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Juniors Underground Challenge

On Saturday 27th January we're holding this new 'treasure hunt' type activity, based loosely on the Seniors event a couple of years ago, teams will travel around the Subway system, solving clues and completing challenges at various locations at or close to Subway stations.

Teams will comprise a leader and 2-4 Boys. Meeting at Battalion HQ at 1pm they'll set off at intervals to either Ibrox or Cessnock stations and then spend approximately 90 minutes travelling on the Subway system working on challenges.

As each clue is solved or challenge is completed teams will text an answer or photograph back to HQ and then receive the next location and challenge.

Teams will be given an all day subway ticket for each member. There's an entry fee of £10 per team.

More information is in the Junior Section Events Schedule, entries are due by 15th January.



Planning Ahead

Sections planning activities in the new year are reminded of the regulations contained within the Safety Handbook, Section 9 covers overnight stays.

- An officer leading a camp or holiday for any age group (of any duration involving at least one overnight) must hold a valid Holiday Leadership qualification.
- For canvas camps, at least one officer or Warrant Officer attending the canvas camp must hold a valid Camp Craft qualification.
- At all camps and holidays, suitable arrangements must be made for first aid provision and supervision of water and adventure activities.
- All camps and holidays involving at least one overnight, and for any age group, must be notified to the appropriate Regional Headquarters.

- All adults assisting overnight with residential visits, camps or holidays and undertaking some responsibility at the event must be properly registered with Headquarters.
- Anchor Boys are not permitted to attend overnight events.
- Junior Section boys may attend organised Junior Section weekend camps under canvas provided that the programme is suitable for the different age groups. Holidays in a school or church hall etc. are also encouraged. Junior Section boys, in their last year, may attend a Company Section camp.
- Where Brigade parties intend to visit countries outside of the British Isles, notification must be sent, to UK Headquarters at least three months before the date of the visit, and their approval obtained.

Anchors Colouring



There were more than 150 entries to our Anchor Section Colouring Competition for St Andrews Day. We had a winner for each age group

P1 - Logan Fraser, 205th Glasgow

P2 – Carter De-Laet Gamble, 135th Glasgow

P3 – Matthew Mackay, 278th Glasgow Everyone who took part receives a certificate.

Dates for your Diary

January

- 14 Building Your Skills Course
- 17 NCO's Drill Competition
- 21 Heartstart Instructors Course
- 23 Table Tennis Junior
- 27 Skills for Queen's Badge Course Juniors Underground Challenge
- 31 Table Tennis Intermediate Table Tennis Senior

February

- 7 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 18 Building Your Skills Course
- 23 Compass Badge Challenge
- 25 Swimming Gala