COMPANY REPORT 2010/2011

Once again we have had a good year – gone by quickly. Numbers have been good in Anchors and company/senior but unfortunately not so good in Juniors. However that has not stopped the juniors from having a good year.

We were pleased to welcome a new member of staff to our Company Graham Moran who has been working with the Juniors.

**ANCHOR BOYS**

Started the session with a healthy 12 boys and have kept to that number through the year. There was a joint Anchor/Junior craft and games event held in October by the battalion. Unfortunately there are not many Battalion events held for Anchor boys. The boys enjoy a varied programme throughout the year. They enjoyed the sports up at the athletics track joining in with other anchor sections for some team games.

Janice has been glad of the help she has had this year, the continued help of Peter Mowlem every other week, and Emma Thompson when she can. She has also gained the help of Hazel Thompson, Claire Hook and Christian Hinton (BB) Thank you to all for giving their time.

**JUNIOR SECTION**

Once again it has been a good year for our Juniors unfortunately after losing so many boys last year we were left with only a few but we have continued with our activities and managed to be successful in a few competitions too.

We have had our usual day out in London for the Lord Mayors show (this year it didn’t rain!!! much) We had a trip to the RAF battle of Britain Bunker …We have or usual gym night once a month when we join together with the boys from 4th Hill, and thank you to Peter Coles and Derek Nichols for coming along to run. (away in Switzerland)

Well done to the boys for turning out during the winter months for our football matches, although we didn’t do as well this year they were all keen and we rounded off our season with a memorable win against the league winners.

We have done well in the things we have taken part in.

BIBLE QUIZ Runners up

SINGLE LINE DRILL – Runners up

5 A SIDE FOOTBALL – Runners up (beaten by 4th Hill in final)

BATTALION SPORTS – WINNERS (AGAIN)

WELL DONE TO ALL THE BOYS

We lose four boys this year, Darryl and James are promoted into Company Section and Oscar and Toby Finch are moving on to pastures new (We said goodbye to them on Sunday as they can’t be here tonight.)

We also enjoyed our annual sleepover along with the girls a great day out at Hampton Court with fantastic weather.

**COMPANY/SENIOR SECTION**

Company Section started the year off in September with a day out on the canal once again good weather was enjoyed and a good time was had.

Our senior boys are in the middle of working on their Queens badge and their Silver D of E (Mr Hinton I know is tearing his hair out trying to organise their expedition)

The boys spent a weekend up at felden lodge to complete their skills weekend.

At the end of July Christian will be attending a leadership course KGIV at felden

 this is a 6 day course and covers all the requirements of Youth leader training but to a greater depth..

we will end the session with a narrow boat weekend in August

**GENERAL NEWS**

Once again our main event was our sponsored event THE GREAT MONOPOLY CHALLENGE.

More later

We had our usual coffee mornings.

Thank you to staff

Thank you to Parents

Thank you to Tracey for tuck shop.

As I say each year we are lucky to have a great bunch of boys and such supportive Parents.

**GYM TEAM IN SWITZERLAND**