



## Church Lads' & Church Girls' Brigade Ulster Regiment – Going Places!



Autumn 2014

### Commemorating Irish Church Lads in the Great War



### First World War Project

The CLCGB will be commemorating the contribution of Irish Church Lads to the Great War. All of the above men were CLB members and died fighting for their country. There were many more. To mark the centenary of the 1914-1918 War their story will be retold. Watch out for the leaflets giving details of the different elements of the Brigade's project.

### Training for the Ministry

Former Brigade member, Danielle McCullagh, centre, pictured with Rev. Mercia Malcolm, Vicar, and Rev. Carol Harvey, Curate, after a service in Carnmoney Parish Church (Connor) to bid farewell and Godspeed as she begins her training at the Church of Ireland Theological Institute in Dublin.





## Duke of Edinburgh's Award

Left, members of the Lisburn Group enjoying bouldering in the Mourne to celebrate the completion of their Expedition. Below, Sports Officer, John Kennedy, is pictured with senior girls from St Saviour's, Dobbin (Armagh) who are working on their Physical Achievement section at Silver Award Level. More than twenty members are 'Going for Gold'.



Members of the Ulster Regimental Staff met with the Earl of Wessex at a Duke of Edinburgh's Award night at the Customs House in Belfast.



## Scripture Course

More than 120 members of the Y Team and JTC have signed up for the scripture course 'Come Learn'. If any other company wishes to use the course, send an order form to Jennifer Lockhart.





## Opening Night at Magherafelt

Members of the Magherafelt CGB Company (Armagh) enjoyed an opening night Mad Hatters' Party. Face painting and supper were appreciated by all the girls.



## Focus on Seagoe Company

The Regiment's Duke of Edinburgh/Outdoor Pursuits Officer, Keith Fleming, paid a visit to the Seagoe CLB Company (Down & Dromore) and brought some challenging activities. Right – the Seagoe Y Team are working hard on a team building activity. Keith is available to come to your company night.



Seagoe  
Martins  
enjoy  
storytime

## Leadership Training Dates

Day One – Magherafelt, 8<sup>th</sup> November 2014  
and Magheragall, 15<sup>th</sup> November 2014.

Day Two – Magherafelt, 21<sup>st</sup> February 2015  
and Magheragall, 28<sup>th</sup> February 2015.

Commencing at 10am, concluding at 4pm.





During the 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion's recent meeting in Portrush, Jean Seffen, from the Magherafelt CGB Company (Armagh), made presentations to Danny Robinson and Beth McIlrath. Danny, the Commanding Officer, and Beth, Correspondent, were stepping down after many years of faithful service to the Battalion. During the meeting Michael Warnock, former Captain of the Portrush CLB Company (Connor), was elected as the new Commanding Officer of the Battalion. Melvyn Lockhart, Regimental C.O., chaired the meeting.



## Seventieth Anniversaries

The year 2015 will be significant for the Ulster Regiment. The earliest Brigade companies in Ireland were enrolled in 1893 and were organised on a diocesan basis. From 1945, all existing companies came under the umbrella of the Ulster Regiment.

A Church Girls' Brigade Company was formed in Seagoe Parish Church (Down & Dromore) in 1945. It is our longest running CGB Company. To mark both Anniversaries a special service will be held in Seagoe Parish Church, Portadown, on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2015.

The photographs on the left were taken at a Brigade Dinner to mark the 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Brigade. Can you recognise a much younger future Regimental Commanding Officer? Look for the moustache!

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