youth custody).</p>					
Signature				Date	

The information contained in this form will be held confidentially by your Unit Leader and should only be used in connection with the programme of WINGS2009.