

QUEEN'S OWN HIGHLANDERS – BATTALION FOOTBALLERS

Some ex QO HLDRS Football Players may recall a previous thread on Facebook (FB) QOHLDRS Group Page with regards to a Football Player and Management Re-union.

Taking the re-union to the next stage, this message is a call to all ex QO HLDRS football players who represented the Battalion between Feb 1961 and Sep 1994. We would like to establish how many players, together with wives or partners, would be interested in attending the re-union.

It is appreciated that not all ex QOHLDRS football players are on FB so the onus is with all players on FB to pass this message on between ourselves. Word of mouth and third party communication will obviously help in tracking down as many ex-players as possible, especially for those who do not use a computer.

Initial thought is that the first re-union would take place in Scotland sometime in 2014. As the exact format and details of the re-union are still to be discussed and confirmed, ex-players are welcome to put forward any ideas/recommendations of what they would like to include at the re-union - all feedback will be very welcome. Current suggestions are that the re-union takes place over a weekend which would include watching a football match followed by a social event in the evening – ladies, as usual, will have the choice of football or shopping!!

All ex QOHLDRS football players interested in attending the re-union can respond either to this message or email me at stevenann@btinternet.com with their contact details. Once we have an idea of numbers the detailed planning can begin. If numbers are large enough we will set up a QOHLDRS Football Player Re-Union Group/Event FB page. And yes, Albert Duffus, (one game!!), Tony Curran, Jimmy McGinn and any other players who represented the Bn on at least one occasion, will be more than welcome.

We are unable to confirm at this stage but after a recent discussion I had with Lt Col (Retd) Bob Towns, Major (Retd) Mike Crowe - The Main Man - may be able to attend.

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**Regards
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