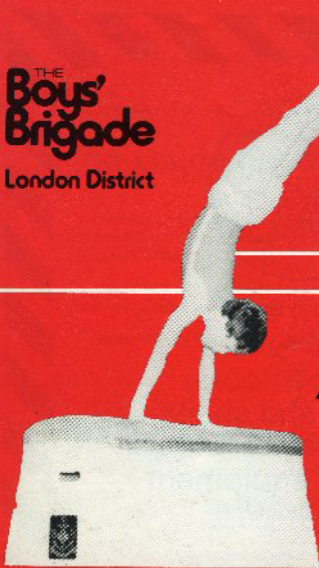


THE  
**Boys'  
Brigade**  
London District

THE  
**LONDON  
DISPLAY**



'82

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General Manager: D. Cameron McNicol

7th and 8th MAY



PROGRAMME 20p



# The Boys' Brigade London District

The London District comprises some 280 Companies in 25 Battalions with a total of approximately 14,000 Boys and Officers.

**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.

**Headquarters:**  
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**London Secretary:** Richard Davies  
**Field Officer:** Peter G. Bonnie  
**Chairman, Display Committee:** Brian E. Green

## The Three Performances in Outline

*Details of each item will be found on pages 8, 9 and 13*

### Friday Evening

Opening Parade (see opposite)  
 Sounding Fourth  
 London Springtime  
 Company Drill  
 David and Jonathan  
 Rubik Revolutions  
 Four Tops!  
 Dr Living Still I Presume?  
 The Devonshire Cup  
 Bugle Band Competition  
 The London President  
 The Guest of Honour  
 Presentation of the  
 London Officer Cadet Company  
 Competition Result  
 Tournament Crazy  
 London Brass  
 Train-in  
 The Pacemakers  
 Drum & Bugle Corps  
 20th Century Prodigal  
 Closing Parade & Service  
 (see page 13)

### Saturday Afternoon

Opening Parade  
 Sounding Fourth  
 London Springtime  
 Dr Living Still I Presume?  
 Train-in  
*Daily Telegraph*  
 Drill Competition 1  
 Four Tops!  
*Daily Telegraph*  
 Drill Competition 2  
 The London President  
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 The London Bugle Band  
 Closing Service (see page 13)

### Saturday Evening

Opening Parade  
 Sounding Fourth  
 London Springtime  
 Dr Living Still I Presume?  
 Four Tops!  
 Drill Display:  
 Winners of *Daily Telegraph*  
 Drill Competition  
 The London President  
 The Guest of Honour  
 Rubik Revolutions  
 Train-in  
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 The London Bugle Band  
 Closing Service (see page 13)

Smoking is NOT ALLOWED in the Auditorium. The unauthorised use of Cameras and Tape Recorders is not permitted.

# Guests of Honour



**Maj. Gen. Sir Philip Ward,**  
KCVO, CBE, DL

The Governor of The Church Lads' and Church Girls' Brigades. Former Commandant of the Royal Military Academy, Sandhurst.



**The Marquess of Reading**

An eminent Businessman, much of his spare time is spent in Christian work among young people.



**The Rt Hon. T. George Thomas, PC, MP**

Speaker of the House of Commons; Methodist local preacher; Honorary Vice-President and former member of The Boys' Brigade.

## The Opening Parade

### ASSEMBLY AT EACH PERFORMANCE

The Guard of Honour forms up to await the arrival of the London Colours and Guest of Honour accompanied by the London President.

*Officers, Warrant Officers & Staff-Sergeants only will Salute when the Colours are marched on and off, and for 'General Salute'.*

Inspection of Guard of Honour (*Audience seated*).

*National Anthem.*

Prayer.

Hymn.

The London Colours are 'marched off'.

- Hymn
- In the Name of Jesus,  
Every knee shall bow,  
Every tongue confess Him  
King of Glory now;  
Tis the Father's pleasure  
We should call Him Lord,  
Who from the beginning  
Was the mighty Word.
  - Humbled for a season  
To receive a Name  
From the lips of sinners  
Unto whom He came:  
Faithfuly He bore it,  
Spotless to the last,  
Brought it back victorious  
When through death He passed.
  - In your hearts enthroned Him  
There let Him subdue  
All that is not holy,  
All that is not true:  
Crown Him as your Captain  
In temptation's hour:  
Let His will enfold you  
In its light and power.
  - Brothers, this Lord Jesus  
Shall return again,  
In His Father's wisdom,  
O'er the earth to reign  
For all wreaths of empire  
Meet upon His brow,  
And our hearts confess Him  
King of Glory now.

## Services conducted by

Friday Evening

**Rev. Philip J. Barker, MA**

*Goodmayes Methodist Church  
Chaplain 1st Redbridge Company*

Organist: **Alan J. Crosskey**, GRSM(Lond), LRAM

Saturday Afternoon

**Mr H. T. Brown**

*Boston Road Baptist Church  
Chaplain 1st Craydon Company*

Saturday Evening

**Rev. Canon V. Sheen**

*Rural Dean Clapham and Brixton  
President Lambeth & Southwark Barrs  
Chaplain 83rd London Company*

# The Programme in Detail

## The Opening Parade and Ceremony (see page 5)

- Guard of Honour:** Friday, 8 p.m.: **5th Croydon Company** (*Downsview Methodist*)  
**The London Officer Cadet Company 1982**  
Saturday, 3 p.m.: The *Daily Telegraph* Competition finalists  
Saturday, 7.30 p.m.: The winners of the *Daily Telegraph* Shield
- Colour Party:** **14th West Kent** Company, holders, the *Daily Telegraph* Shield, 1981
- Orderly Buglers:** **14th West Kent** Company, winners, London Challenge Bugle, 1982
- Drummers (Saturday):** **17th West Kent** Company, winners, London Drum Team Trophy, 1982
- Arena Orderlies:** **37th London** Company (*Trinity Road Baptist*) — for the 63rd consecutive year!
- First Aid Teams:** Friday, 8 p.m.: **2nd Enfield** Company (*Bush Hill Park URC*)  
Saturday, 3 p.m.: **11th Waltham Forest** Company (*Woodford Baptist*)  
Saturday, 7.30 p.m.: **4th Ealing** Company (*St Paul's Church*)
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## THE ITEMS

### 'Sounding Fourth'

The Band of the **4th Bromley** (*Hextable Methodist*), a small village company.

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### 'London Springtime'

The London Gym Team with members from the following Companies:

- 2nd Bromley** (*Days Lane Baptist*)
- 1st Hillingdon** (*North Hillingdon Methodist, Long Lane*)
- 31st London** (*Rotherhithe Free Church*)
- 64th London** (*South London Tabernacle*)
- 182nd London** (*Pembroke Road Methodist*)
- 5th Redbridge** (*Seven Kings Baptist/URC*)
- 6th Waltham Forest** (*Leytonstone Methodist*)
- 11th Waltham Forest** (*Woodford Baptist*)
- 17th Waltham Forest** (*Highams Park Baptist*)

The London Gym Team is open to any Company Section member in London.  
Apply to London Secretary.

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## Friday only

### Company Drill

A Demonstration Drill Display by the **5th Croydon** Company (*Downsview Methodist*), winners of the London Two-Section Drill Competition, 1982.

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## Saturday afternoon

### The Daily Telegraph Drill Competition

The magnificent Shield presented by the *Daily Telegraph* in 1906 is competed for in this year's Final by the following Companies:

- 2nd West Kent** (*St John's Church, Blackheath*)
- 14th West Kent** (*Christ Church, Bexleyheath*)

The Judges will be a panel of London Officers.

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## Saturday evening

### Demonstration Drill Display

By the winners of the afternoon's *Daily Telegraph* Drill Competition.

**'David and Jonathan'**

A well known story set to music by Junior Sections of the following Companies:

- 1st Barnet** (*Wood Street URC*)
- 3rd Barnet** (*Chesterfield Road URC*)
- 1st Finchley** (*East Finchley Methodist*)
- 4th Finchley** (*Finchley Methodist*)
- 1st Friern Barnet** (*Manor Drive Methodist*)
- 1st New Barnet** (*Brookside Methodist*)
- 1st Hendon** (*Mill Hill, Watling URC*)
- 2nd Hendon** (*West Hendon Baptist*)
- 3rd Hendon** (*Hendon Baptist*)
- 4th Hendon** (*The Hyde, URC*)
- 8th Hendon** (*Mill Hill East Free Church*)

**'Rubik Revolutions'**

The **2nd Grays** Company (*Riverview Methodist*) and that coloured cube.

**'Four Tops'**

The Four top teams in London's popular Physical Recreational Games contest have another run at it.

- 15th London** (*St Barnabas, Dulwich*) — Red
- 1st Kenton** (*Streatfield Road Baptist*) — Blue/Red Strips
- 18th Sutton** (*Worcester Park Baptist*) — Green
- 4th West Kent** (*People's Hall, Plumstead*) — Yellow

**'Dr Living Still I Presume?'**

Figure Marching is always a popular Junior Section Activity but the lads from Kingston & Merton seem to have got the Cooking and Famous Character Achievements a bit mixed up!

- 4th Kingston & Merton** (*Merton Park Baptist*)
- 10th Kingston & Merton** (*St Helier Congregational*)
- 11th Kingston & Merton** (*Morden Park Baptist*)

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Friday evening

**The Devonshire Cup**

This year's competition march is *Felden* and the finalists are:

- 4th Sutton** (*Sutton Baptist*)
- 3rd Enfield** (*Christ Church URC*)

The Judge is WO1 (BM) D. J. Marshall, ARCM, WFR. School Bandmaster of The Royal Military School of Music, Kneller Hall.

**The London President**

**Mr David M. Pickford** — who will introduce our

**Guest of Honour** — See page 5

Friday evening

**Presentation of London Officer Cadets 1982**

Members of this year's Officer Cadet Company will be presented to our Guest of Honour. The Company provides Officer Training that is second to none. See page to find out how you can apply to join the Company for its Centenary Year Session

## FOR YOUR LONDON CENTENARY DIARY

| Date                         | Event   | Venue                       |
|------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| 15th January                 | 'Fellowship Evening'                          | Central Hall<br>Westminster |
| 2nd February                 | Barbican Show                                 | Barbican Site               |
| 9th April                    | Train — 'The Boys' Brigade'                   | Euston Station              |
| 13th/14th May                | London Display                                | Royal Albert Hall           |
| 18th June                    | West Kent 'Big Band'                          | Avery Hill Park             |
| 9th July                     | London Day for all the BB family              | Copthall Stadium<br>Barnet  |
| 23rd/30th July               | London Companies Camp                         | Whitecliffe Bay IOW         |
| 26th/29th August             | Centenary Celebrations<br>(London Bugle Band) | Glasgow                     |
| 25th September               | Church Parade & Ceremonial Event              | London                      |
| 4th October 8 p.m.           | Every Company on Parade                       | Own Church/HQ               |
| 27th October                 | National Service of Thanksgiving              | St Paul's Cathedral         |
| 29th October                 | London Gala Night                             | Royal Albert Hall           |
| Saturday in October/November | London Council                                |                             |

**BOOK THE DATE . . .**

**The London Display**  
in  
**Centenary Year, 1983,**

will be held on

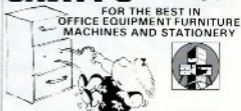
**Friday and Saturday,  
13th and 14th May,**

at the

**Royal Albert Hall.**

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### Presentation of Queensmen

Members of The Brigade who have gained their Queen's Badge (The Brigade's highest Award) during the Session 1981/82 will be presented to our Guest of Honour.

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### Tournament Crazy

Here they come again! The **14th West Kent Company** (*Christ Church, Bexleyheath*) gun running? Choose your team and Cheer!

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### London Brass

The **Central Band of the London District** is in its second year and still growing, representing 15 London Companies. There's room for more members, why not find out how to join? Have a look at page 3.

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### 'Train-In'

The **10th Sutton Company** (*Christ Church Methodist*) seem to be having trouble with the trains.

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### The Pacemakers Drum and Bugle Corps

The **13th Bromley Company** (*St Mary Cray URC*) with some help from their Girls' Brigade Company add their own brand of Sound, Colour and Movement.

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### 20th Century Prodigal

The **88th London Company** (*Balham Baptist*) remind us that what Jesus had to say is as relevant now as it was 2,000 years ago.

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### The London Bugle Band

This is another new venture for London — here's a look at what will be a 500 strong Band when it goes to Glasgow for the Centenary Celebrations in August 1983.

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### 'Retreat'

At the end of this year's London Display we turn the spotlight on The Brigade Centenary Year.

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### Epilogue

Our Chaplain will conclude the Display.

UNDERNEATH the banner  
Of the Cross arrayed,  
Lord! we ask Thy blessing  
On The Boys' Brigade:  
Thou art our Commander,  
And Thy soldiers, we,  
And in Christian warfare  
We would honour Thee:

*Underneath the banner  
Of the Cross arrayed,  
Lord, we ask Thy blessing  
On The Boys' Brigade.*

We will fight for laurels  
That will never fade;  
For the Holy City  
March The Boys' Brigade:  
What we find unholy  
In our daily life,  
We will try to conquer —  
Help us in the strife.