

THE BOYS' BRIGADE 70TH LONDON COMPANY

70up

January 1995



Welcome to our first edition of 70up for 1995 I hope that you have all had a good Christmas and that we will all have a prosperous new year. 1995 will be a year of challenge to all of us but I hope that we can look forward to it with expectation.



competitions

January and February are very busy months for Competitions in the Company. A lot of hard work goes into the practises on Wednesdays and Fridays which can be spoiled by boys not turning up either for a practise or for the competition itself. Please can you ensure that your son is present regularly and if he is going to be missing can you let a member of staff know in good time. REMEMBER one missing boy can spoil it for everyone.

January events

Volleyball (3rd Round) Friday 19th 7.30pm

Battalion Pr Games Monday 23rd 6.30pm



Football fixtures for January

7th :under 13 v 39th London 12.40pm
7th :London senior five side a&b teams. 5.20pm
14th:Junior section 9.15 am v 14th
14th:Battalion game 12.15pm
21st:Junior section v 11th K&M 1.00pm
21st :National five a sides 2nd round 5.30pm
28th: Junior section London Cup v 3rd Bromley 1.00pm



London Cross Country January 28th
meet at the church at 12.30pm



The Physical Recreation Session on Wednesday evenings will only be open to Company and Senior Section boys to enable them to prepare for the gym competitions and the display

STEEL PAN PRACTISE

There are a few vacancies in the steel band which practises on monday nights at 7.00pm boys who attend should be willing to work hard for the various public performances which are lined up for this year.

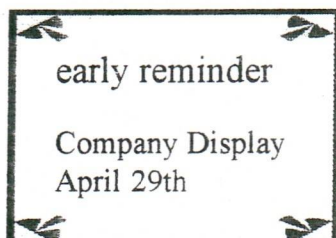


CHURCH PARADE

The next two church parades are on February 5th and March 5th all members should be at the church by 10.40am

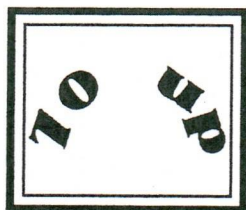
TIMEKEEPING

A NUMBER OF BOYS
PARTICULARLY ON A
SUNDAY MORNING HAVE
NO SENSE OF TIME
PLEASE REMEMBER
THAT IT IS RUDE TO BE
LATE



early reminder

Company Display
April 29th



**NEWSLETTER OF THE 70TH LONDON COMPANY
OF THE BOYS' BRIGADE
JANUARY 1996**

**A HAPPY NEW YEAR AND
WELCOME TO A BUSY 1996**



LONDON BASKETBALL:

The first London District Basketball Competition is on Wednesday January 10th meeting at 6.00pm.

**CONGRATULATIONS: TO OUR CAMP
MEDICAL OFFICER BRIAN PRICHARD
WHO HAS BEEN AWARDED A CBE IN
THE NEW YEARS HONOURS LIST.**

SUBSCRIPTIONS:

This years subscription rates are as follows :

Juniors (£10.00 or 25p a week)

Company and Seniors £16. subs or 50p a week

All subs unless being paid weekly should have be paid paid by October 31st. So if you have forgotten to pay subs Could you pay them now.

CHURCH PARADE

The next church parade is Sunday January 7th. All boys should be at the church by 10.45am in uniform. All parents are welcome.

The date for the February Parade is February 4th.

MEETING TIMES:

Junior Section (8/11 Years)

Wednesdays 6.30pm- 8.00pm

Physical Activities (11+)

Wednesdays 8.00pm -10.00pm

Company Section (11/13 Years)

Fridays 6.30pm- 8.45pm

Seniors (14+) Fridays 8.30pm.

Bible Class (11+) Sundays
10.00am



The London Cross Country is on January 20th .We will be entering Junior Section and Company teams who should be at the church at 1.00pm



Battalion PR games January
17th meet at 7.30pm at the church

**ADVANCE NOTICE DRILL COMPETITION
PROVISIONAL DATE FEBRUARY 3rd.**

Farewell to Damian and Craig Grieve - Cantlon who have moved to Scotland.



FOOTBALL

The Company under 12 and under 14 teams continue to have mixed fortunes. The under 12 team is still undefeated having won it's last five games. The under 14 team has been less successful with 4 defeats. There should be games on the 6th, 13th and 27th of January.

Battalion Games.

The Battalion team narrowly beat Haringey 5-4. There is no Senior 11 aside game this month.

JUNIOR SECTION football

The Battalion Junior Section 6 aside was on December 9th. We were runners up.

SENIOR FIVE A SIDE

The first round games in the London District five a side will be on January 6th & 13th. on both dates teams will meet at the church at 5.45pm. Game on the 6th is at Croydon and the game on the 13th at The Wandle Recreation Centre.

STEEL PANS

Practises will recommence on Mondays with a view to a getting ready for a number of concerts. In the early part of the year.

SENIORS PROGRAMME

Details will follow shortly of the seniors programme for January and February.

NATIONAL COMPETITIONS.

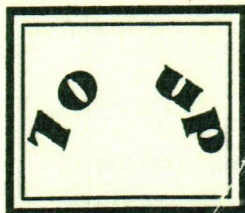
WELL DONE to the Masterquiz team on winning the 1st round of that Competition. The 2nd round is on January 27th at 7.15pm in the Church hall. Come along and support them and see if we can reach the Semi Finals.

The 27th is also the date of the 2nd round of the five a side football. The team should be at the church by 5.45pm, for a 6.30pm start at the Wandle.

The 20th sees the 3rd round of the Volleyball this involves a trip to Torquay starting at 8.30am.

**CAMP 1996 WHITECLIFF BAY
Isle Of Wight August 3rd-10th.
Likely Cost £70. Book Now!**

**ACTIVITIES INCLUDE: MOUNTAIN BIKING, WATER SPORTS
BOWLING AND GOLF. OPEN TO ALL BOYS AGED 11
DEPOSITS NOW ACCEPTED.**



**NEWSLETTER OF THE 70TH LONDON COMPANY
OF THE BOYS' BRIGADE
MARCH 1996**

MARCH is the start of a very busy time particularly for the Company Section with Competitions and the start of practises for the Display. Can you please ensure that your son is there when needed and on time.

ALBERT HALL RALLY. Junior Section with some Company boys will be practising for the GB rally on May 11th. Details of tickets and practises will follow shortly.

Again your help in ensuring the regular attendance of your son would be appreciated.

BB WEEK FINAL TOTAL £1550

SUBSCRIPTIONS:

This years subscription rates are as follows :

Juniors (£10.00 or 25p a week)

Company and Seniors £16. subs or 50p a week



DRILL : FINAL meet at the church **FRIDAY**
March 15th meet at the church by 6.30pm. in Full uniform,

CHURCH PARADE

The next church parade is Sunday March 3rd All boys should be at the church by 10.45am in uniform. All parents are welcome.

The date for the April Parade is Easter Sunday

MEETING TIMES:

Junior Section (8/11Years)
Wednesdays 6.30pm- 8.00pm

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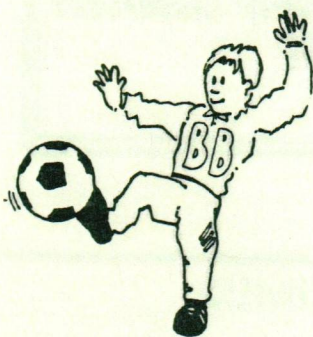
Bible Class (11+) Sundays
10.00am

Prince of Wales meets Steel Pans.

February 21st saw the first royal engagement of the steel pans when the band played before HRH Prince Charles when he visited the Phipps Bridge Estate. The band played for about an hour entertaining Local People and Dignitaries before and during the Princes ' visit. A special photo sheet is attached.

COMING SOON

**DISPLAY
APRIL 27TH 7.00PM**



FOOTBALL

The under 12 and under 14 teams have played most Saturdays. The under 12 team are currently fourth while the under 14 team are eighth. Matches are due to be played on the first three Saturdays in March. Games on the 9th will be a Morning Kick off.

Battalion Games.

Battalion Matches are due on March 9th v Croydon and March 30th Semi Final v Either Enfield or West Kent

SENIOR FIVE A SIDE

London District five a side will be on Saturday March 23rd meeting at the church at 6.00pm for a 6.45 start at the Westcroft Centre, Wallington. Both the A & B teams will be playing.

JUNIOR SECTION 11 aside.

V 5th Croydon March 30th meet at 1.00pm.

GYM

Gym Competition will be on Wednesday March 28th. The provisional date of the Zone gym is March 11th.

STEEL PANS

Concerts are booked on March 15th at Sutton Baptist Church and on March 26th at Wandsworth Town Hall. Meeting at 6.00pm on both dates.

STEWARDS REQUIRED>

The Company has again been asked to provide stewards for the Neighbourhood watch awards on March 12th meeting at the church at 6.00pm in uniform.

NATIONAL COMPETITIONS.

Masterquiz semi finals the team will meet at the church at 4.30pm to travel to Whitney for the semi final on March 9th.

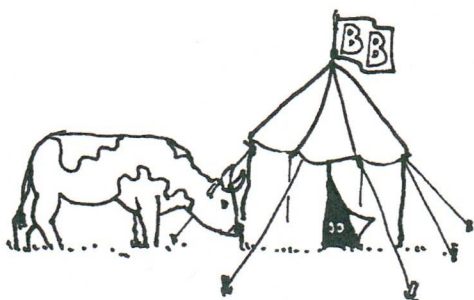
The Five a side team however failed by a split second to qualify for the finals in Northern Ireland. Needing to win there last game by 11 clear goals they were 11-1 up when With the last kick of the game heading towards the goal the timer signalled end of play before the ball had crossed the goal line.

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S a t u r d a y
March 16th :
London Bible
Quiz meet at
6.15pm.

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE: MOUNTAIN BIKING, WATER SPORTS
BOWLING AND GOLF. OPEN TO ALL BOYS AGED 11 +
DEPOSITS NOW ACCEPTED.

CAMP 1997



SORRY
No cows
or Bell Tents

But we Have got:
a full programme including :

- Swimming
- Bowling
- Multi Activity Day

and a choice of Sea Canoeing,
Mountain Biking and Climbing / abseiling.
All for only £75.

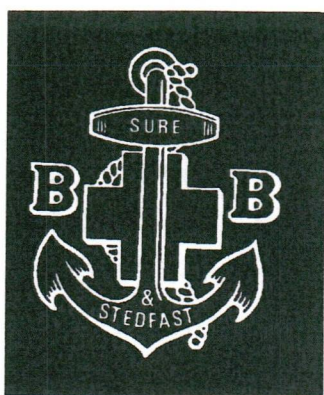
SEPARATE SENIORS(16+) Programme

WHEN: August 2nd -9th

WHERE : SWANAGE

WHO CAN COME: Any Company Member over 11 years of age

How to Book : £5 deposit by July 11th. Full payment by August 1st.
Contact Chris Buss for further details: 0181 769 5039



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GOING UP.

For those boys in the junior Section who are 11 before August 31st . Friday July 4th is a big day. As it will be there first day with the Company Section. Boys should attend at 6.30pm and will be dismissed at 9.00pm.

SUMMER PROGRAMME;

On both Wednesdays and Fridays , the Company will continue to meet at 6.30pm. On some occasions we will be going off site so please be on time. If you are likely to be late please ring one of the staff before 6.15pm on Friday or Wednesday if you are likely to be late to let us know.

SUNDAYS IN JULY.

July 6th , 19th. Bible Class 10.00am

July 13th Family Service 11.00am

July 26th. Pre camp Bible Class.

There will be no Bible Class in August.

RESULTS ROUND UP

Competition Results are a bit thin on the ground during the summer months but we do have one result outstanding from the last newsletter . In the London Gym Competitions the trampette vaulting team came first a, while the groundwork team came second .well done to all the boys who took part.

DETAILS OF OUR WINTER PROGRAMME WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN SEPTEMBER.

However we are looking for Volunteer drivers on Fridays or Saturdays. If you think you can help even on a one off basis please let one of the staff know sooner rather than later ,as the absence of a driver will curtail some of our activities.

KOOL DRUMMINGS NEWS

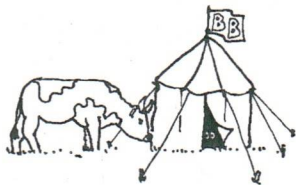
The Band have almost finished there summer programme of engagements.

The two remaining events are :

July 4th Gorringe Middle School 6.30pm

July 6th St Anselms school 1.00pm

There will be no more band practises after July 7th until the end of August



LAST CALL FOR CAMP !!!

There are still some vacancies. Deposits due in by June 11th . Final Payment August 1st.

Dates August 2nd-9th

See attached leaflet for more details.

It would greatly help our Camp Cook if You Could Bake a Cake for Camp. If you could help please let the Captain know. He promises not to eat them himself!!

Finally .Enjoy the summer break , we will see you in September!!

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Following the recent bad weather we can now start the cricket and Athletics Season with the following events.

Saturday July 5th : London six a side Cricket 10. 00 am

Thursday July 10th. : London Cricket match v 5th Croydon 5.45pm

Saturday July 12th : London Athletics meet at 12. 00pm

COMPANY PROGRAMME :

Sundays : Bible Class 10.00am

Mondays ; Steel Band 7.30pm

Wednesdays : Junior Section 6.30pm

Athletics or cricket 8.00pm

Fridays : Company Section 6.30pm

Senior Section 8.30pm

Last Meetings of the Session.

Junior Section July 30th

**Company and Seniors July 25th
Unless going to Camp August 1st.**

Staff Contact Nos: Mr Buss 0181 769 5039, Mr Green 0181 672 9344, Mr Belle 0181 672 5342 ,
Mr Ballard 0181 672 4835

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SWIMMING CHAMPIONS



Congratulations to the Swimming team Pictured above who won both the junior and Company Section galas and the overall trophy at the Battalion Gala on February 14th. This was a fine team effort but Michael Murtagh, and Mark Onyemachi recorded individual efforts of two event wins. The trophies were clinched by victories in the three relays.

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MARCH DIARY DATES

March 7th Football v 6th London 9.00 is

March 7th National Five a side Football Semi Final meet 5.50pm

Wednesday March 11th London pr Games final 6.30PM

Thursday March 12th Steel Band Concert meet 6.00PM

Saturday March 14th football v 4th Hillingdon 9.00am

Saturday March 14th Table Tennis 5th round match meet 1.30pm

Saturday March 14th Company Bible Quiz 6.15pm

Saturday March 21st London Five aside Football finals meet 5.15pm

Saturday March 28th Battalion 11-14 five a side football –meet 5.30pm

Tuesday –March 31st Gym Competition – 6.30pm

COMPANY MEETINGS:

SUNDAYS 10.00am Bible Class

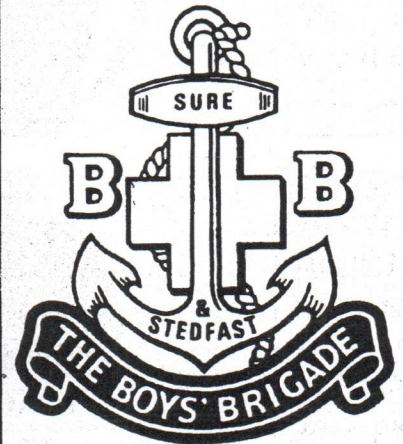
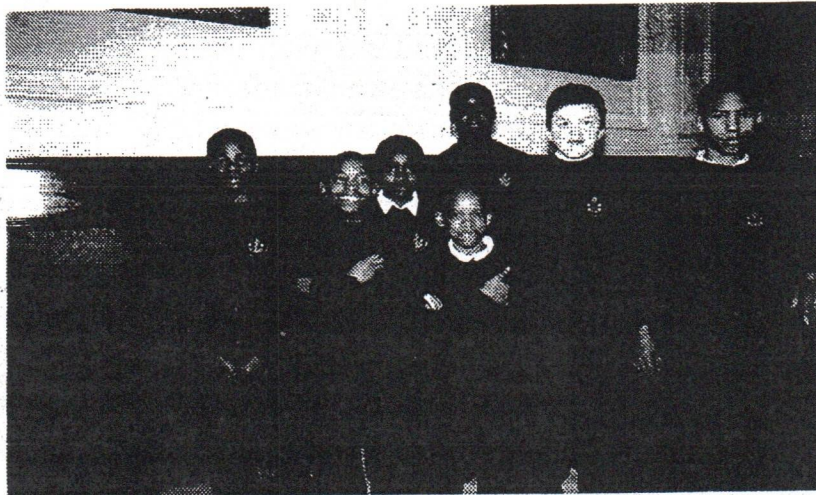
MONDAYS 7.30pm Steel Band

WEDNESDAYS 6.30pm Junior Section
8.00pm Gym

FRIDAY 6.30pm Company Section
8.15pm Senior Section

SATURDAYS: As announced

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH AWARDS



The company acted as stewards at the Wandsworth Council Neighbourhood Watch Awards held at The Civic Suite Wandsworth on February 26th. The boys manned the cloakroom and acted as guides for the 100 or so visitors including the mayor of Wandsworth Cllr Mrs T. Thompson.



RESULTS ROUND UP

The under 15 played only one game last month Beating the 2nd Ruislip 5-2. However the game against 1st Yiewsley was conceded by Yiewsley leaving the under 15 team 2 points short of the league title.

The seniors helped the battalion team beat Croydon 4-1 to reach the London Final which is likely to be played in April and will be against West London. The seniors also played two friendlies beating the 5th Croydon 3-1 and the 4th Barking 16-0

SUNDAY SPECIAL MARCH 15th 7.00pm

We would like to take this opportunity to again invite boys and Parents to our next Sunday Special on March 15th. These Services are lively and last for just under an hour come and sample the next one.

COMPANY DISPLAY MAY 2nd 7.00pm



UNIFORM

Parents are reminded that uniform should be worn by all Company section boys on Fridays. Sweatshirts are available for loan or may be purchased for £11. Continued failure to wear a sweatshirt will result in your son being sent home. The loss of a sweatshirt will require a replacement to be purchased. On leaving the Company loaned Sweatshirts must be returned. Junior Jumpers are also available at £11

The Company Display is the time when you the parents and friends of the Company can come and see some of what we get up to, it is also the time when the boys have the opportunity to receive their awards for the work they have put in over the last 12 months. This is the Company's 90th anniversary and this year we are planning something slightly different please keep the date free if you are a parent to come along and support your son and see something of the company's work.



SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Some members of the Company have fallen behind with their subs would you note that subs for Company and Senior Boys are £17.50 and for juniors £10. –Thank you.

ADVANCE NOTICE.

There will be no Company meeting on Good Friday April 10th. However we will continue to meet on other Weekdays over the Easter school Holidays.

STAFF CONTACT NUMBERS

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Mr Ballard 0181 672 4835
Mr Belle 0181 672 5342
Mr Green 0181 672 9344



WELCOME to our travel page

Or at least the opportunity to travel if we succeed on some of the events listed in the Diary Page.

This year we have again reached the Five aside Semi finals and if we are successful then the Squad will be off to Inverness on the 3rd of April to play in the finals on the following day.

The table Tennis team is two matches away from a trip to Northern Ireland on the Weekend of April 25th while the Badminton team has already qualified for the National Finals with an all expenses paid trip to Battersea on June 6th.

There is of course one way in which all the Company (well at least those who are 11 can enjoy the benefits of travel and that is by Coming to **CAMP**.

THIS Year's CAMP is at Dartmouth between August 1st and 8th. The cost is £77.50 and activities include Go karting, bowling, climbing, Water shuting and Quaser.

Book your place now.

The Junior Section have been patiently waiting for their London 11 aside cup games to be played. However, Both matches have been conceded by the opposition. We are now thro' to the final which will be played next month against either the 12th West Kent or the 6th Waltham Forest. We will be trying to arrange a friendly before the final

REMINDER.

All Company and Senior Section boys should attend either their own church or Bible Class. Failure to do so Could result in removal from the Company Roll.

The Next Saturday Clubroom is likely to be on April 4th. Between 7 and 9 pm.

This Newsletter is intended both for boys and Parents please keep it handy so that you know what is going on in the Company.

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COMPANY DISPLAY

The Company's 90th display came and went on May 2nd. A good audience of just less than 100 saw a variety of events from the Company, Junior and Senior Sections. A Big thanks you to our guest old boys (Ron Webb, Peter Knights, Alan Hemsley, Carl Osborne and Bernard Shaw who made the presentations. For the record the company trophies went to the following:

Junior Section:

Sunday Attendance: Mark Onyemachi
Best Boy; James Taylor

Company Section:

Recruits Cup: Marvin Spencer
Best Sportsman: Andrew Onyemachi
Espirit D'Corps :Antony King.
Best Drilled Private: David Travers

If anyone who missed the display would still like a copy of the Souvenir Brochure with a history of the Company and photographs going back to 1910 please contact The Company Captain Chris Buss.

As a footnote it was disappointing that some boys missed the display without any notice, in some instances this meant that items were recast on the night. Parents and boys are asked to note that some company meetings are not options and if your son cannot attend please let us know.

BAND NEWS–*And the band played on and on and on.*

The Steel band has had a busy three weeks apart from opening the display. They also played at the London Marathon. Brief glimpses of the band appeared on TV when the runners went past the Cutty Sark and they could be heard clearly on the TV if not scene. The band played 90 minutes without a break. On the weekend of May 9th and 10th the band played a concert at St Margaret's church Uxbridge and then took part in the service at Kingsdown, Methodist Church Ealing.

The next Major band event is at the London Bikeathon on Sunday June 7th in Battersea Park.

Provisional bookings have also been made for June 19th and June 27th.

COMPANY PROGRAMME SUMMER 1998.

Sunday-Bible Class 10.00am
Monday-Band practise 7.30pm
Wednesday: Junior Section 6.30pm
Friday: Company Section 6.30pm
Seniors –8.30pm

Other events as announced

**NB No UNIFORM TO BE WORN IN
THE SUMMER**

SPORTS REPORT



FOOTBALL: The Company provided 10 of the 14 man battalion squad which won the London eleven a side trophy 4-0

The Junior section were joint winners of the district 11 aside competition drawing 1-1 after extra time with the 6th Waltham Forest.

It has confirmed that the under 15 team has won the league, medals when available will be presented to all boys who took part in 5 or more games.

BADMINTON

The National finals are on June 6th at Battersea Sports centre . Would all squad members note that practises are on Wednesdays at 8.00pm

ATHLETICS

Athletics practises will take place on Friday June 19th and the Battalion trial is on Friday July 3rd. The London Final is on Saturday July 11th

CRICKET

Cricket practises will be announced during the coming weeks we have entered the London Competition and the six a side final is on Saturday July 4th.

CAMP 1998.

Final reminder CAMP 1998 will be at Dartmouth between August 1st-8th. Price £77.50. We are now taking bookings , please let us know if your son(s) is coming.

FINAL NOTE: BIBLE CLASS IS NOT A SUNDAY OPTIONAL EXTRA BUT SHOULD BE A MUST.

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**NEWSLETTER OF THE 70th London
Company of The Boys' Brigade
SEPTEMBER 1998.**

WELCOME TO all our readers as the Company starts its 91st Session. Over the past 90 years things have changed in the BB and some of you might have read the press coverage about admitting girls into the BB. Locally we are happy with our arrangements for some joint activities with our Sister GB company but at present membership of the 70th will continue to be Boys only.



SUBS

This years annual subs are as follows:
**Junior Section £11pa ,
Company &
Senior £18pa –
Payable by
November 1st.**

NEW SESSION ARRANGEMENTS

The Programme for the New Session is as Follows:
SUNDAYS; 10.00am –Bible Class for Company & Senior Sections starting 27th September 1998.

MONDAYS: 7.30pm Steel Band practice . Any new band members must start by 28th September.

WEDNESDAYS : 6.30pm Junior Section and Target squad. 8.00pm Badminton

FRIDAYS: 6.30pm Company and Seniors . NB older Seniors meet from 8.00pm

SATURDAYS: Various activities as announced.

UNIFORM MUST BE WORN ON WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

NOTE TO PARENTS: With this Newsletter you will find a copy of the Company rules and a Consent Form . The consent form must be returned by October 9th. If you have any queries please contact the Company Captain Chris Buss

OLD BOYS REUNION.

To any Old boys who may have forgotten about the reunion or by mistake received a blank sheet of paper rather than an invite then the details are as follows: **SATURDAY OCTOBER 3rd 4.00pm–7.00pm** at The Church Hal 1. Please let the Captain know if you intend to come.

Staff Contact Nos; Chris Buss ; 0181 769 5039
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CHURCH DATES

WE would like to invite you to the following Forthcoming events at the church; Sunday Special : September 20th Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday September 27th Services at 11.00am & 6.30pm

FOOTBALL

ARRANGEMENTS.

The Company has again entered the West London Football League for under 15's -Matches will be on Saturday Mornings .

There will be a number of senior Matches which will be played in the afternoon.

Details of Five a side tournaments will be issued shortly.

SUMMER SPORTS NEWS.

The Company successfully defended its district 11 a side cricket title beating the 2nd Ruislip by 48 runs. We also played a friendly against the Seveno Cricket club which was founded by former members of the 70th in 1948. The Company lost by four wickets in an enjoyable evening.

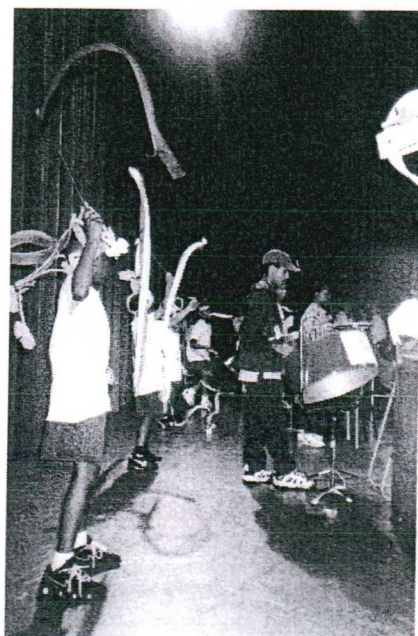
CHURCH PARADE

**Meet in uniform
SUNDAY 4th October
10.45am**

UNIFORM SWEATSHIRTS and Junior Section Jumpers available Price £11.

SUMMER NEWS

During the Summer the Company has been to Camp while the Steel Band has had Two important outside engagements at The London Town Show at Brigade Council and The Notting Hill Carnival. The pictures below give a flavour of the last two events.



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**Newsletter of the Boys' Brigade –
70th London Company-September 1999**

Welcome Back to the New Session !

After the summer session and the exertions of camp we would like to welcome back our previous members (or most of them) and to New members we say a big HELLO.

This copy of 70up gives some of the news of the summer together with outline details of the Programme from now to Christmas. Full details will be sent out shortly to all boys and parents on a section by section basis.

**COMPANY
PROGRAMME.**

Sunday: Bible Class 11am

Monday: Steel Band :7pm

Wednesday: Junior &
Company Sections: 6.30pm

Friday : Seniors : 6.45pm

Saturday: Meetings as
announced.



But first some news on the old Session

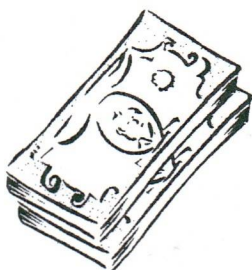
LONDON DISTRICT ATHLETICS

The Company provided the Battalion team which retained the London District Athletics.

Individual event winners were: D.Larty-u15 200 m & Shot, E.Mabanza -u15 High Jump, W.Rockliffe -u15 Discus, D.Buss -400m 15+, Long Jump & Javelin, D.Bull-15+ High Jump & Triple Jump. 15+ Relay team. However credit should be given to all team members who all scored valuable points.

cricket news: The Company has retained the District 11 a side. cricket Trophy and regained the six a side trophy .The latter was won after a three way tie on 0.08 runs per over !

OFFICERS CONTACT NUMBERS : Chris Buss 0181 769 5039,
Barry Green 0181 672 9344 Jim Ballard 0181 672 4835



Subscriptions.

The annual fees payable for each boy the year 1999/2000

Are as follows: Junior aged 8/10 £12 , or 50p a week

Company aged 11/13 £15 or 60p a week

Seniors aged 14+ £18 or 75p a week.

Annual Subs must be paid by 31st October , or if paid weekly must be 1/3 paid by that date. Failure to pay could result in exclusion from the company.

SECTION PROGRAMMES

JUNIOR SECTION

The Junior Section will meet on Wednesdays at 6.30pm for boys aged 8-10. The programme in the winter will be mainly based in the church premises and will consist of a mix of Physical , Spiritual, interest adventure and Community activities. The boys will be given the opportunity to obtain achievements under the Brigade Badge system and will also undertake some arts and crafts based work . The Section will finish at 8.00pm

Juniors are encouraged to attend Junior church or Sunday school and like other members of the Company should attend Church Parades.

Advance notice of other activities will be given normally through this newsletter but boys will normally be given a note if they have been selected for a Football team . If you have any queries are questions please do not hesitate to ring on of the staff.

COMPANY SECTION

The Company Section will meet on Wednesdays aged 11-13 and will undertake a programme of activities based around the Company Award scheme. The activities will be based largely in the church premises. The Section will finish at 9.15pm although boys will be free to leave from 8.30pm.

Company Boys should attend Bible Class on Sundays at 11pm

The Company section members are eligible to take part in a wider range of competitive activity including gymnastics , chess , Table Tennis and Badminton. Opportunities for practice will be available on Wednesdays and occasionally on other nights of the week.

Again advance notice of activities will be given in the newsletter.

SENIORS

The Seniors will meet on Friday at 6.45pm
There will be two programmes operating which means that boys must be present on time to ensure that they do not miss out.
Activities are a mix of physical , social & spiritual.

Section meetings will finish between 10 and 10.30pm.

Seniors should attend Bible Class on Sundays at 11pm.

Seniors are eligible to take part in the full range of competitions at Local , District and National level.

STEEL BAND NEWS

The steel band "Kool Drummings" has been busy over the summer with two appearances in Wandsworth and one in Cromer. The 2nd appearance in Wandsworth was at the Launch of the Borough Summer scheme where the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police and the Home Secretary were in Attendance. The Trip to Cromer to help with a beach mission was highly enjoyable.



Band with Mayor of Wandsworth

The Band is on the look out for new members. If your son is interested Then they should come down on a Monday at 7.00pm. The Band restarts on September 13th.

FOOTBALL NEWS.

The Under 16 five a side team took part in the Youth Service five aside tournament at the start of the Summer Scheme. After a shaky start they qualified for the knock out round and beat Local Rivals St Boniface YC(5-0) and Tooting Hub (1-1) Won on penalties before narrowly losing 1-0 in the final to Providence. Well Done.

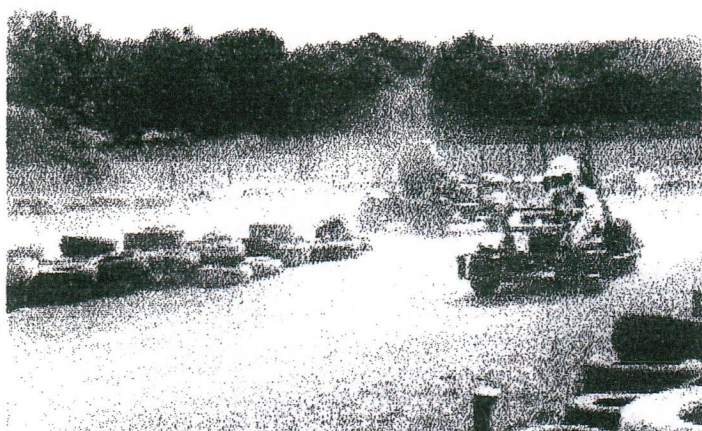
The Company 11 aside team has already played one friendly against Corinthian Casuals u16 team drawing 3-3 on August 31st,

Details of this seasons Fixtures are still awaited but we will be providing a full list of fixtures for all three sections.



UNIFORM

The Brigade has adopted new uniforms for all three Sections, in view of this no old style uniforms will be purchased until the new ones are available. This should be in November. Those boys who have paid for an old style Junior Section jumper but have not yet received it will receive a new Junior Section jumper when they are available. Seniors should continue to wear their sweatshirts. Details of prices for the new uniform will be sent out once they are available.



TWO VIEWS OF CAMP ACTIVITIES 1999 are shown above.
The Date and venue for Camp 2000 is July 29th to August 5th at Swanage. Yes the same site as in 1997. Book early to reserve a place.



Three Special dates for Church

19th September Sunday Special 7.00pm

26th September Harvest Festival 11.00am and 6.30pm

3rd October 10.45am-Church Parade-all Members to be present in uniform

Finally , a gentle reminder to all boys.

Membership of the Company is a privilege not a right any boy or boys who prevent other boys from enjoying their membership of the company by anti social behavior can and will have their membership withdrawn.

Boys are expected to be punctual and regular in attendance both during the week and on Sundays.