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Dear Member/Secretary of Organisation

You are hereby invited to participate in the Littlehampton Remembrance Sunday Parade and Service being held on Sunday 12 November 2023.

Enclosed are the parade information and orders. Please ensure that you share this information with your group and that they are aware of their position in the parade and at the Memorial Service.

As Police support cannot be guaranteed, Sussex Police has asked that groups refrain from marching on the road whilst making their way to the muster point and when returning to base after the parade finishes. Littlehampton Town Council will be managing the road closures during the parade but it cannot oversee your safety outside of the event. If you choose to march to/from your bases via the roads please understand this will be entirely at your own risk. It is the responsibility of each group to ensure all safety precautions are taken and relevant guidance followed. Contact WSX.Events@sussex.pnn.police.uk for details.

The muster point is adjacent to the Town Clock in the High Street precinct at 10.30am. The parade will then move off to The War Memorial on Beach Road at 10.45am under the Parade Marshall.

Please be in your position at the War Memorial as requested on the enclosed plan by 10.55am.

We respectfully ask that you attend the Church Service in St Mary's Church as a continuing part of the Remembrance Commemoration.

In the event of inclement weather, appropriate clothing should be worn. Only at the discretion of The Parade Marshall, in consultation with Littlehampton Town Council, will the Parade be cancelled. In the event of the parade being cancelled all personnel should proceed direct to the Church, after which wreaths will be laid at the War Memorial.

If you intend to Parade as a Unit and if you are presenting your Standard, Colours or Flag, you *may be* requested to attend a rehearsal in St Mary's Church at a time and date to be advised.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Kieran Gibbins, Events and Town Centre Strategy Manager at Littlehampton Town Council on 01903 732063 or events@littlehampton-tc.gov.uk.

Please note that there <u>will not</u> be a second parade as part of this event. Previously, organisations have mustered in Church Street before disbanding in the High Street.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY ORDER OF SERVICE AT THE WAR MEMORIAL 12 November 2023

BRANCH CHAPLAIN: 'Invitation to Commemorate'

Veteran to 'Recite the Exhortation'

Last Post is then sounded: 'Standards dip at this time' followed by TWO MINUTES

SILENCE at 11.00am

Followed by 'Reveille' when standards will be raised.

WREATHS will then be laid in the following order:

- Lord Lieutenant's Representative for HM The King
- Royal British Legion
- Littlehampton Town Mayor and Arun District Council Representative

When the first four wreaths have been laid a short time should be observed then one wreath from each point should advance together until completion, as shown below, along with any other Group wishing to participate.

The Chaplain will give the Memorial Prayer, this to be followed by one verse of 'The National Anthem'.

POST WAR MEMORIAL SERVICE

The Chaplain and Choir will proceed to the Church of St Mary's along with The Town Mayor and Civic Dignitaries.

The Parade will re-form in St Catherine's Road and proceed to St Mary's Church via Church Approach for a Service by The Revd. Mark Williams.

COLOUR PARTY ESCORTS are requested to leave Standard Bearers at the entrance to the Church and take their seats.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY PARADE FORMATION ORDER_ 12 November 2023

When forming up in the High Street please ensure you leave enough room for those at the back of the parade. If you are at the back of the formation and there is not enough room, inform those at the front to move forward. Do not stand in the road.

Training Ship Sussex Sea Cadet Corps Band

The Royal British Legion Standard: and Escorts:

Lord Lieutenant/Deputy Lord Lieutenant

Civic Dignitaries and Other Invited Guests

The Royal Naval Association Standard: and Escorts: Members and Guests
The Royal Air Force Association Standard: and Escorts: Members and Guests

Littlehampton Armed Forces & Veterans Breakfast Club Standard: and Escorts:

Members and Guests

Sea Cadet Corps Colours: Escorts: and Members
Army Cadet Force Colours: Escorts: and Members
Air Training Corps Colours: Escorts: and Members

Nautical Training Corps Colours: Escorts: and Members

Royal National Lifeboat Institution Members

St. John Ambulance Brigade Flag: Escorts: and Members British Red Cross Society Flag: Escorts: and Members

5th, 4th & 7th Scout Associations Flags: Escorts: and Members (including Beavers and

cubs)

Girl Guide Associations Flags: Escorts: and Members (Including Brownies and Rainbows)

All Other Groups/Organisations/Associations "will be made welcome".

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY WAR MEMORIAL SERVICE LAYOUT 12 NOVEMBER 2023

NORTH

Members of the public,

Sussex Police, West Sussex Fire Services, Maltravers Social Club,

Littlehampton Harbour Board, R.N.L.I. LAFVBC, R.N. Association, R.A.F. Association, Royal Sussex Regt, Fleet Air Arm,

Civic Dignitaries Royal British Legion, Civic Dignitaries

