



# THE Living Memory Association NEWSLETTER

*'Were you in the Guides, BBs, Scouts or Cadets?'*

This photo shows a group of cadets at the TS Dolphin Training Ship in Leith Docks in 1958.



Two Guides, a Brownie and a Boy Cadet in a photo from the 1920s.



The Guide uniform was a bright blue cotton tunic, worn with a leather belt with a buckle. The tie was bright yellow and had to be folded and knotted. The metal badge had to be polished with Brasso. The beret was navy. The calendar on the wall was a Guide Association one. And the flying duck was, of course, one of a set of three. **Says Evelyn Whitfield**

1st Company Leith Boys Brigade. The pipe band is leading the march up Leith Walk in 1961.



Leith Boys Brigade Band in 1920.

A photo of the 43rd St Nicholas Sighthill Boys Brigade and Life Boys at Lesmahagow camp in 1962.

The Edinburgh Girl Guides held their recruitment fairs and charitable events at the Assembly Rooms from as early as the 1920s. This picture shows three star-struck brownies at the 1977 fair pictured with the Olympic gold medallist swimmer, David Wilkie!



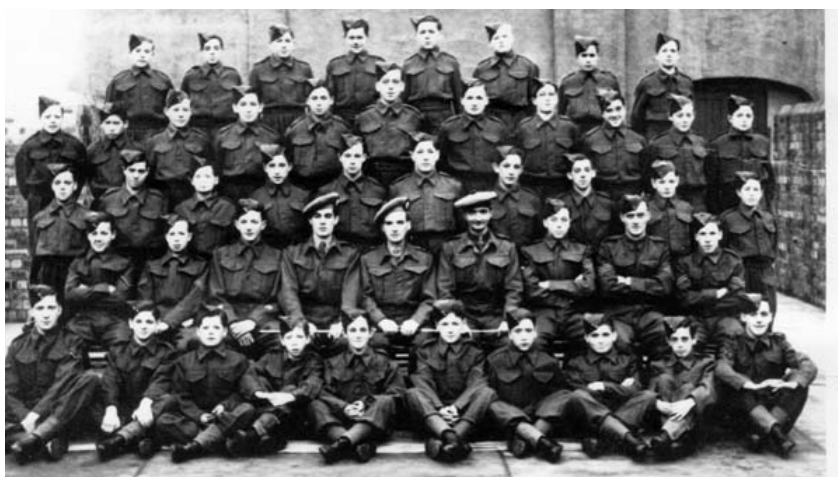
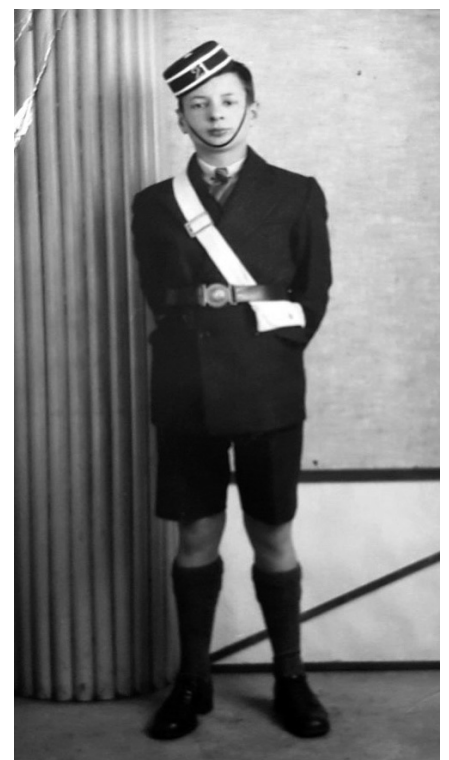


These are photos of my Life Boy Membership Cards: Blue 1st year, Red 2nd year, and Green 3rd and final year. These cards were signed to show your attendance at Sunday School - these are the memories of Bill Lamb.



Oxfangs Life Boys at Oxfangs Grove in 1953.

Leith Boys Brigade member in 1939, wearing the pillbox hat, white sash and belt.



St Mary's Army Cadets 1952



My Uncle and Aunt, Bill and Jean Kerr in 1953. The groom was a Scout Leader. Says Len Purves



Newington troop Boy Scouts setting off for camp in 1950.



Do you have memories, stories, or photos you'd like to share?

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A Brownie from St Nicholas Church in 1963.



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