



RAA & RCF ASSOCIATION

BIRKENHEAD BRANCH

OCTOBER 2018

NEWSLETTER

234 Squadron Re-union Kevin Casey is organising a reunion of all members and ex-members of 234 Sqn in the Poulton Vics Club on Saturday 27th October 2018 at £10-00 each. All are welcome including wives and girlfriends. The evening will have Entertainment, Buffet and Raffle. To book your ticket contact Kevin Casey direct on 07932735005.

Remembrance Day Parade. The Birkenhead Branch Standards will be on parade at the Town Hall, Hamilton Square, courtesy of Frank Page & Roy Cotgrave on **Sunday 11th November 2018**. Wreaths will be laid. One at the Cenotaph and one on the Association Stone If any member wishes to march, just turn up at Hamilton Square before 10-20hrs and report to the parade commander. Names to the secretary asap of any member going back to the Army Reserve Centre Chetwynd for the buffet lunch. There might be a small charge for the lunch.

Then & Now Celebration. The Mayor of Wirral has invited all members to a celebration to mark the end of the Great War. The date is Friday 30th November 2018 6-30pm-7-00pm in the impressive Civic Hall within the Wallasey Town Hall. It will be a "wartime" dinner, prepared and presented by the students from Wirral Metropolitan College and an evening of music and song from the First World War to the present day. Tickets are £20-00 each which include a 3-course meal and a welcome drink. We have a limited number of tickets so get your bid in ASAP from the secretary Mr. Phil Hunt Tel. 0151 334 4151 or mobile 07759782213

Christmas Dinner Will be in the Adelphi Hotel Liverpool, on Sunday 9th December 2018, at 12-00hrs for 13-00hrs till approx 17-00hrs £20-00 per person. All monies to be paid to the treasurer, Mr Derek Mulvihill on or before 13th November 2018 as the Adelphi Hotel want the balance to be paid in November 2017 Donations for the raffle are always welcome

Lt. Col. Tim Gould QGM, Commanding Officer 156 Regt. RLC has been invited. Other guests will be Major Phil Ainscough, OC 234 Sqn RLC and Capt Stuart McGann and Mrs McGann

St Georges Day / Spring Lunch 2019 Traditionally we hold this event on the nearest Sunday to St. Georges Day 23rd April .In 2019 it is Sunday 21st April. So keep this date free, further details will follow

Last Post. Sadly Mrs Rita Reynolds passed away in hospital on Thursday 11th October 2018. The funeral arrangements are 15-00 hrs at Landican Central Chapel on Tuesday 30th October 2018. Family flowers only, donations to McMillan Nurses if you wish to

Next Meeting. The next meeting will be Tues 13th November 2018 Then Tues 11th December 2018. There is no meeting in January 2019. Then the **AGM** will be **Tuesday 12th February 2019**. Nominations for the committee or items for the agenda to be given in writing or e-mail to the secretary

Keep in Touch Any members receiving this news letter by post and has an e-mail address please let me know on my e-mail address phil-hunt1@hotmail.co.uk

Nil Sine Labore

Keep on truckin'

Phil Hunt (Hon Sec)

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Christmas Dinner 9th December 2018

I..... will / will not be attending the Christmas Dinner and require Tickets @ £20-00
each

Enclose a cheque for £.....Number of tickets x £20-00

Signed.....

