

## **Ayrshire Founders Day Celebration Event - Information for Districts / Groups**

Our Founder's Day Celebration Event is being held in the Grand Hall, Kilmarnock on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2007 from 2.30 pm till 4.00 pm (approximately).

**Grand Hall Seating.** Capacity 900. It is therefore very important that DCs have notification of numbers by **Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> January '07**. If you wish to increase your numbers or have not replied by then, please do not just turn up without contacting: **Event Safety Co-ordinator, Dennis Graham, mobile: 0773 681 1090.**

**Location.** The Grand Hall forms part of the Palace Theatre complex, is situated on London Road at the junction with Sturrock Street and diagonally opposite the Kilmarnock Bus Station.

**Parking.** There are several parking areas around including the multi-storey one opposite the railway viaduct and adjacent to the Foregate. For safety and to avoid congestion at the Main Door, coaches should off load and pick up in Sturrock Street.

**Times of arrival.** Preferably 1.45 / 2.10 pm with everyone seated by 2.20 pm.

**Colour Bearers and Piper.** Smart uniform and report to the Dennis Graham in Pillared Hall upon arrival. Please ensure the sheath for your Colour is clearly marked.

### **Parade of Colours.**

- a) Piper and Colour Bearers should be assembled in Pillared Hall ready to parade into Main Hall at 2.25 pm prompt.
- b) Parade order: Union Flag followed by the Area Flag and Jamboree Flag. Group Colours (**1 only per Group and preferably Scout but not exclusively**) will follow on in numerical order. Again please let your DC know if you are parading a Group Colour.
- c) Parade Members will be allocated seating in Rows 'A' and 'B'.
- d) At the end of the celebration, the Colour Bearers will assemble (at front of Stage) ready to parade back to Pillared Hall.

**Photography.** We shall have people from the media present to give Scouting in Ayrshire maximum publicity. Please notify your Group accordingly.

**Safety – Attendance Sheet.** Sheets will be issued after numbers are submitted to your DC. **HAVE YOU PUT YOUR NUMBERS IN YET?**

**Refreshments.** There will be light refreshments at the end of the event.

**Requests for further information.** These can be e-mailed to: Jack Leishman at: [theleishmans@jaxnanz.co.uk](mailto:theleishmans@jaxnanz.co.uk)

**Wishing you all a very happy Scout Centenary Year**

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