

Minutes from meeting 24 Sep 2015

The meeting opened at 1935 hours.

The Chairman announced that we had a new President, Lt Col Rodney Gray who is still serving and based at Shorncliffe. The Chairman wrote to the previous President and thanked him for his work, despite him living a long way away from the Branch.

The Chairman also mentioned that a lot of the members know the new President, but as he is still serving can we please respect this and address him as Colonel.

Apologises: Lt Col R Gray, Padre and Bob Newman

Minutes from Previous meeting: There was no minutes from the previous meeting, therefore these was not read out.

Treasurer: £5,270.00 in the bank

56 Paid members with 4 honorary

Forthcoming Events

Charity Event

17 Oct 15. Gary Discoll (Ex 2 and 4 RGJ) will be holding Charity event (£10) a ticket in the Blue Bird Club, Dover in aid of Help the Hero.

Members are meeting in the Sea Angling club at 1900 and will move to the Blue Bird club as a group.

Horse Guards 2 Jun 16

The Band and Bugles will be playing on Horse Guards Parade.

The branch is looking into hiring a coach to go up to London. Members will have first options of the seats then followed by friends and families.

The branch is intending to pay for the coach.

Remembrance Sunday

Sea Angling Club will open at 0900

Meet at 1015

After the main parade proceed to the KRRC memorial to hold a service and lay a wreath

Back to the Sea Angling club for some refreshments (including food)

Dover Express will be represented throughout along with Anita Lockett our photograph.

Christmas Party

The Christmas Draw will take place on Saturday 28 November 2015 in Dover Town Hall commencing at 1900 until 0030.

Tickets will be £10 each (same price as last year) and available from the committee. The venue requires confirmed numbers by the second week in November.

Chicken and chips in a basket will be served to the tables.

There will be a raffle of 10 prizes and an auction of 3 lots.

The hall will be laid out with 16 tables each table holding 12 people. Each table will be decorated with place mats, a runner and have a flower centre piece and balloons.

Timings:	1900	Arrive	
	2030	Food served	
	2045	Raffle	
	2220 – 2245	Raffle / Auction	
Entertainment:	1900 – 2100	Carlos	
	2100 – 2220	Gold Top	(Group)
	2245 - 0030	Gold Top	

Christmas Party 2016

The Christmas Party will be held on Saturday 26 November 2016 in Dover Town Hall.

Miscellaneous

It was agreed that Christmas Cards will be sent to other Branch's this year as well as all members with an itinerary of events for next year.

The Chairman has encouraged members to advertise on their Facebook accounts our forthcoming events and membership fees.

Proposals

Proposed by: Glen Ternent
Seconded by: Tommy Love

That 200 place mats be purchased for the Christmas draw

Carried

Proposed by: Glen Ternent
Seconded by: George Nash

That the sum of £400 be spent on raffle prizes for the Christmas draw

Carried

Proposed by: Tommy Love
Seconded by: Glen Ternent

The Branch invites the Mayor of Dover and Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports to the Christmas party

Carried