

**ringleader**

[ˈrɪŋliːdə]

главарь, вожак; зачинщик; коновод

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**ring·lead·er** [ˈrɪŋliːdər] *BrE* [ˈrɪŋliːdɜː] *NAme* [ˈrɪŋliːdɜːr]

**noun** (disapproving)

a person who leads others in crime or in causing trouble

- The ringleaders were jailed for 15 years.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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someone who leads a group that is doing something illegal or wrong:

the ringleader of a new international drugs ring

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**THESAURUS**

- **leader** the person who directs or controls a group, organization, country etc: 12,000 party members will vote next week to elect a new leader. | leaders of developing nations from around the world
- **ruler** someone, such as a king or queen or a military leader, who has official power over a country or area: Sheik Mohamed, ruler of Dubai | Argentina's former military rulers
- **head of state** someone who leads a country or state: Twenty-one heads of state will meet at the annual World Trade summit.
- **figurehead** someone who is seen as the leader of a country or organization, although he or she does not have any real power: the Queen's role as a national figurehead | There are advantages in having a respected personality as a figurehead for the organisation.
- **ringleader** someone who leads a group that is doing something illegal or wrong: The alleged ringleaders of the gang have been arrested. | the ringleaders of the airplane bomb plot

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