

# THE ADVENTURE BEGINS HERE



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Dear Parents/Guardians,

## May/June Newsletter

### A Look Back



### Battalion Swimming Gala

We would like to say a massive congratulations to Owen, Alex and Josh who represented us at the Battalion Swimming Gala recently, all three of them came away with medals and did the Company proud.

### Anchors Fun Day

Members of our Anchors took part in the Battalion Fun Day on 13th May, they had an excellent time and came joint 3rd overall and won the Quiz element.

### Subs

Just a reminder than Subs now work on a monthly basis and are £8 per month (excluding August). Our preference would be for this to be paid online using MyBB, however if you do need to pay cash this should be paid on the first Friday of each month.

Tuck is treated separately to this and we continue to suggest around 50p per week, however if you would like more or less (or none) that's fine too.

### Forthcoming Events

#### Friday 19th May

Our Juniors and Company/Seniors (along with last year Anchors) will be having a band evening, getting the chance to have a go at the instruments we have in the band.

Following this if members wish to join the band they would be most welcome, Band Practices take place on a Monday evening 1830-1945 at Woods Methodist Church, Coronation Road, Wednesbury.



## Friday 2nd June

As this is Half Term Week in schools, Boys' Brigade will not be meeting, we restart on Friday 9th June when Trevor (our Chaplain) will be with us, therefore Juniors and above should be at Church ready to start at 7pm.

## Moving Up

Following Half Term (from 9th June) we would like to invite those moving up to new Sections in September (those currently in Years 3 and 6 at school) to stay for their new Sections so that they can get an idea of what the new Sections are like and meet the staff and other members.

## Saturday 10th June

This is the date for the Battalion Sports Day for all sections which takes place at Tamworth Athletics Stadium, Marlborough Way, Tamworth, B77 2HA. Unfortunately due to a shortage of staff we will be unable to provide transport, however we would very much still like members to take part. There will be staff from each Section present on the day too. Spectators are welcome to stay and watch and for those above school age there will be a £1 admission fee.

Arrival is at 1130 ready for a 1200 start and this is usual an excellent afternoon of fun and entertainment (there is also a tuck shop and BBQ!!), or you could bring a picnic, don't forget your camp chairs or rugs.

If your son would like to take part please let us know on Friday 26th May so that we can submit the entry forms on time. We will then work out races that members will take part in.

## Sunday 2nd July

Our next Church Parade Service will take place on this day at Woods Methodist Church, Coronation Road, Wednesbury beginning at 1100. On this occasion we will be celebrating the 51st birthday of Woods Methodist Church. As usual the service will last approximately 45 minutes and no longer than an hour and members should attend in as much uniform as they have.