



Royal Observer Corps Association

Patron: Her Majesty the Queen

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19th NOVEMBER 2021

News & Information for All Members



The Jock Burnie Cup jointly presented to Simon and Nicola Craine.

The John Simmonds Memorial Trophy – Lawrence Holmes.

The Michael Richards Cup – Jim Mackie.

The President's Certificate – John Shere.

Geoffrey Pott Trophy to the former NRC team at Holmpton – received on their behalf by Tim Kitching

Arboretum Seaborne Memorial – The Seaborne Memorial to be installed alongside the Seaborne Tree in our Grove is in hand. The Stonemason aims to instal by 14th May 2022 to enable it to be dedicated at our gathering. Date to be confirmed please note diaries.

Field of Remembrance Westminster Abbey – This year Wendy Harvey was our representative in front of the Field of Remembrance at Westminster Abbey on Thursday 11th November. Terry Nunn 4 Group stood behind the plot.

ROC 100th Celebrations 2025 – Planning for 2025 in hand will notify full details as they are known.

The ROC Museum Winchester ~ Boscombe Aircraft Collection at Old Sarum houses a permanent ROC Museum exhibition in the main hanger. It is open to the public well worth a visit check their web site for opening times.

Area Reps Committee Meeting ~ the next scheduled issue of snippets will follow the Area Reps meeting to be held at the Union Jack Club on Saturday 26th February 2022.

Initial planning for next year's events is in hand. Dates and events will be announced as soon as finalized. These will be discussed at the National Committee meeting on 26th February 2022.



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The **Royal Observer Corps Benevolent Fund** is still there for those that are in need.

It may not be you, but it could be someone that you know

Visit www.rafbf.org/help or contact RAF Benevolent Fund on 0800 169 2942

Parades Ceremonies Events known to date

Dates for your 2022 diary & further dates will be published when known let us know what is happening locally.

Full up to the minute details available at www.rocatwentytwelve.org, for specific heritage related items see www.roc-heritage.co.uk

Southern Area Reunion. 11th to 13th March the Buckatree Hall Hotel Telford. TF6 5AL

The Formation of the RAF Service St Clement Danes. April date to be confirmed.

Arboretum Seaborne Memorial. Dedication & unveiling May 14th -- TBC

THE Queens Platinum Anniversary. Beacon Lighting June 2nd.

Armed Forces weekend Scarborough. 24th to 26th June.

Armed Forces weekend Weston Super Mare. 24th to 26th June.

Capel Le Ferne July.

International Air Tattoo Fairford. July 2022 ROCA Display in the Veterans Area.

November Thursday. Field of Remembrance Westminster Abbey

November Sunday. Cenotaph Parade London

October. National Reunion the venue & dates to be announced.