

JUNIOR SECTION NEWS

The Belfast Battalion Newsletter for Junior Section Leaders

January 2019

Dates for Your Diary:

- 2 February 2019
5-A-Side Football
Heat
- 9 March 2019
Figure Marching
Competition
- 11 May 2019
Fun Afternoon

Indoor 5-A-Side Football

Saturday 2 February 2019

Eddie Irvine Centre Bangor at 2.00p.m.
(Teams must be ready to play at 1.45p.m.)

Cost £ 15.00 per team
ONLY 7 BOYS IN A TEAM
NO EXTRA BOYS ALLOWED!!

Entries due no later than 5.00p.m. on
Friday 18th January 2019.



The Winning Section will represent the Battalion at the NID Final to be played on Saturday 13 April 2019 at the Meadowbank Sports Arena, Magherafelt.

Figure Marching

Saturday 9 March 2019

The Belfast Battalion Heat for the Northern Ireland District Junior Section Figure Marching Competition will be held on Saturday 9 March 2019 in Strand Presbyterian Church, Connsbrook Avenue, Belfast.

Details are enclosed.

Programme can be accessed from
bbni.org.uk



Fun Afternoon

Saturday 11 May 2019

at



12.00pm - 4.00pm

Cost : £5 per Boy
Registration Form enclosed.

REGISTRATION BY
MONDAY 25 MARCH 2019

Your Boys will enjoy:

Sports Activities
Beach games
Fun of the Fair
Craft
Football
Taster Ganaway Activities
Bring a Picnic!

Other Dates:

NID Junior Section Swimming Gala Saturday 23rd February 2019

NID Figure Marching (Battalion Heat) Saturday 9th March 2019

Belfast Battalion Parade Service Sunday 24th March 2019

JS AGM and Battalion Council Wednesday 8th May 2019

Refer to the NID calendar of events for dates of entry to the various Competitions

Belfast City Council – Find a Sports Star

Find a Sports Star aims to give young people aged 6-16 years the opportunity to try sports via guidance on sporting abilities and skills which enables them to register for **FREE** sports sessions with top quality sports coaches across Belfast. The leisure centre based roadshow events are from 19-21st February 2019 (during school half-term holidays) Registration is now open! For more information and registration details the link you need is: belfastcity.gov.uk/leisure/sportsdevelopment/sports-star.aspx

Stedfast Supplies

Or otherwise known as The B.B. Shop and located in B.B. House 14 May Street, Belfast, The B.B. Shop caters for **all** Boys' Brigade Companies across the Emerald Isle. In addition to B.B. Uniforms and resources, a wide selection of B.B. and non-B.B. items are available, some of which are exclusive to The B.B. Shop in Belfast. And the best part is, you can walk-in and speak to our experienced staff who are only too willing to assist you with your purchases. Parents are also welcome to make purchases too. Open Monday from 10.00am – 5.00pm and Tuesday to Friday from 9.30am – 5.00pm all year round along with special Saturday openings, make The B.B. Shop your first stop when planning what gifts and prizes you need for your Company and Section Displays, Parents' Nights and other events and special occasions throughout the year.

See our new look catalogue at belfastbb.org.uk with order forms so that we can facilitate your purchases locally via telephone, e-mail and in-store.

Youth Leader Training



The next Battalion-led Course will be held at Ganaway Training and Activity Centre over the weekend of **25 - 27 January 2019**. This is essential for all Leaders working in their Company as it provides valuable instruction on how best to create meaningful weekly Programmes for the young people in their care. Not forgetting the valuable fellowship and time spent sharing with fellow Leaders. Registrations are filling up well but there is still some room for a few more! Contact B.B. House for further information. Registration forms can be downloaded from the Battalion website. Please Note - it is now a requirement of BBUK HQ that trainees must have completed full B.B. Leader Registration before the commencement of any B.B. training.

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Best wishes for 2019

from your Junior Section Committee

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E-mail sign up

To enable us to communicate more effectively with you, please send us up to-date e-mail address to:

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The B.B. Object

The advancement of Christ's Kingdom among Boys and the promotion of habits of Obedience, Reverence, Discipline, Self-respect and all that tends towards a true Christian manliness.