John Johnson Collection: pre-1960 ephemera

Boy Scouts

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Boys’ Brigades, etc. (excl. Scouts), arranged by approximate date

Mounted material

Boys’ Brigades, by Mrs Charles Garnett. Article in 3 parts from Sunday Magazine, 1881

Boys’ Brigade, Oxford Battalion. Statement of accounts [1889]

Boys’ Life Brigade. Descriptive pamphlet, 1900

Boys’ Life Brigade. Printed letter from R. Reid to Dr. Paton, headed ‘Eastwood, Notts., Nov 25/02 (1902) mounted with Boys’ Life Brigade. Descriptive leaflet [n.d.]

The Boys’ Brigade, S. London battalion. Ticket to annual athletic sports, Herne Hill, June 21 1927

Journal

The Life Brigade Chronicle, the organ of the Boys’ and Girls’ Life Brigades. Vol. II, no. 10, June, 1904

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Journals

Miniature copy of Baden Powell’s new paper The Scout, [1908]

The Scout Vol. 1, no. 1 April 16, 1908


Daily Scout. No. 1. Saturday, July 31, 1920

The Daily Arrow. No. 1. Tuesday, July 30th, 1929
The Sentry. Vol. 1, no. 1. (organ of the South of England Boy Scouts). Tuesday, June 29th, 1908
The King’s Scout. South West London Scout magazine. No. 1, vol. 1 January, 1911
The Victorian Scout Vol. 1, no. 1. Saturday, May 18, 1912
Bedhampton & Havant Boy Scout Magazine. No. 1 Nov. 1913

Scouts, national and general

Baden Powell

Scouting for boys, an explanation by Baden-Powell. Pamphlet
The Baden-Powell League of Health and Manliness. Letter from Baden-Powell, published by the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, 1900
Page 10 of the first issue of The Scout, advertising ‘A fortnight in General Baden-Powell’s camp.’ 1908
Boy Scouts Association. Two printed letters from Baden-Powell to potential Scouts officers, [n.d.]

Death of Baden Powell


Lord Rowallan

Profile – the chief scout [Lord Rowallan]. One-page article from The Observer, July 27 1952

Prince of Wales

Souvenir of a historic event: The Prince of Wales’ address to scouts by wireless telephony, Oct. 7th 1922

Jamboree

Boy Scouts world jamboree, Arrowe Park, Birkenhead. Fold-out poster. July 31 to August 12 1929
Boy Scouts world jamboree, July 31 to August 12 1929

Pageant
Boy Scout, a musical pageant play by Ralph Reader. Booklet, April 1938

Greetings cards
‘Our warmest thanks to you’ card, [n.d.]
‘Yes, we have some bananas today’, card, 1926
‘The sign of gratitude’ card, [n.d.]

Board game
King’s Scout board game with image of George V, [n.d.]

Scouts, Regional
London
Three songs from The Scout song book, to be sung by Scouts of the City of London troop, [1912]

Rally of London scouts. Royal Albert Hall. Saturday 29 May 1943

Provincial
Hay and Clyro pack registration leaflet, 1927

Programme of ‘Four counties’ rally of boy scouts, girl guides, and wold cubs on Saturday July 7, 1928

1st South-West Herts group. Baden-Powell scouts. Letter on headed paper. 14 February 1938

Programme of City of Oxford Boy Scouts Association. Grand Fête on June 30 1956

Boy Scouts of Wales. ‘Our hymn’, leaflet, [n.d.]

Brownies and Girl Guides
‘What are Brownies?’ Descriptive leaflet, [n.d.]

‘The Brownie test card’. Folded card, [n.d.]

Guides of all the world: the international Guide song-march, written and composed by Arthur Poyser. Copyright 1921

Girl Guides, county of Middlesex. Annual report, pamphlet, 1931

London conference at Westminster. Agenda leaflet, February 25 1933
Letter from the editor of *The Guider*, dated 14 November 1938

Letter from the publicity adviser for the Girl Guides Association, [n.d.]

**Journals**


**Deep Sea Scouts and Adventurers**

Deep Sea Scout Organisation, pamphlet, [n.d.]


**Other organisations**

National Association of Boys’ Clubs. The Club Boy and his Employment, based on an address by F.N. Tribe, Bristol. June 11 1912

The Church Lad’s Brigade and the Defence of the Empire (illustrated pamphlet), [1915]

National Association of Boys’ Clubs. *Clubs for boys* (Boys’ Club Handbook no. 1), [1930]

National Association of Boys’ Clubs. Join the N.A.B.C. leaflet, [1932]

National Association of Boys’ Clubs. Order form for *The Boy*, [1932]

Liverpool Boys’ Association. Education in boys’ clubs. Hobbies pamphlet no. 2

**Foreign material**

Budapest. Jamboree. Illustrated booklet, 1933

Chicago. ‘The Chicago boy scouts are on the air!’ List of programmes and a card advertising the second in the series ‘The trail to citizenship’

**Books**


Baden-Powell, R.S.S. *Scouting for boys*. Part I. London, Horace Cox, 1908


**Growth (post Johnson material)**

First Asian Scout group formed. Leaflet, reproduced from *The Windsor and Eton Express*, March 2 1979

‘Help the Scouts and help stop the rot’. Leaflet requesting contributions, [May 1979]

Scout facts leaflet. Suggested reading on Scouting, May 1979

‘What is the B-P. Scout Guild?’ Leaflet, Oxford City branch, [n.d.]

*See also* Cigarette Cards (M.L. Horn Collection): Scouts