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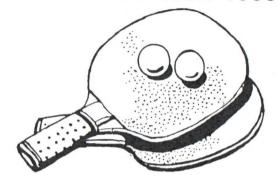


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## THE BOYS' BRIGADE NATIONAL TABLE TENNIS FINALS WEST BROMWICH 1988



BY INVITATION OF THE SANDWELL BATTALION

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THE WEST BROMWICH BUILDING SOCIETY
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SATURDAY, 4th JUNE, 1988

AT
THE GALA HALL
EDWARD STREET
WEST BROMWICH



PRICE 25p



#### WELCOME AND THANKS

On behalf of the Sandwell Battalion of the Boys' Brigade, I congratulate the eight companies who have reached the Finals of the 1987/88 session's National Table Tennis Competition, and welcome their Officers, lads and supporters to West Bromwich.

This is the first time in the history of the Sandwell Battalion that we have hosted the Finals of a National Competition, and we hope that you enjoy our hospitality, and the time that you spend with us.

For some of the Company's, it is their first time in this Final, others have taken part in it before. We wish all the Company's and their supporters the very best of luck.

To the supporters, we hope that you enjoy not only some good table tennis, but also the BB fellowship which is always to be found when Boys' Brigade members meet together.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who have helped to make these Finals possible by their sponsorship, both financial and otherwise.

Also thanks must be extended to the small group of Officers from the Sandwell Battalion, who have assisted me in organising today's Finals, and thereby, hopefully, making it a very successful day.

lan P. Collett Sandwell Battalion

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#### **PROGRAMME**

All events will take place at the Gala Hall, West Bromwich unless otherwise stated.

11.00 a.m.

Reception.

Draw for Quarter-Finals.

11.30 a.m.

Lunch, (at Wesley Chapel),

for Teams and Officials only

12.30 p.m.

Quarter-Finals.

2.45 p.m.

Semi-Finals.

Reserves Competition.

5.00 p.m.

Final.

3rd and 4th position play-off (if required).

7.00 p.m.

Presentations.

7.45 p.m.

Buffet, (at Wesley Chapel)

for Teams and Officials only.

After the Quarter-Finals, all times are approximate dependant on the duration of the matches, and are therefore subject to change.

If the Finals overrun, the presentations will be moved to Wesley Chapel.

Refreshments are available from the vending machines in the foyer.

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#### THE FINALISTS

#### Representing England and Wales

#### 2nd Basingstoke Company

Team Members:

Jason Gregory, Stevie Marrett and Mark Shorney

Reserve:

Justin Taylor

Their first time in the Finals never having got passed the 5th round before

#### 4th Birkenhead Company

Team Members:

Richard King, Robert McDonald and Robert McGettrick

Reserve:

Alec Lawson

They have been playing in this competition for many years, reaching the Finals once before in 1981 when they were played at Nottingham.

#### 70th London Company

Team Members:

Freddie Adu, Edmund Gonzales and Prince Onyemachi.

Reserve:

O'Neil Howell.

This is the Company's first time in the Final, but have also reached the Final's of this session's Volleyball and Five-a-Side Football Competitions.

#### 27th North Staffs Company

Team Members:

Paul Malkin, Neal Malkin and Jason Rafferty.

Reserve:

Only their third year in the competition having reached the last twelve in 1986 and the last eight in 1987.

#### THE FINALISTS

#### Representing Scotland

#### 12th Edinburgh Company

Team Members:

Colin Robertson, James Robertson and Douglas MacMillan.

Reserve:

Gary Cunningham.

Last in the Finals in 1986 at Wolverhampton when they came third. This is their fifth appearance in the Finals and is also the Company's Centenary Year.

#### 198th Glasgow Company

Team Members:

Dennis Clark, Brian Kinnear and John McGinley

Reserve:

Colin McKissock.

They have taken part in this competition for many years, but this is the first time that they have got past the 2nd Round.

#### 2nd Wishaw Company

Team Members:

Craig Dargavel, Andrew Leggett, and Ross Murdoch

Reserve:

Alan Bennett.

They reached the Finals for the first time last session when they were played in Falkirk.

#### Representing Ireland

#### 24th Belfast Company

Team Members:

Johnathon Morrow, Alan Stewart and David Stewart

Reserve:

Brian Gourley

They have been runners-up in this competition and were in last year's Finals at Falkirk, when they were in fourth position.

### **QUARTER FINALS**

### **SEMI FINALS**

Table	Company	Score	Table	Company	Score
1.	4th BIRKENHEAD 1988 GLASGOW			4 BIRKENIKAD  27 MORTH STATS	5
2.	27th NORTH STAFFS			12 EDINBURGH 24 BELFAST	5
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#### **PREVIOUS WINNERS**

Winners of the National Table Tennis Competition over the last 10 years.

1978	7th Hartlepool Company
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1981	7th Hartlepool Company
1982	7th Hartlepool Company
1983	7th Hartlepool Company
1984	12th Perth Company
1985	8th Hartlepool Company
1986	1st Hartlepool Company
1987	1st Hartlepool Company
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