



Royal Military Police Association Hull & East Riding Branch



Minutes of the Branch Meeting Held on Wednesday 3rd April 2024

Members Present: Andy Nelson Plews (ANP); Peter Watson (PW); Brain Alddicott (BA) Alison Sayell (AS); Jon Wild (JW);

Apologies: Bob Hare (BH); David Kennedy (DK); Bernie Robinson (BR); Phil Cohen (PC); Steve Johnson (SJ); Jason McCoubrey (JM); Jim Savage (JS); Fred Hemmerman (FH); Rachel Love (RL); Dan Joyce (DJ);

Not Present: Shane Harle (SH); James Nylan (JN); Paul DeLay (PD); Paul Clark (PC2); Paul Calderwood (PC3); Sandra Robinson (SR); Daz Young (DY);

Agenda for February 2024's Meeting

1. Remembrance
2. Members Present/Apologies Received
3. Minutes of the Previous Branch Meeting
4. Matters Arising
5. Communications
6. Reports
 - 6.1. CESA
 - 6.2. Standard Bearer
7. Social Events
8. Any Other Business
9. Close of Meeting & Date of Next Meeting

1. Meeting opened at 20.02hrs. AP gave an introduction and gave the act of remembrance and welcomed the members present.
2. Members Present/Apologies Received – ANP thanked all who were in attendance, apologies received from SJ, JS, PC, BR.
3. Minutes of the previous meeting – BA proposed that the minutes where an accurate record of the meeting, AS seconded.
4. Matters arising – None
5. Communications –
 - 5.1 We received an email from the National Secretary giving notice of the death of two former Major's of the Corps, these are included in the communications in these minutes.
 - 5.2 The AGM this Saturday will be streamed live on Zoom for the first time. Details of how to access this Zoom meeting have already been added to our Facebook page.
6. Reports
 - 6.1 CESA – AS forwarded the minutes from the latest CESA| meeting:

6.1.1 13th April – Unveiling of a plaque and bench at Pickering Park, Hull for Roy Gibson. 10.30hrs attendance for 10.00hrs start.

6.1.2 14th April – Freedom of the City Parade

6.1.3 6th June – 80th Anniversary of D-Day will be held at the Hull Cenotaph. 10.30hrs attendance for 11.00hrs start.

6.1.4 29th June – Armed Forces Day – Scarborough & Prince's Key Hull

6.2 Standard Bearer – ANP did not carry the Branch Standard during March.

7. Social Events –

7.1 Next social meet up – 25th May – Old Town – details to follow, expect an early afternoon start.

8. Any Other Business –

8.1 Armed Forced Day – Hull. AS asked whether we would be attending and putting on a display for this event. PW stated that we need further information before we commit. i.e. will it cost to attend? What facilities are being made available for us? Is there any welfare facilities for us?

8.2 Website – PW confirmed that the website domain and service has been renewed at no cost. A general discussion was had regarding the website and the general consensus was that it is being under used. Any members who have any ideas regarding the website, or any content, photos etc, should speak to the Branch Secretary.

9. The time being 21.05hrs and there being no further business, the meeting was closed by ANP. The next Branch Meeting will be held on Wednesday 1st May 2024 at 20.00hrs at the Manor Farm Public House, 194 Willerby Rd, Hull HU5 5JW. Members as usual, can meet up from 18.00hrs for food and drink.

Agenda for May's Meeting

1. Remembrance
2. Members Present/Apologies Received
3. Minutes of the Previous Branch Meeting
4. Matters Arising
5. Communications
6. Reports
 - 6.1. CESA
 - 6.2. Standard Bearer
 - 6.3. Corps Journal Correspondent
7. Social Events
8. Any Other Business
9. Close of Meeting & Date of Next Meeting

Dates for diaries:-

Wednesday 1st May 2024

Branch Meeting – Manor Farm, Willerby Road, Hull.

Saturday 1st June 2024

Annual RMP Memorial Day – National Memorial Arboretum

Wednesday 5th June 2024

Branch Meeting – Manor Farm, Willerby Road, Hull.

Wednesday 3rd July 2024

Branch Meeting – Manor Farm, Willerby Road, Hull.

Communications Received – March 2024



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6th March 2024

Dear Friends and colleagues,

It is my sad duty to inform you that Major Peter Brock passed away at his home in Cornwall on March 4th. He was 85.

After service with the British South Africa Police, Peter attended Mons Officer Cadet School in 1968, and was gazetted to the Corps of Royal Military Police in April 1969. Subsequently, he saw service in the UK including Northern Ireland and in Germany. Periods in Command included 176 Provost Company in Londonderry and London District Provost Company. A proud Cornishman, Peter was also a very capable cricketer who played for the Corps.

Peter leaves a daughter, Lisa, and a son and former Army Officer, Sean, his wife having predeceased him.

Letters of condolence may be sent to his son:

Sean Brock

17, Cynder Way
Emersons Green
Bristol. BS16 7BT.

Yours sincerely,

J T Green OBE
Colonel
Regimental Secretary

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Dear Friends and colleagues,

It is my sad duty to inform you that Major John Wilson passed away on February 20th. He was 83 and his funeral has taken place.

Enlisting in the Royal Military Police in 1961, John enjoyed a full career in the ranks, serving in the United Kingdom, including Northern Ireland, Cyprus, and in Germany. On Commissioning, John would go on to command the Central Volunteer Headquarters at Roussillon Barracks. He retired from the Active List in 1995.

John leaves a widow and three sons: Andrw who served with the Royal Air Force; James who served with the Royal Corps of Signals; and Simon ("Sid"), who is an officer serving with the Royal Engineers.

Letters of condolence may be sent to his widow:

Liz Wilson

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Worcestershire. WR9 8UE.

Yours sincerely,

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