

# Paisley & District Battalion The Boys' Brigade

# Update



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Presentation Day in Renfrew North Church  
Sunday 2nd June  
Guest of Honour:

*Dr Iain Findlay, Deputy Lieutenant, Renfrewshire*

On Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April our Annual Battalion Parade took place to Lochwinnoch Parish Church, home of the 1<sup>st</sup> Lochwinnoch Company. The event was part of the celebrations of the centenary of the Company, which is also linked to Calder United Free Church. The service was conducted by the Rev Archie Ford and Mrs Mary Jane Bird. The parade through the town was extremely popular, with many local residents coming out of their homes and filming the parade as it passed: good publicity for The Boys' Brigade in the area. Congratulations to the 1<sup>st</sup> Lochwinnoch Company for achieving this milestone.



For the last few years the boys and staff of all sections of **15th Paisley Boys' Brigade** have donated eggs for Paisley Foodbank. This year we asked our congregation if they'd like to contribute and we've been astounded at the result. A total of 191 eggs were collected and taken along to the Foodbank. A great result of the Church and their young people working together to reach out to help others and share God's love at Easter.

The Company have also made donations to local charities, including ROAR – Connections for Life.

68 Eggs were donated by members of the **1st Barrhead** to people in our community to help them celebrate Easter 2019. This donation went to Steven Cameron, Funeral Directors, who distributed the eggs within Renfrewshire.



## Around the Companies



The 8th Paisley Company recently celebrated their 125th anniversary with a visit from St Mirren manager, Oran Kearney, at their Annual Inspection and Display.

*The 22nd Paisley Company enjoyed some outdoor activities at their annual camp.*



If you would like YOUR Company's activities to feature in future UPDATES, email details/pics to [m.bryan4@ntlworld.com](mailto:m.bryan4@ntlworld.com)



**KGVI Part One** will take place from **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July until Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August.**

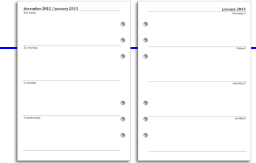
The course is for young men and women aged 17 to 21 to support them move into leadership roles within the Brigade. The course will equip young people with the skills, knowledge and confidence to become an effective Boys' Brigade leader. More information is available on:

<https://boys-brigade.org.uk/events/event/kgvi-youth-leadership-training>

or by speaking to the Scottish HQ Team on 01324 562008



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



### June

Monday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Battalion Council AGM	Wallneuk North	7.30
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### August

Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Company Section Activities Comm	Renfrew North	7.00
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Monday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Battalion Executive	TBC	TBC
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### October

Monday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Battalion Executive	TBC	TBC
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### November

Monday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Battalion Council Autumn Meeting	TBC	TBC
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Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Remembrance Sunday		
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### January

Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Battalion Executive	TBC	TBC
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Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Anchor Boy P3 Afternoon	TBC	TBC
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### February

Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Anchor Boy P2 Afternoon	TBC	TBC
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### March

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Battalion Executive	TBC	TBC
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Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Anchor Boy Day	Gleniffer High School	
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