

OBITUARY

Peter Barrington



Peter enrolled in the ROC on the 11th. April 1944 serving on 1Group B4 Post Herne Bay as an Observer. He left the Corps on Stand Down in May 1945.

Details of his later military service are not known but he was a crack rifle shot. *(There were rumours that he had been bodyguard to a Middle Eastern Sheik)*

After military service he re-enrolled on October 1949 His ROC Service Number was 34779. He Attended Civil Defence Staff College twice:- In May 1958 as Observer Officer and in May 1962 as Obs. Lieutenant Southern Area ROC. In 1964 he was appointed Group Training Officer at 14 Group, Winchester.

He attended Civil Defence College at Easingwold in 1971 as Obs/Lt in 22 Group, Carlisle.

By March 1974 He was Deputy Group Commandant in 14 Group Winchester. In the rank of Obs/Lt. He transferred from DGC 14 Group to DGC 4 Group Colchester in March 1974 and retired from his full time duties on 31st. January 1980 in the rank of Obs/Lt Commander.

Peter was granted Honorary Membership of the ROC in February 1980 in recognition of his 30 plus years of spare time & full time service.

Peter is also known to have been involved with the Deposition Scheme.

His funeral was held on the 8th of January 2018 at Brundall Church in Norfolk.



Peter is shown on the left with John Kent (GC4Gp) centre and Brian Farrell

May he Rest in Peace