



# Setting the Scene.

Mrs I Lowry





**Let's start at the  
very beginning...**

**A very good  
place to start!!!**

**When you read you begin with A,B,C when you sing you begin with  
Doe, Ray, Me...**





# President's Badge

**Awarded during year 4, a young person would:**

- **Complete a Christian faith development course**
  - **Have good attendance for 1 session**
  - **Be recommended by the Company Captain**
  - **Participate in a non-residential teamwork skills experience run by Battalion, District or Region**
- 
- **Completed at least 30 points from the Discover programme, having gained three badges in the last 12 months**
  - **Taken part in an activity based residential event within the BB**
  - **Complete 10 hours of practical service for the Brigade or church**





# Regulations for The Queen's Badge

To gain The Queen's Badge a young person must:

- **Hold the President's Badge.**
- **Attend a Queen's Badge Candidate's Meeting.**
- **Participate in skills-based training.**
- **Take Responsibility within the Brigade or Church.**
- **Provide Voluntary Service or Support to others outside the Brigade and Church.**
- **Develop Interests - undertake at least two activities from Skills, Physical and Expedition/Exploration.**
- **Participate in a Completion Residential.**
- **Record Activity.**





# Key Dates

- **The date of registration – stamped in the front of the book by Rathmore.**
- **The date of completion of Skills Based Training – as there must be at least 6 months from the end of Training until the Residential Course.**





# Role of Advisor

- To meet with young man, discuss plan and sign it off.
- To be available for issues during the work for the award.
- To set targets with the young person.
- To maintain the integrity of the award.
- To read the completed book and sign off the Authorisation Page.
- To discuss with companies how best to progress the award.





# Role of Company Mentor

- **To understand the award.**
- **To assist in the formulation of The Action Plan** (Not to see this as a Production Line!)
- **To work with the young man so they get the best from it.**
- **To support and encourage on a week-by-week basis.**





# Role of The Potential Queen'sman

- To read the book!
- To be involved in the Action Plan – knowing what they have committed to do.
- To organise themselves.
- To get out of their comfort zone.
- To feel a real sense of achievement at the completion of the award.







# The Queen's Badge Courses

**Kenneth McLaughlin**





## Queen's Badge Completion Figures 2008 - 2010

Battalion	Queen's	
	08/09	09/10
Antrim	1	1
Ards	7	2
Ballymena	6	9
Belfast	34	45
Coleraine	16	24
Down	14	7
East Antrim	19	23
Londonderry	13	8
Lurgan	2	5
Mid-Ulster	11	24
Portadown	8	9
Route	17	5
West Ulster	17	19
Total	165*	181





**“Queen’s Badge Leadership”**

**Is now**

**“Skills For Queen’s Badge”**





**“Queen’s Badge Completion”**

**is now**

**“Queen’s Badge Residential”**





# Proposed Skills for Queen's Badge Courses 2010/2011

**8<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> October 2010 (Ganaway)**

**22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> October 2010**

**19<sup>th</sup>- 21<sup>st</sup> November 2010**

**21<sup>st</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2011**

**4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> February 2011**

**17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> June 2011**





# Proposed Queen's Badge Residential Courses 2011

**18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> February 2011( Rathmore)**

**4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> March 2011 (Rathmore)**

**18<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> March 2011 (Ganaway)**

**1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2011 (Rathmore)**

**Possibly another Course might be required.**





# Queen's Badge Celebration

20<sup>th</sup> May 2011





**DofE**

**Mr I Liddle**







**Double click to Start**



**For more information go to:-**

**[www.dofe.org](http://www.dofe.org)**





**Over to you...**

**Any questions or  
comments you might  
wish to make.**

