



The Royal Green Jackets Regimental Association
South East Kent Branch
HQ: Dover Sea Angling Club

Meeting Date: 25th September 2014

Branch Meeting Minutes

Meeting open:

Present:

G. Ternant R. Newman G. Nash F. Barrett B. Barrett T. Love H. Love
J. Barrett R. Seabrook J. Clayton B. Smith S. Milson R. Ashton D. Ivatt

Apologies: Brigadier James Plastow. CBE. The Revd Kevin Garrett BA. Dip. Theol.

A. Redman T. Redman J. Frackleton G. Sayell T. Killelay

Previous minutes

Committee meeting minutes read as Branch Minutes not taken (Secretary absent from last branch meeting)

Matters arising from last meeting

None

Treasurer's report

Barb gave us a run down on our accounts, the balance is standing at £3,606p plus £115 given to Barb by Andy Redman just before the meeting started.

Membership report

72 Paid up members, 4 honorariums, 9 not paid up members.

Update on events

Remembrance Parade Sunday 9th November

1. Of the RGJ badged Poppies that John Cleaves organised only 3 remaining but a lot of demand generated selling at £10 each, 20 on order.
2. Confirmation that the Union Flag will be flown by Dover Council
3. Padre to take service at KRRC memorial after main parade.
4. Jim has ordered 2 wreaths at £21 each (increase on last year)
5. Tommy and George to liaise with council reference wreath laying protocols

Christmas Party at the Town Hall Dover on 29th November 2014

1. Centre pieces for tables ordered 17 in all £5 - £7 (to be sold on the night)
2. Fred to organise 2 Ghurkha buglers for the night, they will be centre stage for photographs and at the entrance to the room when we arrive.
3. Tickets are available at £10 each from the committee

BBQ at the Cricketers on 27th June 2015

BBQ at the Cricketers, Crabble, 1200 – late

Carlo will be providing the music, in house catering and hoping for the re-enactment group to stage a presence, this is a just turn up event and last year it proved a resounding success. The BBQ is £6.50 per adult (with £1 per adult meal being donated by the organisers to the association) and children £4. There is a wet weather programme but hopefully we will not require to use it. There will be raffles and please feel free to bring and donate items for the raffle, but most of all this is a family and friends just turn up and have a great day event.

Summer Ball (Venue TBC) September 2015

This event has yet to be planned and will be reported on as and when.

Social Evenings 2015 at the Dover Sea Angling Club

These Social evenings are informal meets with games and sandwiches held on a Saturday night from 1900 – till late? The drinks are cheaper than in a pub and your mates are here.

February 21st,

May 16th,

August 5th

December 12th

Proposals

1. Glenn Proposed that a sum not less than £96 be made available to George for the purchase of 100 Branch Christmas cards, these cards to be sent to all members and to include a sheet detailing the events for 2015 and contact numbers so that members do not have to visit web sites for their information. George Nash seconded, carried unanimously.

AOB

1. The Branch would like to thank John Cleaves for supplying RGJ car mounted poppies at £5.80 apiece which we have sold for £10 each and have ordered 20 more.
2. The Branch would also like to thank Dave Ivatt for his generosity in giving Gifts and Donations for our functions.
3. After discussion the present for the free ticket raffle will be a gold plated watch.

4. A 19"x3' Acetate sign made to stick to the inside of a window at the club is being made instead of the Plaque we initially wanted, this is because of strict planning laws that make such requests very difficult to pass.
5. The RGJ central accounts were requested to be posted on our website by a member.
6. R Seabrook wanted to inform members that there is a company in Corby that sell green Jackets at £140 each, supply the buttons and badge and they will sew on free.

Meeting Closed: 2010 hours

Meeting dates

	Committee	Branch
November	20 th	27 th

2015 Meetings

March	19 th	26 th
June	18 th	25 th
September	17 th	24 th
December	5 th	12 th