



THE ROYAL SCOTS EDINBURGH REGIMENTAL ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER Friday 31st May 2019



The Branch held its meeting on Friday 31st May at 2000Hrs

Present - 14

Apologies -10

Visitors - Nil

New Members - The Branch would like to welcome Archie Macdonald Ex 5pl B Coy 60-70's

Sick - Nil

Deaths - The Branch would like to send its condolences to the families of Gerry McMurtrie / Rab Simpson / Stewart Sneddon / and Ian Lusty who sadly all passed away in May.

The chairman opened by welcoming all members to the meeting.

A minutes silence was held for all members and their families who are no longer with us.

Past Events

On the 11th of May there was a march in Glasgow which many of the Royal Scots Association attended to protest against the prosecution of Veterans who have served in Northern Ireland, there was about 600 from all services who had served but it was not well publicised as we had to many strangers asking why we were marching.

On the 18th May the Branch members attended the Annual games day in Dundee which was hosted by the Engineer's Association unfortunately they were let down by the amount of Association's that failed to turn up and it was also badly organized so we may have to think twice about attending this event in the future.

On the 25th May All Branches of the Association were invited to attend the Gretna Memorial parade which was well attended and after the parade there was a buffet in the Ex Service Men's club. A Video of this event is on the Royal Scots Guest Book Page.

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EDINBURGH BRANCH MEETING

Last Friday of each month at
2000hrs Leith Ex Servicemen's
Club Edinburgh
Chairman - Eddie Welsh
Secretary - Shirley McCann
Treasurer - Mick McCann

Club for hire for events
Ex Service Men's Club
7 Smith Place Leith
Edinburgh EH6 8NT
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FOR SALE

Royal Scot Ties £7.50p
Royal Scots Veteran Lapel Badges
£3.00

Ask Mick for details.

Next Meeting is on Friday 28th
June at 2000Hrs.

If you would like to advertise or
sell anything then gives a call with
the details.

Forth Coming Events.

June 16th is the Linlithgow War Memorial Service for 2/10 Royal Scots, gather at the church which is next to the Palace for 1045hrs service starts at 1100hrs this is open to all members.

June 18th Linlithgow Freedom Marches members of 1, 2 and 6 Scots with 1 Royal Scot Association and 2 Bands will form up at 1045Hrs and March off at 1100Hrs through the town with refreshments at end.

June 22nd Is the AFD in Edinburgh form up for 1000Hrs at Charlotte Square march to St Andrew Square for refreshment and speeches, there is also a small buffet laid on in the Ex Service Men's Club for Association Members.

Aug 17th OP Banner Anniversary Starts at 1900hrs till late this is a live band Davey Sloan and the Rattlers who will be playing 60-70's music also disco and buffet cost for this event is £10pp.

Sept 6-8th couples weekend at Rothiemurchus lodges anyone wanting to go contact Mick cost is £34pp for the weekend this is self-catering.

Sun 22nd Sept is the Gladdy Murray golf tournament being held in Shaw Park Golf Club just outside Alloa contact for this is Davey Milne.

Sat 28th Sept is the Nagpore Dinner Night this is open to partners too, last year the Edinburgh Branch managed to fill 2 tables so hopefully we can do this again, cost TBC.

Sun 29th Sept Support your Armed Forces Race day in Musselburgh tickets for this event can be purchased through the race course or if you are a member through J Laws at Ex Service Men's Club.

Regards Mick McCann.