





The 8th and 13th Chester Boy Scouts



PRESENT

# SCOUTABOUT 1953

IN THE CATHEDRAL REFECTORY  
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Friday and Saturday, Jan. 16th and 17th

at 7-15 p.m. Matinee 2-30



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Leslie Brooks  
Phil Chatwin  
Sydney Cooper  
Edward Cotgreave  
Fred Cowley  
Robin D'Arcy  
Graham Davies  
John Davies  
Robert Denson  
David Dodd  
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Julian Duffield  
John Dunning  
Melvyn Edwards  
Derek Ellison  
Trevor Ensell  
Glyn Evans  
Gwyn Evans  
Ivor Evans  
Bernard Evans  
Harold Faulkner  
John Fishwick  
Colin Gardiner  
John Garton  
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Michael Goodridge  
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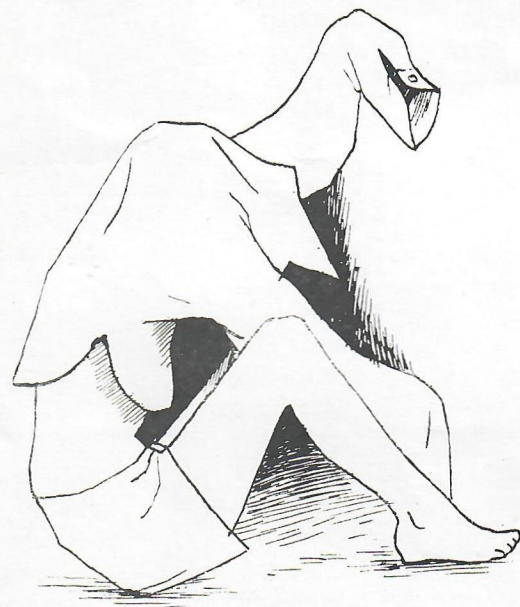
Barry Gwilliam  
Peter Hart  
Bernard Hart  
Graham Hart  
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Christopher Hewitt  
David Higgins  
Colin Hodgkinson  
David Hooper  
Lionel Hughes  
Tom Hughes  
Gordon Hutton  
Anthony Hyde  
Alan James  
Peter Jones  
David Kelly  
Malcolm Kershaw  
John King  
John Knight  
Norman Lawrence  
Barry Lawson  
Peter Massey  
Brian Maxwell  
Bill McFarlane  
Roger Millward  
Terrence Mole  
Cavan Molloy  
Michael Nixon  
Fred Owen  
Derek Owens  
David Oxley  
Bob Parren  
Peter Parry  
Christopher Plimsoll  
John Poole  
Colin Postles  
Noel Postles

Alan Povey  
Gordon Powell  
Michael Purcell  
Roy Rimmer  
Peter Roberts  
Donald Robinson  
Tony Robinson  
Jim Rocke  
Gerald Roose  
Grahame Ryder  
Stanley Speed  
Michael Serjeant  
Fred Shone  
Barry Smith  
John Smith  
Robin Smith  
Peter Spilsbury  
David Spruce  
Peter Sutcliffe  
Paul Swinnerton  
Robin Thomas  
George Thompson  
Kenneth Thompson  
Michael Topham  
Phil Turner  
Fred Upton  
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William Walker  
John Watson  
Michael Watson  
Peter Williams  
Jimmy Williams  
Vincent Wilson  
Raymond Woodfine  
John Wright  
Christopher Wright  
Clive Youde



# PROGRAMME

One . . . IT'S A GREAT, GREAT GAME  
 Two . . . IF IT COMES TO THIS  
 Three . . . NEVER THE TWAIN  
 Four . . . BACK TO SCHOOL  
 Five . . . CUB CROPPER'S CONSCIENCE  
 Six . . . SPRING  
 Seven . . . THE BOY NEXT DOOR  
 Eight . . . LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS  
 INTERVAL



Nine . . . IT'S GREAT TO BE YOUNG  
 Ten . . . A PROPHET IN HIS OWN  
 Eleven . . . OUR ALPHABET  
 Twelve . . . THE GARDEN PARTY  
 Thirteen . . . BACK TO GILWELL  
 Fourteen . . . INFANT PRODIGY  
 Fifteen . . . JACK AND THE BEANSTALK  
 Sixteen . . . CHOIRBOYS  
 Seventeen . . . FINALE  
 THE QUEEN



*At the Pianos:*  
 RICHARD JONES. ROBERT LEWIS





## ***About the show . . .***

WELCOME to SCOUTABOUT 1953. We hope that you will enjoy it. Our aim has been to entertain you and we shall be satisfied if that aim is achieved. SCOUTABOUT is planned on the lines of Ralph Reader's GANG SHOWS and we are greatly indebted to him for many of the sketches and songs included in our programme. We want to express our sincere thanks to all of those who have so willingly come forward to help ; some of them parents of the boys ; some in no way connected with Scouting. May we say THANK YOU to the Dean and Chapter for the use of the Refectory ; to Miss Hilda Catherall for her invaluable assistance in the booking of seats ; to that grand team of workers under Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Watson who have designed and made most of the costumes ; to Miss Banks and her Make-Up Team ; to our Pianists, Mr. Jones and Mr. Lewis, whose work with the show started weeks ago ; to those two grand chaps, John Harrison and Donald Robinson, whose help and advice we appreciate more than we can say ; to the Governors of the College School, where most of the rehearsals have been held ; and to everyone else who has given us a helping hand. We hope to raise a substantial sum for the King George VI. Memorial Fund—and we have been delighted with the way in which this production has brought together the members of the two Groups ; they have worked well together ! We shall be very surprised if you are not invited in about twelve months time to see SCOUTABOUT 1954.

### **WE ALSO ACKNOWLEDGE:—**

*Signs :* HAROLD FAULKNER.

*Amplifying Equipment :* MILTON'S RADIO SERVICE.

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## BEHIND THE SCENES

### Production Team

LESLIE BROOKS. JIM ROCKE. FRED COWLEY.

### Stage Team

*Stage Manager* : JOHN HARRISON.

*Assistant Stage Manager* : SYDNEY COOPER.

ALFRED EVANS. DEREK OWENS. BARRY SMITH.  
GORDON HUTTON. HARRY SHONE. FRANK TURNER.

### Settings

GEORGE THOMPSON. VINCENT WILSON. BARRY SMITH.

### Lighting

DAVID WILLIAMSON. TOM WAINWRIGHT.

### Costumes

*Wardrobe Mistress* : MABELLE ROBINSON.

*Wardrobe Mistress* : LILIAN WATSON.

VIOLET ATHERTON.	DOROTHY HARRISON.	FRANCES MASSEY.
EVALINE BEHAN.	FLORENCE HART.	AMY NEWTON.
LILIAN BLAKE.	ANNE HEALEY.	SALLIE PURCELL.
MAY DAVIES.	EDITH KELLY.	MABEL SHONE.
EDITH ELLISON.	EDITH KERSHAW.	MARY TURNER.
ENID EVANS.	HEATHERBELL KING.	CATHERINE WALKER.
ETHEL FAULKNER.		MARY WOODFINE.

### Make-Up Team

ROSAMUND BANKS.

MESDAMES M. ASTLE, R. BEAL, R. CALLOWAY, R. JONES,  
I. LAWES, H. JOBLING, M. MENDHAM.

*Hall Manager* : TOM HUGHES.

*Assistant Hall Manager* : GEORGE KING.

*Business Manager* : ROBIN D'ARCY.

*Treasurer* : DONALD ROBINSON.

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