

## Remembrance Events 2021

Remembrance Week 2121 is going to be busy with many events covered by our Regimental Family. This gives us our opportunity to pay our respects and Remember the events and loss of life in numerous conflicts. Many will be attending Services in their local town/area and it is hoped that the Regiment can be as widely represented as possible in our Regimental Area. There are several events that the Regimental Family will be involved in, some of these are organised externally and others are purely Royal Scots events; see below for details of RS events.

**Co-ordination**: The Regimental lead on all Remembrance issues is the Regimental Office Manager, Lt Col David Jack who can be contacted during office hours on 0131 557 0405 or email <a href="mailto:david.jack@theroyalscots.co.uk">david.jack@theroyalscots.co.uk</a>. London based events are coordinated by Major Christopher Delacombe <a href="mailto:cdelacombe.com">cdelacombe.com</a>

**Wreaths**: Representatives/Branches laying wreaths on behalf of the Regiment are responsible for ordering their wreaths from the Regimental Office and arranging collection from the Office <u>prior to the event</u>. Please don't leave until the last minute. Wreaths for the events at the Garden of Remembrance and Edinburgh City Chambers have been pre-ordered and will be delivered to those locations.

**Dress**: while in no way mandatory, it is hoped that those attending will wear, if in possession, Blazer, Trews/Flannels, RS Tie, Glengarry with RS Cap Badge, Medals and of course, a Poppy.

Please continue to watch the Regimental Website for information regarding Remembrance Events: <a href="http://www.theroyalscots.co.uk/">http://www.theroyalscots.co.uk/</a>

Photographs: The next issue of the Thistle will contain a selection of photographs from Remembrance Services so please send any you have of your Service to <a href="mailto:thistle.editor@theroyalscots.co.uk">thistle.editor@theroyalscots.co.uk</a>. Add names of those in the photographs.

David Jack Regimental Office Manager

Ser	Date	Event	Muster Time	Lead	Wreath Layer	Remarks
1	Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Oct	RBLS Garden of Remembrance Princes St Gardens	1030 for 1100	Admin Office	Brig GE Lowder	All ex RS welcome
2	Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Wreath Laying at RS Monument	1200	Admin office	Mr Jim Anderson	Lord Provost may attend
3	Thu 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Westminster Abbey Field of Remembrance	Official opening at 1100	Maj Delacombe/Southern Branch	N/A	RS Association. Public admitted from 1800 hrs.
4	Sat 13th Nov	Act of Remembrance – Glencorse Memorial Gateway	1030 for 1050	Maj IA Johnstone	As arr by Maj Johnstone	All Regtl Family welcome, followed by lunch in WOs & Sgts Mess (a small charge may be made).
5	Sat 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Regtl Cross planting – Westminster Abbey	1745	Maj CR Delacombe		Meet at Cloister of Westminster Abbey
6	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Cenotaph Ceremony London	0900 - 0945	RBL/Southern Branch	Details on website	Ticketed event, now closed. Followed by lunch in the East India Club as arranged by Maj Delacombe
7	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Edinburgh City Chambers	1030 for 1100	Edin Council/Admin Office	?	RS members to meet under arrangements RS Edin Br
8	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Peebles War Memorial	1030 for 1100	Capt A Dockar	TBN	All welcome
9	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Hearts Memorial, Haymarket	1030 for 1100	Hearts FC/ RSA	ТВА	Wreath layer org by RS Assoc, Standard party reqd.
10	Sun 14 <sup>h</sup> Nov	Canongate Kirk Remembrance Day Service	1045	Kirk officers	N/A	The Canongate Kirk extends a warm welcome to the RS Regimental Family
11	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	RS Club wreath laying	1230	RS Club	Senior RS Present	followed by lunch – book through Club on -0131 525 6157 or <a href="mailto:membership@royalscotsclub.com">membership@royalscotsclub.com</a>
12	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Hepburn House, Army Reserve Centre, East Claremont Street	1500	A Coy 6 SCOTS	N/A	All welcome, especially former members of 7/9 <sup>th</sup> RS and 52 Lowland.
13	Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Branch events	TBN locally	Local RSA Branches	Arr locally	To be held under direction of Branch Officers. Branches are encouraged to advertise events on the RS Website to allow maximum attendance by ex RS and families