

The New Garden of Remembrance is a great addition to our War Memorial grounds. This now gives a permanent area for people to plant crosses in remembrance of those who made the ultimate sacrifice and to remember friends and family that have passed on, who had served their country.

The construction of the Garden was made possible by donations from the Councillors of Rushden Town Council, Branch Members Mr & Mrs Lui & Margaret De Monte and The Swivel Club of Rushden.

The design of the Garden was by Mr John Twelvetree from Haddonstone and was constructed by Mr Phil Davies. PAD Builders.



The Garden has two plaques that were kindly donated by Branch Members Phil Blanchard & Irene Curtis. The first is inscribed with “Rushden’s Remembrance Garden. For all who made the ultimate sacrifice. We will Remember Them”. The other is inscribed “Harry’s Garden”. This is a fitting tribute to former RBL Rushden Branch Chairman, Harry Graham MBE who has campaigned for many years to have the garden built.

The garden was finished in time for this year's Garden of Remembrance Service that was held on the 9th of November. Mr Harry and Mrs Megan Graham conducted the service where 90 crosses were planted by local school children, one for each name on the War Memorial that lost their lives in 1916 during World War One.