

UPDATE



WINTER 2023/24



**May you have the gift of faith, the blessing of hope,
and the peace of His love at Christmas and always.**

**The Battalion Office Bearers, Board of Trustees and
Staff Team wish you a Happy Christmas**

**The Battalion office closes for the Christmas Break on the afternoon of
Thursday 21st December, reopening Monday 8th January 2024.
Emergency contact information is available during this period by
calling 0300 303 4454.**

January 2024



Juniors Carronvale Residential

We are holding an overnight residential for Junior Sections on Saturday 13th - Sunday 14th January. Participants will have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of activities - games, crafts, puzzles and a sleep! Sorry, already fully booked.



NCO's Drill Competition

Wednesday 17th January, 7.30pm, venue tbc. This event enables NCOs or Senior Boys to participate in a Drill Competition where they 'take' the squad and it is their ability and clarity of Command which is judged. The paper is available on the website.

Safeguarding Module 4 Course

Online course on Thursday 18th January, 6.45pm - 9.30pm on Zoom. This course is recognised by the Church of Scotland as an alternative to their Introductory course (as long as no other regulated work is undertaken within your local Church) Participants should complete the Safeguarding and Managing Risk e-learning modules prior to registering for the training.

Company Management Training

Saturday 20th January, 9.30am - 5.45pm, venue Robroyston Parish Church, £8 per person. Open to any BBUK Captain's/ Leaders in charge who have fully completed the registration process. Feel confident in your role as Captain or Leader-in-Charge; Recognise your responsibilities in creating a safe environment in the Company, including Safeguarding and Managing Risk; Know where to find the resources and support available to deliver quality youth and children's work in the Company; Understand how to establish and maintain positive working relationships; Identify and manage the development and sustainability of the Company.

Building Your Skills (for President's Badge)

Sunday 21st January, 1.45pm - 4.30pm at St John's Renfield Church, £9 per person. Young People (in S3 or older) should attend a Building Your Skills course as part of the work towards their President's Badge, we run this course several times during the session.

Safeguarding Course (Online)



Company Management Training



Replaces Captain's & OIC Training

Building Your Skills (for President's Badge)



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Safeguarding Course (In Person)

Safeguarding Module 4 Course

Face to face version of this course on Sunday 21st January, 1.45pm - 4.30pm at St John's Renfield Church. Reserve your place on Cademy.

Company Table Tennis

Table Tennis Singles Championships for Company age (P7-S2) on Monday 22nd January, 7pm at 44th Glasgow BB Halls, Dundee Drive. Entries by Friday 19th January.

Juniors 10 Pin Bowling

Juniors 10 Pin Bowling takes place on Saturday 27th January, 10am at Hollywood Bowl at The Quay. With six players in a lane, a game takes about an hour, £5 per player. Booking by 19th January, so we have enough lanes available.

Skills for Queen's Badge

Sunday 28th January, 1.45pm - 4.30pm, venue tbc, £9 per person. Young People should attend a Skills for Queen's Badge course at the start of their QB work, we usually run this course three times during the session, this is the third.

Seniors Table Tennis

Table Tennis Singles Championships for Seniors age (S3-S6) on Wednesday 31st January, 7pm at St John's Renfield Church. Entries by 26th January.



Skills for Queen's Badge



February 2024



Anchors Lego Morning

Our second Anchors Lego morning of the Session is on Saturday 17th February, 10am - 11.30am, it's £5 each. Venue to be confirmed. Places are available.



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Battalion Council

Meeting of The Battalion Council being held on Tuesday 20th February at 7.30 pm, venue should be at HQ. Building renovations are due for completion in early January.

All Leaders and Young Persons serving within Companies of the Battalion together with those additional persons who are members of any Committee/Team or District Council formed by Glasgow Battalion Rules and who hold a current registration with the Brigade are invited to attend.

Juniors Kurling

Saturday 24th February at Battalion HQ (tbc). This will run from 10am until around 12 noon, with some coaching followed by a competition. There are four players in a team, sections can bring more than one team. You can bring along fewer than four Juniors and join up with another section on the day. Please let us know by Wednesday 21st February if you plan to take part.

