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*Warsop, Meden Vale, & District Branch  
With Edwinstowe Sub-Branch*

## NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the July 2014 newsletter.

### Roll of Honour

I regret to inform you of the death of member, Mr Walter Bagshaw. Walter has been a member for many years. His funeral took place on Thursday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July at Warsop Church. Members formed a guard of honour.

Thank You

Our thanks go to The Ashley Clarkson Memorial Fund for a generous donation of £3000 from the Honour walk from Sherwood Forest to Car Bank Park and family fun day last July.

They also go to Warsop Parish Council for a £100 donation. Warsop Memorials provided the Lee Bonsall Memorial Stone and asked the Council to make a donation to us.

Thank you to all!

These funds will be spent on Welfare through the Derby Office. The £3000 will be spent in the Mans-

field/Warsop area and the £100 will be spent in Warsop Parish.

### Meetings

We have Sir Edward Nall as our guest speaker on the 14th July. He will be speaking about two Lancasters that crashed near Hoveringham during WWII. **NUMBERS**

### NEEDED FOR CATERING

I understand the speaker at Edwinstowe last month was enjoyed by all.

### County Lunch

This is arranged for the 28<sup>th</sup> September at South Forest. The cost will be £15.50

### Branch Christmas Dinner

Again at South Forest, this is on the evening of the 5<sup>th</sup> December. Cost will again be £15.50

### Festival of Remembrance

I have received notification that the tickets are available for the Royal Albert Hall. Each branch may apply

for up to 4 tickets at a cost of £10 each. Priority is given to anyone who has not been before. Please let me know as soon as possible if you would like to attend as the tickets go very quickly. (Members attending are liable for all travel/accommodation costs.)

### Lights Out

Plans are still to be finalised but we hope to lay a wreath at Warsop Vale before a service in the Church leading to a candlelight procession down to the Memorial, where a wreath will be laid and the candles extinguished at 11pm.

### Bridlington Trip

Planned for Sept. Expressions of interest needed please.

### National Memorial Arboretum

Trip to the NMA on the 15<sup>th</sup> August. Cost of £12 per person.

### Warsop Carnival

It is the Carnival on Sunday the 6<sup>th</sup> July

We are looking for volunteers for the mar-

queue. Please contact Elaine to go on the rota if you can spare an hour.

### **Edwinstowe Branch**

We are please to announce that the Dedication of the New Standard has been arranged at Edwinstowe Church, on the 31st August at 3.00pm. All members are invited to attend.

### **Birthday Greetings**

Birthday wishes go to the following members;

Gary Appleby  
Glynn Brown  
Gloria Fox  
Bob Geeson  
Eira Hallam  
Jason Holland  
William McCarthy  
Cliff Meredith  
Dennis Monk  
Bethany Simmons  
Barbara Wieczorek  
John H Wood  
Michael Woods

A very happy birthday to you all.

### **Diary**

6<sup>th</sup> July — Warsop Carnival  
4<sup>th</sup> August — Candle Light Vigil Warsop Vale and Warsop  
15<sup>th</sup> August—Trip to NMA. £12  
28<sup>th</sup> September—County Lunch, South Forest. 12.30 for 1pm. £15.50  
25<sup>th</sup> October — Branch Poppy Launch (am)  
25<sup>th</sup> October — Worksop Festival of Remembrance. Tickets £6.50 (pm)  
8<sup>th</sup> November — Remembrance Concert,

Notts. Police Band  
9<sup>th</sup> November — Remembrance Sunday  
11<sup>th</sup> November — Remembrance Service Warsop Vale.

5<sup>th</sup> December—Christmas Meal, South Forest. 7.00 for 7.30pm £15.50

### **Next Meeting**

Our next meeting is on Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm, The Ex-Servicemen's Club, Carr Lane, Warsop.

Pete