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Dear Centre Managers,

During the CMC 2007 you have indicated that you want to become a member of the Goose-network. Underneath you find some more additional information and the request to send me an email to confirm your participation in the Network (which is free of charge!).

The network was initiated during the 7th European Scout and Guide Centre Managers Conference at Rieneck, and it is closely linked to this conference. Centers that are part of the network have an interest in environmental, nature and cultural activities.

During this conference in October 2002 9 Scout Centres from 7 different countries came together at a meeting on program activities concerning nature and environment. The participants of the conference wanted to have a shared activity on nature and the environment combined with an exchange of activities and ideas.

We aim to improve the quality of environmental, nature and cultural activities at European Scout and Guide Centres by sharing ideas, activities and information.

There is space for more members at this moment and we want to ask you if you want to become a Goose-network member!

Enclosed you find a document (Mission Statement) with all relevant information you need to decide if you want to join us.

Do you want to join us or do you need more information, please send an e-mail to Mark, papa Goose of the network. director@kisc.ch

Of course we like to have you in our network, but feel free to send camp staff members to the camp staff seminar, without being a member of the network!

Hope to meet you!

Yours in Scouting,

Mark Knippenberg
Papa Goose

Important dates and activities in 2008-2009:

- Annual Goose-network Camp Staff Seminar: 20th - 24th March 2008 (Easter) at Bucher Berg Scout Centre (Germany)
- Campstaffexchange: from June till August (one staff member of your Scout Centre is "linked" to a staff member of another Scout Centre and they visit each others Scout Centre)
- International Centre Day: 23th July 2008 organised by Neasbycentre (Also for not-Goosemembers!)
- Goose-network meeting: 17-19 October 2008 at Buitenzorg Scout Centre (Netherlands)
- Centre Managers Conference in October 2009, with a Goose-network meeting the afternoon before.