**Sangam World Centre**

Sangam, the youngest of the Four World Centres owned by the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS), is a place where the world comes together under one roof, to find friendship and peace in a safe, neutral environment. For more information see: [www.sangamworldcentre.org](http://www.sangamworldcentre.org).

**Who are Friends of Sangam (UK)?**

* FoS (UK) is a group of people who care about Sangam and want to see it grow and thrive.
* FoS (UK) is a voluntary group, made up of people concerned with the welfare of Sangam, and interested in spreading the *“Spirit of Sangam”*.
* FoS (UK) is one of several international groups of people in countries all round the world.

**How is FoS (UK) Organised?**

* FoS (UK) has an Executive Committee of 9 Trustees, each of whom serves for a period of three years. It has a Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer, and its own President.
* FoS (UK) Trading deals with the sale of souvenirs, to help spread the word about Sangam, and to raise funds.
* Sangam corresponds with the FoS (UK) Chairman, who then passes the information on to the members.

**What Does FoS (UK) do for its Members?**

* Two newsletters a year are sent out to all members.
* There are various publications, available through FoS (UK) Trading. *(Details in newsletters.)*
* There is an Annual Gathering each year, in the Autumn, held at a different location each time.
* Visits are organised to Sangam, and help can also be provided for other groups/individuals.

**How do FoS (UK) members support Sangam? Through…**

* Fundraising and Promotion
* Encouraging interest in Sangam
* Giving support and advice to those visiting Sangam
* Providing information about Sangam, its programmes and events
* Advertising Sangam within their Unit, County, or Region
* Publicising opportunities for volunteers and staff members

**FRIENDS of SANGAM (UK)**



**FOS (UK)’s Mission Statement**

FoS members will encourage interest in Sangam World Centre, through active promotion and the dissemination of information and will aid further development at Sangam through fundraising.

[www.fosuk.org.uk](http://www.fosuk.org.uk)

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*FoS (UK) is a UK Registered Charity No.1077376*

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**Membership Application/Renewal Form**

**I/we would like to join Friends of Sangam (UK)**

Membership is open to individuals aged 16 and over and families. Please note that membership is not restricted to members of Girlguiding.

**Membership Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Name: …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..

Address: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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Postcode: ………………………………… Tel.: ………………………………

E-mail: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

*The FOS newsletter is sent out as an email. Please tick here if you would prefer to receive a paper copy* ***(not applicable for overseas members).***

*I acknowledge that my details will be kept on the FoS UK database and will not be shared with any third party. Yes/No \* (\*delete as appropriate).*

**The annual individual membership fee is £10. Alternatively members can take out an individual 5-year subscription, for only £40. The annual family membership fee is £15** *.( Please indicate which)*

Please make cheques payable to: *Friends of Sangam (UK*), or you may pay by bank transfer to: Barclays Bank. Account Name: Friends of Sangam (UK).

Account No: 80930008. Sort Code: 20-47-61

**I enclose my membership fee of £…………………..**

**I have paid my membership fee by bank transfer with the following reference:………..…… Amount £………….**

**(Please use your Surname and first initial so we can identify your payment.)**

**Date: ………………………………………..**

**GIFT AID DECLARATION**

If you are a UK taxpayer, FoS (UK) can reclaim additional money from HM Revenue & Customs – at no extra cost to you! Simply tick the box in the Declaration below, to indicate you want your subscription to be Gift-Aided, and we’ll do the rest for you.

 **Gift Aid Declaration** *(Please tick, if you wish to Gift Aid your subscription.)*

I would like FoS (UK) to treat all donations, including membership subscriptions, I have paid since 6 April 2000, and membership subscriptions I may make from the date of this declaration, as Gift Aid, until I notify you otherwise.

**Please return this form to:**

**FoS (UK), 73 Springfield Road, Southwell, Notts NG25 0BS**

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**Standing Order Instruction for Friends of Sangam (UK)**

* Please hand this instruction to your bank
* To enable us to identify your payment, please arrange for your surname and first initial to be shown against your payment when it appears on our statement

Bank Name: ..........................................................................

Bank Address: ......................................................................

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Sort Code: ...... /........ /........ Account No: .................................

Account Name: .....................................................................

**Please pay to:** Barclays Bank.

Account Name: Friends of Sangam (UK)

Account No: 80930008 Sort Code: 20-47-61

Amount: £........................Amount in words: ............................................................

Commencing  **NOW** and thereafter every 5th January annually, until you receive further notice from me, in writing, and debit my account accordingly. This instruction cancels any previous instruction made to this account.

**Signature**: **..............................................** **Date: .....................**