

THE BOYS' BRIGADE, NORTH KENT BATTALION - D.E.A. EXPEDITION COMMITTEE.

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176 Colyer Road,
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28th August, 1973.

Dear

The dates for the Duke of Edinburgh's Award Expedition Training and Tests during the coming session are as notified on pages 100 and 101 of the Battalion Handbook, and will be held at Snodland Youth Club.

(i.e.) 6th/7th October 1973 - Training Weekend, Map Reading - Bronze Level.

20/21st October, 1973 - Training Weekend, Map Reading - Silver & Gold Level.

2nd/3rd March, 1974 - Training Weekend, - General Expedition, Silver & Bronze Level.

16th/17th March 1974 - Training Weekend - General Expedition, Bronze Level.

11th to 14th April, 1974 - Expedition Tests (at all levels) in Snowdonia for boys of 14 years and over, at Easter.

You will notice from the above that not only are the weekends split into two, but also that they start on Saturday morning NOT Friday night, although provision will be made for Assessors to arrive late on Friday night and stay overnight if they so desire. Reception will be from 07.45 hrs. to 08.00 hours on the Saturday and departure at 17.00 hours on the Sunday. It is important that Assessors should arrive promptly to avoid unnecessary delay in starting the weekend.

In order to carry out the necessary administration it is essential that the attached form is returned, properly completed, by Friday, 21st September, 1973.

If you are available for both weekends, please indicate below, although this will not necessarily mean that you will be required at both times but we will let you know as soon as we know the number of boys attending and also the number of assessors available. All Assessors will be asked to contribute the usual 25p. towards the cost of food for the weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Robert A.C. Hardy,
Assistant Expedition Organiser.

PLEASE RETURN NOT LATER THAN FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, 1973.

I shall/shall not be available to attend the Map Reading Training Weekend on 6th/7th October, 1973 as an Assessor.

I shall/shall not have transport.

I shall/shall not be available to attend the Map Reading Training Weekend on 20th/21st October, 1973 as an Assessor.

I shall/shall not have transport.

Signed _____