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Wolverhampton Battalion

Monthly Circular

February 2010

Looking Ahead:-

Sat 6 th Mar	Battalion Bible Quiz
Sat 13 th Mar	Junior Section Fun Day
Tue 16 th Mar	Battalion Council, New Invention
Sat 17 th Apr	Company Section Table Tennis Competition
Mon 19 th Apr	Anchor / Junior Meetings
Sat 8 th May	Junior Section Figure Marching Competition
Thu 20 th May	Battalion Council, Oakengates
Sat 19 th Jun	Anchor Boys Day Out
Sat 3 rd Jul	Anchors District 'Activity Day'

In This Month:-

Sat 6 th Feb	Battalion Swimming Gala
Sat 13 th Feb	Company Section 5-a-side Football
Sat 13 th Feb	DofE Training Day, Felden

All items for the March 2010 circular to be sent to the Circular Secretary by Monday 22nd February 2010.

Anchor Boys

Anchor Boys Meeting - Monday 19th April 2010, 8pm at Salem Methodist Church, Cheslyn Hay.

Anchor Boy Party & Activity Day - Due to the Party being cancelled because of the bad weather, we had planned to reschedule the party for the 27th February (the proposed date for the Activity Day). Unfortunately, we cannot get the entertainment for the new date and due to other Battalion events throughout February and early March and also Half Term in February there are no other available Saturdays that this can be held on. Therefore, it was decided to postpone it until a date can be decided amongst companies which is more suitable. Also, due to the Anchor Boy meeting also being cancelled due to the bad weather, it is too late for the Activity Day to take place, as this was due to be planned and organised at the meeting. Therefore, this is also being postponed subject to discussion for a suitable alternative date. Whilst we apologise for any disappointment that this may cause to the boys, we felt that we had no other option on this occasion. Maggie.

Anchor Boy Day Out - Saturday 19th June to Gulliver's Kingdom. The cost is £17 per person. Deposits of £10pp will be due at the next meeting.

Anchors District 'Activity Day' - Saturday 3rd July 2-4 pm at the National Memorial Arboretum. Bring your Anchors to the NMA, meet at the BB Garden. Uniforms should be worn but leaders must ensure that suitable outdoor clothing is available. All materials needed on the day, will be supplied. Generally the activities will be based on a 'Trail' visiting different parts of the Arboretum. NB. Eventually it is planned to have pre-visit and follow-up resources available for leaders to use, but these may not be available this year. Book the date and check-out next month's Circular for updates. Any questions please contact Rob. Bolton.

Junior Section

Bible Quiz Junior Section Passages

Exodus, chapter 2, verse 1 to verse 10 inclusive
chapter 3, verse 1 to verse 15 inclusive
Luke, chapter 2, verse 1 to verse 40 inclusive
Entries to David Slater by 1st March.

Junior Section Fun Day – Saturday 13th March, 1pm-4:30pm, Cheslyn Hay Leisure Centre. £2 per boy.

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Junior Section Meeting - Monday 19th April 2010, 8:30pm at Salem Methodist Church, Cheslyn Hay.

Junior Section Figure Marching – Saturday 8th May at Cheslyn Hay Leisure Centre.

Company Section

5-a-side Football Competition - Please note the change of date from Saturday 30th January to **Saturday 13th February** 2010. 2pm at Aldersley Leisure Village. Companies who wish to enter should please advise Mr Ian Sharp by Saturday 6th February.

Bible Quiz Company/Senior Section Passages

Exodus, chapter 2, verse 1 to verse 10 inclusive
chapter 3, verse 1 to chapter 4 verse 17 inclusive
Luke, chapter 2, verse 1 to verse 52 inclusive
Entries to David Slater by 1st March.

Battalion News

Battalion Swimming Gala – Saturday 6th February, 6pm for a 6:30pm start at Wolverhampton Central Baths. The entry form was included with the January Circular. The competitors list, also included, should be retained by the company. Competitors may enter a maximum of Life Saving, Relay plus two other events.

BB Memorial Garden Badges - A new BB Memorial Garden badge has now been produced which is the same size and shape as the previous one but in different colours and without the opening date. They are £2.00 each, from Rob. Bolton, all cash going direct to the Memorial Garden maintenance fund.

'Wilder than Panthers and as Ignorant as the Heathens' is the title of Rob. Bolton's latest Boys' Brigade book. It tells the story of the Boys' Brigades before 1883 and where William Smith got his idea from. £12.00 by post or £10 direct from Rob. If you want a copy at the next Battalion event, please ring or phone and he will pass it to you personally.

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