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HM The King's New Year Honours 2024

We are pleased to inform you that the following members of the Royal British Legion have been included in HM The King's New Year Honours 2024 list, which was published over the bank holiday weekend.

Order of the British Empire Officer of the Order of the British Empire (OBE)

- Dr Claire Elizabeth ARMSTRONG

Chief Executive Officer, Royal British Legion Scotland. For services to Veterans in Scotland

- Lieutenant Colonel (Rtd) David Ian WHIMPENNY

Lately Board Trustee, The Royal British Legion. For Voluntary Service (Salisbury, Wiltshire)

Order of the British Empire Member of the Order of the British Empire (MBE)

- Adina MUNROE-CHARLOW

Chairperson, Royal British Legion, Bahamas Branch. For services to Veterans in The Bahamas

- Jill Sylvia GLADWELL

Poppy Appeal Collector. For voluntary services to the Royal British Legion in Suffolk

- Margery TAYLOR

District Treasurer and District Training Officer, Royal British Legion, Spain South. For services to Veterans in Spain

- Jennifer LARBY

Executive Officer, British Legion Kenya. For services to the British and Commonwealth ex-services community in Kenya.



**Order of the British Empire
Medallist of the Order of the British Empire (BEM)**

- Frank Keith BALL

Poppy Appeal Collector, Royal British Legion. For voluntary service to Veterans (London)

- Margaret Rose BROWN

National Standard Bearer, Royal British Legion Scotland. For voluntary service to Veterans (Forfar, Angus)

- John Campbell FORRESTER

President and Poppy Appeal Organiser, Drifffield Branch, Royal British Legion. For voluntary service to Veterans in East Yorkshire

- Robert Douglas MCRAE

Poppy Appeal Organiser (West), Poppyscotland. For services to Veterans (Prestwick, Ayrshire and Arran)

- Howard Mansell WILLIAMS

For services to the Royal British Legion and to the community in Spondon, Derbyshire

Also within this list is an award for Robert COBURN, Scottish Area Vice Chair, Royal Naval Association and Poppy Appeal Convenor, for voluntary service to Veterans and to the community in Inverness-shire, although very sadly Robert passed away shortly after receiving his award. Our thoughts are with Robert's family and friends at this very difficult time.