



Pancake Tea

Reminder that the Pancake Tea is on Saturday 4th March.

Help is still required. Unsold tickets or monies should be returned by Saturday 4th March at the latest.

Please support YOUR Company

Banffshire Battalion Parade

Sunday 5th March 2017, Turriff

Boys in the Junior and Company Sections will be taking part in the Banffshire Battalion Parade on Sunday 5th March.

Buses will leave from the Church hall at 9.15am.

The Company should be returning to the Church hall at approximately 1.30pm.

Reminder that boys should have black shoes/trainers and not multi-coloured trainers. **Jackets** should also be worn.

All boys in the Junior and Company Sections are expected to attend. Parents/carers are welcome to attend.

Boys can take with them, on the bus, in a bag, a small snack if they so wish.

Overseas Appeal: Boys are reminded that the closing date for the appeal is Friday 17th March 2017. Reminder that boys must remember to put their names on their "jar of pennies". Boys handing in their "jar" will receive a "well done" medal.

Company Section Badges: Friday 17th March is the last day for boys in the Company Section updating their badges for session 2016/2017. Replacement badges cost £1, replacement armbands cost £3.

Camp Meeting: A meeting will be held for parents/carers of boys going on the weekend camp to Badaguish on Tuesday 23rd May in the S&W Church hall at 7pm.

London Trip: Parents/carers meeting on Tuesday 27th June at 7pm in the S&W Church hall.



Can you Help?

The Company will be supporting Maynes Coaches 70th Anniversary on the 7th May.

Monies raised by 1st Buckie Company will go towards Company funds.

The Company will be selling teas, coffees and Pancakes during the afternoon.

There will also be a “guess the number of balloons” in a min-bus. If you have any balloons lying around from Christmas or from any event, we would be delighted to accept them for the event. Please pass onto any officer/helper in the Company.

National Senior 5 Aside Football: Congratulations to our senior boys who successfully reached the U.K. 5 Aside Football Trophy at Grangemouth on Saturday 18th February. Arrangements are now going ahead for the UK final on the 22nd April in Glasgow.

Building Your Skills: Excellent behaviour! Parents should be proud of how the 9 young men behaved and participated in the recent Building Your Skills Course at Banff. These boys have now completed the Battalion requirement for advancing to the next stage of the President's Badge.

Queen's Men: 16 young men attended the Queen's Badge Completion Course at Kincairdie recently. An update will be given at the Annual Display.

Weekend Camp 2017: Reminder that the camp must be paid in full (£73.00) by 11th March. Pocket money can also be paid in. - maximum of £15. All boys will be accommodated in the Lodges. A few places have now been made available. Names to Jennifer McIntosh.

Wordsearch Winners: Will be announced in the April Newsletter.

Boat Club Competition: Excellent return from the boys. Winners will be announced in the next Newsletter.

Annual Display: see attached sheet.

President's Badge: 6 senior boys have already started working on their Queen's Badge for next session. Parents will be informed on a regular basis throughout the next 9 months of progress being made by their son.

1st Buckie Company Boys' Brigade
Annual Display
Friday 24th March 2017
Principal Guest
Superintendent (rtd) H Murray Campbell

Banffshire Battalion Boys' Brigade Badminton / Table Tennis

The Battalion Badminton/ Table Tennis will be held in Buckie on the evening of Saturday 11th March **(TO BE CONFIRMED)**. The competitions are also open to Primary 6 boys. Boys from Primary 6+ will be asked, on Friday 3rd March, if they wish to compete.



Dates for your Calendar:

Saturday 4 March:	Pancake Tea.....2pm
Sunday 5	Battalion Parade, Turriff, 9.15am. Junior and Company Sections only.
Monday 6	Anchor Boys 6 -7pm
Tuesday 7	To be confirmed.
Friday 10	Usual Friday programme
Saturday 11	Battalion Badminton / Table Tennis, BCHS, 6pm. (TO BE CONFIRMED)
Sunday 12	NO Bibleclass.....finished for the session!
Monday 13	Anchor Boys 6 -7pm
Tuesday 14	To be confirmed.
Friday 17	Usual Friday programme
Sunday 19	Display Rehearsals – see attached sheet
Monday 20	Anchor Boys 6 -7pm. NO UNIFORM
Thursday 23	Display Rehearsals – see attached sheet
Friday 24	Annual Display...see attached sheet

Battalion Events

11 March	Battalion Badminton/Table Tennis (TO BE CONFIRMED)
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Planning for the Future

19 – 24	Annual Inspection
2 – 4 June	Weekend Camp....Badaguish
16 – 21 July 2017	London 2017
August 2017	Enrolment 17/18...date to be confirmed.