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PORTSMOUTH CITY RECORDS OFFICE

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PORTSMOUTH BOY SCOUTS ASSOCIATION
1921-1983

INTRODUCTION

This collection is comprised of records relating to the Portsmouth District and the Portsdown Division, although there is also some general material relating to the Hampshire County Scout Council and the Boy Scouts Association.

The basic unit of scouting is called a group, e.g.

70th Portsmouth (1st Drayton)
33rd Portsmouth (St. Margaret)

The name in brackets refers to the former name of the group or the church to which it is attached.

From 1907-1966/7 local associations were called districts. Because Portsmouth was such a large district it was subdivided into four divisions, with the City Executive Committee responsible for the administration of all four.

In 1966 as a result of the Advanced Party Report the organisation was renamed, and local associations became known as District Scout Councils. Portsmouth obtained four District Scout Councils, each of which was responsible for its own administration; these are: Hilsea, Kingston, Portsdown, Southsea. (NB Paulsgrove existed as a division in the 1950's.)

However, the City Executive Committee still exists as an ad hoc group, although it has no official standing in the movement. It is used to administer the funds invested in stocks and shares and distribute the annual quota to each district. It also serves as an informal centre for passing information between the four districts.

See also deposit 368A for more Scouting records

1365A/1 Minute Books

City Executive Committee, Finance and General
Purposes Sub-Committee and AGM:

- 1 13 June 1946 - 19 April 1952
- 2 13 May 1952 - 15 May 1956
- 3 30 May 1956 - 17 October 1961
- 4 21 November 1961 - 19 July 1966
- 5 20 September 1966 - 25 July 1967
- 6 4 December 1967 - 20 October 1976

Paulsgrove Division Scouters' Meetings:

- 7 7 November 1951 - 14 January 1953

Portsmouth Division Executive Committee:

- 8 20 September 1951 - 2 March 1953
[includes AGM minutes 1953-70]

Portsmouth Division Scouters and Executive
Committee:

- 9 12 March 1953 - 19 May 1965
[includes Paulsgrove Divisional Committee,
24 March 1952 - 12 January 1953]
- 10 16 June 1965 - 12 July 1972

Longmeadow Camp Site Committee:

- 11 15 July 1965 - 17 February 1966

2 Census Returns

- 1 Portsmouth District Annual Census Returns,
1921-38
- 2 Portsmouth District Annual Census Returns,
1943-66
- 3 Portsmouth District Scout Council Census Returns,
1968-83
- 4 File re Census for Portsmouth Division, 1955, 1957

1365A/3 Correspondence

Portsmouth District:

- 1 Correspondence re George Coffin (deceased) and 32nd Portsmouth Group HQ, 1966-67
- 2 Correspondence re Charities Act registration, 1961-81
- 3 Correspondence re use of Horsea Island, 1964
- 4 Correspondence re District Boundaries, 1963
- 5 Correspondence re Swayne Trophy 1952 and 1953, Emlyn Trophy 1953 and Wyllie Camp Competition, 1956
- 6 Correspondence re land for scout training at Fort Nelson, 1959-60

Portsmouth District:

- 7 General Correspondence file, 1952-57

4 Other Papers re Portsmouth Boy Scouts Association

- 1 Particulars of Group Scouters, 1967
- 2 Balance sheets and income and expenditure accounts, 1967-72
- 3 Tenancy agreement between Secretary of State for Defence and Portsmouth Boy Scouts Association re land near Browning Avenue, Paulsgrove, 1966
- 4 Printed Annual Report, 1955-56
- 5 " " " , 1965-66
- 6 Souvenir Programme for Jubilee Celebrations, 1907-57

5 Hampshire County Scout Council

- 1 Printed Annual Reports:
 1. 1975
 2. 1976
 3. 1977
 4. 1983

2 Printed Annual Review:

1. 1977-78
2. 1978-79
3. 1979-80
4. 1980-83

3 County Register/Directory:

1. 1950-51 [incl. Statement of Accounts]
2. 1951-52 [" " " "]
3. 1954-55 [" " " "]
4. 1955-56 [" " " "]
5. 1956-57 [" " " "]
6. 1957-58 [" " " "]
7. 1958-59 [" " " "]
8. 1959-60 [" " " "]
9. 1962-63 [incl. Hampshire Scout Handbook]
10. 1964-65 [" " " "]
11. 1967
12. 1971
13. 1973 [incl. Annual Report]
14. 1976
15. 1978
16. 1980
17. 1982

4 *Hampshire County Scout Council: Into the Eighties, 1979*

5 *Ferny Crofts: Hampshire County Scout Council Training Activity and Camping Centre*

6 Boy Scouts Association

- 1 *Commissioners' and Secretaries' Handbook, 1965*

1365A/6 Boy Scouts Association [continued]

- 2 *The Policy, Organisation and Rules of the Boy Scouts Association, 1964*
- 3 *List of County Commissioners, County Secretaries and Field Commissioners, 1971*
- 4 *Local Associations, 1952*
- 5 *The District Scout Council, 1976*
- 6 *The Group Council, 1976*
- 7 *The Appointment of Adult Leaders 1976*
- 8 *Notes for Women Scouters, 1950*

HARINGEY ARCHIVES - HOLDINGS LIST

Group 10. Institutions

Acc. No.	Title of Class All Saints Training College, White Hart Lane, formerly St. Katharine's T.C		Status Permanent Loan
Class No. 10.D/2	Origin All Saints Educational Trust, 122, White Hart Lane, N17	Date of Acquisition June 1982	Restrictions None
			Location B12

/1 FINANCE

- /1 Balance sheets, St. Katharine's College, 1944-49, 1952-64
- /2 Balance sheets, College of All Saints, 1965-81
- /3 Balance sheets, St Katharine's/All Saints Voluntary Gift Fund, 1963, 1965-67
- /4 Balance sheets, All Saints Voluntary Fund 1968-79
- /5 Balance sheets, All Saints Improvement Fund, 1968-79
- /6 Balance sheets, Berridge House Voluntary Fund, 1964-79
(files)
- /7 Estimates and accounts, St. Katharines, 1940-57
- /8 Estimates and accounts, St. Katharines, 1957-65
- /9 Estimates and accounts, All Saints, 1965-71
- /10 " " " 1971-72
- /11 " " " 1972-73
- /12 " " " 1973-74
- /13 " " " 1974-75
- /14 " " " 1975-76
- /15 " " " 1976-77
- /16 " " " 1977-78
- /17 " " " 1978-79
- /18 " " " 1979-82
- /19 D.E.S returns (16 T.T, 19T.T etc) 1969-75
- /20 Chapel accounts and Missionary Guild accounts.
(files)
- /21 Staff slary record Sheets, Berridge House 1947-64
- /22 Staff salary record sheets, St. Katharine's 1962-64

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- /1/23 Staff salary record sheets, All Saints, 1964-81
- /24 Private funds. All Saints voluntary Fund ledger, 1968-74
- /25 " " " " " " 1974-78
- /26 " All Saints Improvement Fund ledger 1968-74
- /27 " " " " " " 1974-78
- /28 " All Saints Voluntary Gift Account Book, 1961-67
- /29 " " " " " " 1966-68
- /30 St. Katharine's ledgers, 1898-1932
- /31 " " 1932-37
- /32 " " 1950-60
- /33 " " 1960-64
- /34 All Saints ledgers, 1964-70
- /35 " " 1970-72
- /36 " " 1976-

/2 RECORDS OF THE GOVERNING BODY

- /1 St. Katharines. Standing Committee of National Society. Minutes, 1877-78
- /2 St Katharine's House and Finance Committee. Minutes, 1878-1919
- /3 St. Katharine's House Committee. Minutes, 1953-1960
- /4 St Katharine's/All Saints. Finance and General Purposes Committee, Minutes, 1960-78
- /5 All Saints. Pre-steering Committee. Minutes, 1962
- /6 St. Katharine's Council. Minutes, 1877-88
- /7 " " " " 1889-1911
- /8 St. Katharine's Council Minutes, 1911-29
- /9 St. Katharine's Council/Governing Body. Minutes, 1929-52

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- 2/10 St. Katharine's Governing Body. Minutes, 1952-64
- 2/11 All Saints Governing Body. Minutes, 1964-78
- 2/12 Papers relating to setting up of St. Katharine's College. File.
- 2/13 St. Katharine's College. General correspondence, 1952-78. File
- 2/14 St. Katharine's College. Articles of Association and Instruments of Government.
- 2/15 James Report on future of College, 1972-74. File
- 2/16 York Working Party papers, 1975-76. File
- 2/17 Governors' Working Party papers, 1976-77. File
- 2/18 Papers on the future of the College, Oct 1976-Jan 1977. File
- 2/19 " " " " Feb-Jun 1977
- 2/20 Papers on the amalgamation with Middlesex Polytechnic, Jan-Aug 1977. File
- 2/21 " " " " Sep 1977-Jul 1978
- 2/22 Meetings with J.E.C and officers. File
- 2/23 Valuation of College, 1977. File
- 2/24 Legal correspondence dealing with sale of College, 1977-78. File
- 2/25 Amalgamation with Middlesex Polytechnic. Papers re. Teaching staff. File
- 2/26 " " " " administrative staff. File
- 2/27 " " " " redundancies. File

3. FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

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4. STAFF

- /1 Papers re appointment of Principal, 1965. File
- /2 Staff Register, St. Katharine's College, 1877-1963
- /3 Sample correspondance re appointments, 1928-48 File
- /4 " " " 1951-55. File
- /5 Staff agreements, 1961-63. File.
- /6 Papers re superannuation, 1965-71. File
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- /8 DES returns re superannuation, 1970-76. File
- /9
- /10
- /11 Minutes of Staff meetings, 1945-58

5. STUDENTS/STUDENTS UNION

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- /2
- /3

6. ANNUAL REPORTS AND MAGAZINES.

- /1 St. Katharine's College reports, 1878-1962 (1899-1903 and 1947-49 missing)
- /2 St. Katharine's magazines. 1891-1964
- /3 College of All Saints magazine's, 1965-77
- /4 St. Katharine's register, 1878-1931 and supplement to 1932

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7. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

- /1 Samples of Certificate Examination papers, 1932-64
- /2 A student's testimonial, 1905
- 13 Papers relating to the closure of the college amassed by
C. A. Clark in his capacity of Governor