

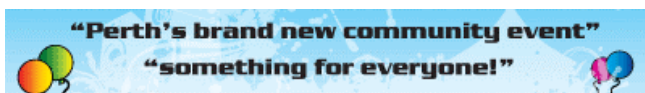
Local charities, businesses, community groups, artists and entertainers come together to provide a great day out for all the family...



From polo and parades to belly-dancing, rock bands and the world famous **Red Hot Chilli Pipers** (www.redhotchillipipers.co.uk), this is an event with something for everyone.



Adults £10; 12-16 year-olds £5; under 12s **FREE** but must be accompanied by an adult.



Visit www.pkavs.org.uk for full details and updates. Contact Horsecross on 01738 621031 for tickets.



Cameron Hardie and I attended the 125 celebration tattoo at the Braehead Arena on Saturday night along with adults from Scone and Bankfoot Companies.

I thought it was very good, especially the wind band and the massed pipes and drums. It was also nice to see the marching done properly - I wish we could do that at Bankfoot!

Every section of the Boys Brigade was represented and it was not until the end that we saw how many people in total had been involved.

If you get the chance to go to something like this you should take it as it was a great night.

When we came out of the arena and walked across the car park we saw a fox, which was a surprise to us all.

Calum Heeps, Bankfoot

company

Thirteen Boys from Blairgowrie, five from Bankfoot and two from 3rd Perth have confirmed they will attend **Battalion Camp** at Carrbridge from 8th to 15th



August so we have the minimum number of Boys and the camp will go ahead!

seniors

Seniors are encouraged to attend the **planning meeting** on 14 June to share ideas about Battalion events for next year – this is your chance to have your say!

The meeting is at 7pm in Scone Old Church Halls with sports and games in the halls in the afternoon followed by a light meal before the meeting... let your Officers know if you can attend.

juniors

Don't forget the Challenge in the Afternoon, hosted in Scone on Saturday 16 May – speak to your Officers to find out more!

At end April the 1st and 2nd year Boys from Scone Juniors had their weekend camp at Meggernie Outdoor Centre, Glen Lyon. There were 15 Boys and 9 staff.

Everyone had great fun, with the individual competition and the prize for the best team.

On the Saturday morning we had a go at archery and then walked up to the Fox's Den. In the afternoon we organised potted sports around the centre and after tea had a sing-song around the camp fire!

The weather was fabulous on the Saturday and a little wet on the Sunday but everyone had a great time.

After Battalion Camp at Carrbridge Mr Bob Ellis will have officially retired from The Boys' Brigade after serving nearly 30 years as an Officer in 2nd Blairgowrie Company and also as a boy in the 45th Dundee Company when they wore pillbox hats! After Mr Thomson retired as our Captain in 2002 Mr Ellis,

along with the rest of the staff of 2nd Blairgowrie, found ourselves having to put in a lot of extra time and commitment in order to ensure the company continued to flourish. We will always be grateful for his unwavering commitment and support to the BB given his many other commitments.

Bob has driven and gee'd up enthusiasm for getting the Boys out of the hall and out into the fresh air and we hope we can continue in his footsteps.

On behalf of everyone in the Company, past and present, we wish Bob and his family all the very best for the future.
Bruce Dow

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