

# Hertfordshire Cadet Forces RBL Parade 2026

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On 13 September 2026 – Hertfordshire's Cadet Forces came together with the Royal British Legion for the first ever Hertfordshire Cadet Forces RBL Parade, held at Haileybury College and reviewed by the Lord Lieutenant of Hertfordshire.

The parade saw 116 cadets and 15 staff drawn from youth organisations across the county march in front of dignitaries, VIPs and members of the public, marking a significant moment of collaboration between the county's cadet forces and the wider community.

Following the parade, guests including VIPs, dignitaries and cadet leaders attended a networking event held to explore the importance of working together as a wider community. The event was designed to meet three key objectives:

1. To inform the younger generation of the work and importance of the Royal British Legion.
2. To allow Cadet Forces, secondary schools and the Royal British Legion to network and build stronger working relationships.
3. To support recruitment into both the Royal British Legion and the Cadet Forces.

Discussions at the networking event centred on how schools, cadet organisations and the Legion can continue to work together to inspire young people, strengthen ties across the county and ensure the values and history represented by the Royal British Legion continue to be understood by the next generation.

A massive thank you goes to Haileybury College, the Royal British Legion, and the Hertfordshire Lieutenancy for their support in making the event possible. Their contribution, alongside the commitment shown by every cadet, member of staff and volunteer on the day, was instrumental in the parade's success.

With the first Hertfordshire Cadet Forces Parade now complete, the County Committee is already looking ahead to 2027, with plans underway to build on this year's achievement and grow the event further.

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*For more information about the Hertfordshire Cadet Forces Parade, please contact the Hertfordshire County Committee.*