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ROYAL BRITISH LEGION  
"Supporting the  
Armed Forces Community"

**The Royal British Legion**  
**Torrevieja Branch BR3456**

Minutes for the General Branch Meeting  
21<sup>st</sup> April 2026  
Location: Oasis Bar, San Luis



All figures quoted are correct as of 19<sup>th</sup> April 2026 unless otherwise shown.

Unless any one person objects it is intended to **voice record this meeting** (to better facilitate the preparation of the meeting minutes). If you do object, please advise the Secretary or Chairman **prior to the commencement of the meeting**.

Position	Name	Attendance	
		YES	NO
Chairman/BCS	Jack Kemp (JK)	x	
Vice Chairman	<b>Post Gapped</b>		
Secretary	Trish Carruthers (TC)	x	
Treasurer	Dave Lockhart (DL)		x
Membership/Recruitment Secretary	Ian Carruthers (IC)	x	
Poppy Appeal Organiser (PAO)	Bruce Card (BC)	x	
Poppy Appeal Assistant	<b>Post Gapped</b>		
Branch Community Support (BCS)	Pamela Twissell-Cross MBE (PTC)		x
Social Member	John William Featherstone (JWF)	x	
Assistant Social Member	Brenda Isobel Sigurdsson (BIS)	x	
Standard Bearer	Danny Kay (DK)	x	
Webmaster	MaryLou Kemp (MLK)	x	

1. Chair & Secretary

- 1.1 The Chair opened the meeting with the Exhortation.
- 1.2 The Chair welcomed all Members in attendance. David Brown, Barbara Dewhurst, Graham Knight, Mark Knight, Jane Knight, David Longworth, David Parry, David Brown, Barbara Price, Barrie Price, Kay Smith, Stuart Smith, Brian Todd.

### 1.3 Welcome and Presentation of New Members and Welcome Packs

The Chair presented a welcome pack to Graham Knight and also gave an apology as Graham has been a member for some time and previously an Honorary member.

Chair presented a welcome pack to Dave Longworth who more recently became a member.

A welcome pack was also available for Sue Puller who unfortunately sent her apologies.

### 1.4 Apologies for absence was read by the Secretary:

David Lockhart, Trisha Lockhart, Peter Kemp, Dan Rossi, Kyle Rossi, Casey Colebrook, Ian Nixon, Murry Small, Mike Fowler, Jane Palomba, Mandy Love, Jane Martin, Mary Jenson, Micheal Koch, Pam Twissell-Cross, Sue Puller and Rose Kay.

### 1.5 The Chair confirmed the minutes of the GBM 17<sup>th</sup> March 2026 were distributed by email and were made available for viewing at the meeting. The Chair requested a proposer and seconder.

Motion: That the minutes are true reflection of the GBM held on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2026.

Proposed by: Dave Brown      Seconded by: Barrie Price      Against: None

## 2. Chair Matters Arising – Action Table (AT)

Member	Action	Status
IC	Recruitment Drive – Meet & Greet Bars	Ongoing Action IC
PTC	Survey by phone random Members wrt attendance at General Branch Meetings.	New Item: Action PTC: Report Below
JK / Branch Committee	3 Monthly Audit of the Branch Asset Register.	New Item: 1 <sup>st</sup> Audit will be in June 2026
PTC	Place Facebook post on our Branch Page with regards to Form Filling and BCS.	New Item: Action PTC
All/IC	Membership drive. Increase in members continue with Membership growth in 2026	Ongoing Target Membership for 2026. New Target 130 for 2026
JK	Look at the possibility of free advertising in Local Magazines and Newspapers.	Ongoing: Action JK: See Report Below.
Member Sue Puller	Confirm if the Euro New allow free advertising.	New Item: Report back at the next GBM.

## 3. Chair's Report – JK

### 3.1 Action Table.

Chair explained that he would address the Action Tabel and also had a lot of points on the agenda but encouraged members to ask questions as necessary.

3.2 Advertising Sue Puller was to confirm her contact with the Euro News tonight to see if she had managed to confirm free advertising, this will be held over in her absence.

Chair expressed his thanks to Moira who produces the Expat Lifestyle Magazine every quarter and who has kindly agreed to give a page every quarter to the Branch. This is excellent news for Torre Vieja Branch advertising. Members were asked if they had any other ideas to advertise the work of the Branch to let the committee know.

3.2 Feedback from Spain District North Chairman/Chairlady's Conference.

3.2.1 Ceremonial Officers Course. Courses are to be held for requalifying Parade Marshals, Senior Standard Bearers and previous HM Forces NCO's. Dates are to follow. Chair advised that this is an ideal opportunity for Branch Members to train as we only have one Parade Marshal and ideally would like two or three. If interested, please give names to Jack or Danny.

3.2.2 Maintenance and Key Holder for the Branch Memorial Garden La Siesta. Chair explained that previously the memorial garden was maintained by Micheal Elliot, Tim Mayen and Ian Carruthers. Changes in circumstances mean that we are now looking for members to hold a key and maintain the garden going forward.

Danny Kaye and David Longworth both stepped up and agreed to take on the task. Chair explained that it doesn't involve a lot of work, litter picking and generally keeping it clean and tidy. Both Danny and David were thanked for taking on this task.

Chair has been contacted by a family who would like to lay a wreath at the garden to commemorate family members. Chair will check with the family if they would like Danny as the Ceremonial Officer to be present. This will take place after the next Veterans Breakfast on the 13<sup>th</sup> May. All members were invited to the Veterans Breakfast and to the wreath laying afterwards.

3.2.3 Poppy Appeal Orders 26 – Covered by BC.

The Chair thanked Bruce Card for taking on the appointment of PAO and thanks also to his wife for her support.

3.2.4 District Annual Meeting of Conference 2027.

Chair informed the meeting that Hondon Branch have volunteered to host the Annual Conference in January 2027. This will be held at the Hondon Hub.

3.2.5 District Chair Standing Down.

The District Chair Mr Paul Kane will be returning to the UK later this year and has decided to step down as District Chair.

The District Vice Chair will stand up as interim District Chair, The Overseas Engagement Officer will then send out information to all Branches for distribution explaining the process and actions required for volunteering to take on the post.

An election process will then follow. Any Spain District North Legion Members can volunteer for this post.

The Chair recorded a vote of thanks to Paul Kane for his commitment and dedication to the District Committee as Chair and his support to RBL Branches across Spain District North.

### 3.3 Points from Central News Bulletin:

Chair explained how the Central News Bulletin is distributed and that there are 2 versions, one for Committee Members and one for Branch Members. The Branch posts the members version on our Facebook page and the Branch Web Page.

#### 3.3.1 Update Youth Members

The Chair stressed that this is an important issue for the Branch as we have 2 Youth Members and with British Schools in the area, we have the potential to recruit more.

The Legion has had several concerns raised about ceasing the current youth membership model. The Chair stressed that this is only a temporary measure whilst the Membership Council considers Youth Membership offers and how we ensure the safeguarding obligations to our youths are examined more fully.

#### 3.3.2 National Elections Update – Trustee Appointments.

The Chair explained how the Branch vote was tied so he had to place the 3 names in a hat whilst on TEAMS to enable it to be witnessed. The name pulled out was Mr Paul Kane, however he wasn't successful.

The successful candidates are,  
Helen Owen -Trustee  
Phil Davis -Trustee  
Steve Lee -Trustee  
James Lambert -Trustee.

Paul McKay-Membership Council Representative, Southeast Midlands.

Neil James-Membership council Representative, West Midlands.

Adrian Wright-Membership Council Representative, South Midlands.

Bob Howard-Membership Council Representative, Greater Manchester and Lancashire.

Nick McEntee-Membership Council Representative, Chesire and Merseyside.

Emma Cox-Membership Council Representative, Women's Section.

439 votes were cast.

### 3.3.3 Grant Applications.

Chair explained that upon the successful application for funds last year, he applied this year for € 1000. He was very pleased to report that the application was again successful. This grant will go towards Armed Forces Day, paying for the Torrevieja Pipe and Drums, transport for the band and members, a support stand for the Torrevieja Branch Banner, the banner is being paid for by Torrevieja Town Hall, the Branch will pay for the stand only. Armed Forces Day will also be commemorating the 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Operation TELIC. Reception of some kind to be confirmed depending on costings and available funds.

### 3.3.4 BCS Gift Amount Update. – Covered in BCS report by JK.

### 3.3.5 Membership Townhall Meetings – Online Mon 20<sup>th</sup> April 26.

Chair explained that these meetings were to enable members to gain an insight into how the wider Legion works. It also enables members to ask questions either on the meeting or by pre-submit form.

### 3.3.6 RBL Fireside Chats – 1<sup>st</sup> Chat – Online Wednesday 22 April 26.

This first chat is reference from a soldier's point of view having served 24 years in the infantry, and saw active service in Northan Ireland, Iraq and 5 tours of Afghanistan.

**Afternote: Although both of the above dates had passed the information was also distributed via the Agenda for the meeting in advance of the above dates.**

### 3.3.7 Connecting Beneficiaries with RBL Services – Covered in BCS report by JK.

### 3.3.8 Festival of Remembrance 2026.

This year's Festival of Remembrance 2026 will be held on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November. Tickets will once again be allocated through a ballot system to ensure all members have a fair chance to purchase tickets. Members must enter the ballot when it opens next month.

Key dates;

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May; Ballot opens.

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June; Ballot closes.

Further information can be found: <https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-involved/events/remembrance-events/festival-of-remembrance>

### 3.3.9 Engagement with Members.

The RBL in 2025 conducted a survey of new members in the first year of membership and found that - While the intention to renew membership was high with 96% responding positively and being mostly interested in Remembrance events, community activities and social gatherings-just 23% reported receiving any contact from their chosen branch.

As we know, Branch contact early on is key to engaging new members at a local level, and an early welcome from the Branch is an important part of this.

Central RBL UK will now telephone all new members on joining and call members before their membership is about to lapse.

Ian as our Branch Membership Secretary will be completing a similar process once he finds his feet in the post.

Torrevieja Branch does seem to do better than most Branches:

We give welcome packs to all new members with a free RBL membership badge.

We send E-cards to all members (who provide an e-mail address) on their Birthday and at Christmas, Easter and important occasions.

We have a Branch Web page and Facebook page.

Members Receive regular updates from the Chair and Secretary and receive Minutes from General Branch Meetings covering points and updates from the wider Legion, as in this set of minutes.

We believe there is always room for improvements, and the committee is always open to suggestions from the members.

### 3.4 AF&VBC Attendance & Donations.

Chair reported another good attendance on the 8<sup>th</sup> April with 31 people helping to raise € 102.06, again, split between RBL Poppy Appeal and the Branch GPF. The next Breakfast will be held at Silverstones Bar on the 13<sup>th</sup> May.

## 4. Vice Chair's Report – (Position Gapped)

The Chair explained that as a branch we really would like to have a full committee and asked if any one present would like to volunteer for the Vice Chair post.

Nobody came forward. If any member would like to be involved and become part of the committee please approach JK or TC.

## 5. Secretary's Report – TC

Trish had no points to raise this month but did inform the members that, since Tim left the committee, the printer he had been using had now been passed to her. She also advised that the committee had voted on an ink package that should save the branch money.

## 6. Treasurer's Report – (Report Presented by Branch Chair - JK)

6.1 Financial Update on the Branch Accounts was given and the Branch Liquidity statement was read by JK see Attachment 1.

A question was asked about the need of petty cash and JK explained that we don't hold petty cash as everything is done electronically.

Barbara asked if there was to be specific events held like a golf match. Chair explained that there would be the usual opening of the Poppy Appeal in Benidorm in October. He explained that the Branch didn't organise the golf games and this was done by Spain District North but held in our area. He advised that the PAO Bruce and John and Brenda our Committee Social Members will be getting together and events will be placed on the events forecast on our Web and Facebook pages. He advised that if members wanted certain activities to get in touch with committee members and we will try to organise them.

## 7. Membership Secretary's Report – IC

7.1 Membership Stats. IC advised that we are currently sitting at 123 members. The Branch is well on its way to meet the yearly target of 130. He informed the meeting that he is looking for venues for meet and greet events and will be holding a table at the Armed Forces Day outside of the church in the gardens. IC also discussed an idea to have a WhatsApp group for members to give the opportunity to speak amongst each other on an open forum to get involved with feedback.

A discussion took place about the merits of a WhatsApp forum and how people can opt out and how it can be limited between certain hours. It was generally felt to be a good idea. The Committee would welcome ideas from the members.

At this point Graham Knight had to leave for another appointment. He briefly stated he had been offered a visit to Laguna Village, another construction site which would be interesting as a cultural visit 700 houses are being built which will be protected for the younger people to have access for housing. It is virtually a whole new village with the relevant infrastructure. This may be a possible visit. He also said he is looking into the possibility of visiting the salt lakes.

The Chair thanked Graham for his work and explained how useful the last cultural visit had been and is keen to continue this initiative.

## 8. PAO Report – BC

8.1 Poppy Appeal Orders for 2026.  
Bruce informed the meeting he had finalised the Poppy Appeal order which has now been submit to District. He explained our plan B using a courier if needed.

Bruce pointed out that he had brought in some small boxes for individual use if anyone wanted to take one home. These are ideal for loose change that can be collected and brought back to the meeting.

Bruce asked members to look out for collection boxes in bars that they may use in our area. If no boxes are seen could members, ask the staff if they like one and if they say yes let him know so he can get one out to them.

A discussion took place regarding last year poppy appeal organisation whereupon a member found himself trying to hold a Poppy Donation Table at venues that didn't know he was coming, or the event had been cancelled.

The Chair apologised for these instances and assured the meeting that this would not happen again. Bruce, although new to post, has Danny as support and together with the committee will have clear programmes of events to enable members to assist at the various tables. The Chair again apologised.

The Chair talked about the disappointing limited items that are available to overseas branches to order. School Packs were discussed as they had been requested in person in London last year by a member who was given a bag of badges instead as compensation as they are not available for overseas branches due to the weight of the packs.

David Longworth gave apologies if he had overstepped protocol but informed the meeting that he had purchased some badges and other items that he wished to sell in aid of the Poppy Appeal. These items have been purchased from his own pocket and was donating the items to the Branch. His plan was to sell the items to friends and family and then donate the money raised to the branch Poppy Appeal. However David wonders if it may be better to donate the items directly to the branch to increase stock.

The Chair explained that items received from the catalogue are offered for donation only. The Branch cannot use monies to purchase items from other sources, but David's donation would be greatly received.

## 9. BCS Report – (Report Presented by Branch Chair - JK)

The Chair explained that you did not need to be a member of the Legion to receive Legion support. You don't need to have served to join the Legion and to be a beneficiary of the Legion you only need to have served for 1 day.

9.1 Action Table - Survey by phone - attendance at General Branch Meetings. Pam has so far engaged with 16 members with calls ranging from 10 mins to 45 minutes. She reports that she has found the process fascinating and that she has learnt a lot. Pam says she would like to continue to speak to more members to get a fuller picture. Some of the feedback was negative but with the member not having a reason to be negative. Others more informative and asking for change to allow the branch to be more inclusive. Some members offered their help.

Most members liked the idea of a General Branch Meeting every other month with an alternative meet and greet /coffee morning/afternoon. Most liked the idea of the meeting starting at 1100hrs followed by a social lunch. Some worked and would prefer an evening meeting.

Other members stated that they just wanted to pay their membership fee and attend only significant events such as Armed Forces Day and Armistice.

A discussion followed regarding the timings and how often the meetings should take place with lots of suggestions from members. The interim decision was for the next meeting to take place next month as usual 19<sup>th</sup> May, and, then go to alternate months for a trial period.

David Longworth expressed his unease at voicing opinions when he hasn't served in the Forces and is such a new member to the Branch. The Chair reassured him that all members are important and all ideas are valid and that new ideas and thoughts are what the Branch needs Jane endorsed this.

#### 9.2 Action Table - Facebook Post Form Filling.

Pam has written an information sheet which will be enclosed with the minutes and was also agreed at the committee meeting to put into the welcome pack. See Attachment 2.

#### 9.3 BCS Gift Amount Update.

Until now registered BCS supporters could spend £ 20 on a small one-off gift for a beneficiary. This limit has now been increased to £ 50 (€58) per beneficiary which may now be split across multiple smaller gifts over time.

Legion Members that are not beneficiaries previously could not receive a gift from Branch when in hospital, this has now changed Branches can now receive a small gift to the value of £25 when someone is in hospital. This money comes from Branch Funds not Poppy Appeal.

#### 9.4 Connecting Beneficiaries with RBL Services.

Chair Explained that we have our own Branch Community Support with PTC as the lead. However above Branch level when a financial support is needed, we have Spain District North Caseworker lead by Billie Graham-Thomas. If a Veteran or their family presents with a need the contact centre is there to ensure they have access to support.

Branch Community Support- Pam Twissel-Cross MBE (+34 711 060 500)  
Hospital/Home visits.  
Telephone/Technical Buddy.  
Bereavement Support.  
Form Filling.

Caseworker Support-Billie Graham-Tomas (+34 676 451 780)  
RBL Services UK Contact Centre +44 808 802 8080.

#### 9.5 Update on BCS Training for Sue Puller - BCS

All online BCS Training completed, now awaiting dates for 2x2 Hour Face to Face TEAMS meeting. Sue will then be fully qualified. The Branch would welcome anyone who is interested and willing to become BCS supporters. Please give your name to Pam.

### 10. Standard Bearers Report – DK

#### 10.1 Lead Standard Bearers Update.

Nothing to Report. However Danny advised the meeting that there are a small number of RBL Queen Crested Ties available for a small donation to the Poppy Appeal.

These are ties that are perfectly acceptable to wear but not by Parade Marshals and Standard Bearers who must comply with the Ceremonial Handbook with regards to Dress Codes and all items must have the Kings Crown.

David Longworth asked if there was a uniform/polo shirt available for members so people know that they are members of the Branch. The Chair advised that there are polo shirts available from the Poppy Shop but they don't post overseas but we can organise delivery through committee members. The Chair did point out that we can get shirts locally produced. David offered to take on this investigation if the Chair could send him the Branch Logo. David would then report back to the members on options and costings.

11. Social Members Report – JF/BS

11.1 Social Members Update.  
Coffee Morning and meet and greet was discussed.

11.2 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Formation of Branch and Social Lunch  
A meal is being organised to celebrate this occasion at the Asia Jardin on the 14<sup>th</sup> May at 13:00 hours. The event will be on the events page and Facebook. This is the 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Branch the longest serving Branch in Spain.

12. Webmaster Report - MLK

12.1 WebPage Updated as at 18<sup>th</sup> April 2026.

13. Any Other Business

13.1 From the Committee or Branch Members.  
The meeting was advised of the upcoming Annual Army and Navy Rugby Match at Twickenham taking place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> May. This will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> year it will be televised in Torre Vieja. It will be in Cal Bilbao in Ma Flanagan's Bar. Kick off is at 1500hrs.

Date and Location for the next meeting.

**Date of the next meeting 19<sup>th</sup> May 1700 hrs**  
**General Branch Meeting (GBM)**  
**Location: Oasis, San Luis**

14. The Chairman closed the Meeting.

15. Kohima Epitaph was delivered by the Chair.

**Chair**  
**Torre Vieja Branch (BR 3456)**  
**The Royal British Legion in**  
**Spain District North**

**Attachments:**

- 1. Treasurers Report – Liquidity State will be Available at the General Branch Meeting and attached to the Minutes.**
- 2. Branch Community Support (BCS) Information for Branch Members and Veterans**
- 3. Forecast of Events.**



TREASURER'S REPORT  
THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION TORREVIEJA BRANCH (BR-3456)  
DATED: 18<sup>th</sup> April 2026

For the Financial Year Ending 30<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Petty Cash:	€ 0.00
Bank Balance:	€ 5,090.82
TOTAL (Bank Reconciliation/LOMAS – Agreed 18/Apr/2026)	€ 5,090.82

BRANCH FUNDS:

1. General Funds	€ 73.56
2. Poppy Appeal Funds Total Bank 2026	€ 5,017.26
3. Total Funds	€ 5,090.82

BRANCH RECEIPTS:

1. Donation GPF (AF&VBC – Apr) RV0511	€ 56.03
2. Poppy Appeal Donation (AF&VBC - Apr) RV0512	€ 56.03
3. Poppy Appeal Donation RV0513	€ 44.74

BRANCH EXPENDITURE:

1. Bank administration/commission charges PV360	€60
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David Lockhart  
Branch Treasurer  
Dated: 21/Apr/26



Jack Kemp  
Branch Chair  
Dated: 21/Apr/26

*Dear Branch Members,*

## **Branch Community Support (BCS) Information for Branch Members and Veterans**

I am Pamela, your Branch Community Support lead for the Torrevieja Branch of The Royal British Legion. If you ever have questions, require advice, or wonder if the Legion or Branch can offer assistance with support, I am your first point of contact.

### ***Guidance and Regulations***

While certain rules and regulations must be observed, it is always worthwhile to enquire. Should we be unable to provide assistance, we will direct you to someone who can, whether they are based in the UK or Spain—another charity, consulate, or government organisation.

### ***Local Support Services***

Locally, we offer Home and Hospital Visits, as well as Telephone Buddies or Technical Buddies (using social media) we also provide Bereavement Support and can support you with our Branch Standard Bearer and arrange for a bugler should you wish. These individuals are here to support you, so please make use of our services.

Our group is dedicated to helping at the local level, providing support during periods of loss, loneliness, or changes in circumstance—whether temporary or permanent. All assistance is totally confidential. When we visit you at home or in hospital, we can bring a small gift valued up to £50. This may be a one-off or offered multiple times, depending on your situation, this helps with items you may need whilst in hospital, such as a phone charger, newspapers, magazines.

### ***Assistance with Benefits***

We can also assist you with applications for UK benefits, particularly attendance allowance, which is up to approximately €500 per month should your application be authorised.

Our support is free of charge, whereas others may charge a flat rate or a percentage of the money you receive which is often substantial amounts and may not be fully explained at the time.

We can also assist with accessing local social services. These services are available to residents who have lived here for five years or longer.

### ***Listening and Befriending***

We are here to listen and support or befriend you, according to your wishes.

### ***Branch Advocacy and Ideas***

If you have suggestions on how the Branch could operate or activities you would like to see, please let us know. This is your Branch, and no idea is too small, BCS can act as your advocate if that would help.

### ***Contact Information***

My telephone number is +34 711 060 500 and I am available via WhatsApp. If I am unable to answer the phone, I will return your call please just leave a short message with your contact details. My availability is Monday to Friday, between 11:00 and 14:00 hrs.

### ***Emergency Assistance***

If you require urgent assistance, please contact the emergency services and ask for an English-speaking operator if necessary.

### ***Spain District North Contact***

Billie Graham-Thomas is the Coordinator for the Legion in Spain District North and can also be contacted at +34 676 451 780, available Monday to Friday from 10:00 to 16:00 hrs.

### ***UK Call Centre***

The UK Call Centre is available every day from 08:00 to 20:00 hrs, ready to help and connect you to the correct service.

*Yours Sincerely,*  
*Pam*

**Attachment 3**  
**Forecast of Events**  
**Dated 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>REMARKS</b>
13 May 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
14 May 26	37 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Lunch	Asia Jardin	13:00 Hrs	Book in vis Facebook or John and Brenda
19 May 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
19 May 26	General Branch Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
10 Jun 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
16 Jun 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
16 Jun 26	General Branch Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
27 Jun 26	Armed Forces Day	Torre Vieja	18:00 hrs	All Members
08 Jul 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
21 Jul 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
21 Jul 26	General Branch Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
12 Aug 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
18 Aug 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
18 Aug 26	General Branch Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
09 Sep 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends

15 Sep 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
15 Sep 26	General Branch Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
14 Oct 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
20 Oct 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
20 Oct 26	Annual General Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
08 Nov 26	Remembrance Sunday	Torre Vieja	10:00 hrs	All Members
04 Nov 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
11 Nov 26	Armistice Day	Torre Vieja	10:00 hrs	All Members
11 Nov 26	Armistice Day Lunch	TBC	14:30 hrs	All Members
17 Nov 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
17 Nov 26	Annual General Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
09 Dec 26	AF&VBC - Breakfast	Silverstones, Montebello	10:30 hrs for 11:00 hrs	AF&VBC Members/Family/Friends
15 Dec 26	Committee Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	15:00 hrs	Committee Members
15 Dec 26	Annual General Meeting	Oasis, San Luis	17:00 hrs	All Members
19 Dec 26	Branch Christmas Lunch	TBC	TBC	All Members