



BROADSIDE

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Editorial



Welcome to 2024! The NVN Editorial Team wishes all our readers a happy, healthy and entertaining new year. In relation to the “entertaining” part of the previous sentence, this edition of Broadside will give you some ideas on options that could enliven your social program without too much effort throughout the year. It’s as easy as “A/B/C”:

A. FREE MUSIC:

If you like music, why not pop-in to listen to the hugely talented **Melbourne Detachment of the RAN Band** at their regular (usually monthly) matinee or evening “Soundwaves Concerts” in the old Cinema Building at HMAS *Cerberus*? Or if you aren’t able to travel all the way down to Crib Point, why not try the equally amazing tri-Service trainee band at the **Defence Force School of Music (DFSMS)** located in the Simpson Barracks (in Macleod) at their regular (usually monthly) morning “At Home Concerts”?

Join NOW
Membership is FREE



Scan the code
or

[Click here to go to
the Registration page](#)

Events Calendar

(see [Calendar](#) for full details)



- 10 Feb - 1100 - HMAS Voyager Service - Shrine, Sanctuary**
- 11 Feb - 1200 - National Servicemen’s Association Service - Shrine, Western Precinct**
- 11 Feb - 1100 - POW Memorial Service - POW Memorial, Ballarat**
- 15 Feb - 1000 - ex-Prisoners of War & Relatives Assoc. Service - Shrine, Sanctuary**
- 19 Feb - 1000 - Darwin Defenders Commemoration - Shrine 2nd World War Forecourt**
- 01 Mar - 0900 - Father of the Navy Service - Brighton Cemetery**
- 01 Mar - 1100 - HMAS Perth & USS Houston Service - Shrine, Sanctuary**
- 03 Mar - 1000-1600 - HMAS Cerberus Open Day**

Both these Bands have an excellent repertoire of music, from classical and operatic, through to jazz, modern rock and everything in between... including stirring marching music and anthems. And don't despair if you live in the far reaches of Victoria and can't travel to any of these regular recitals in the city or on the Mornington Peninsula. As the Melbourne Detachment of the RAN Band often travels to regional centres throughout the State to perform at significant community and commemorative events, it is worth checking their website regularly to see if they're planning to visit a town near you.

Although neither of these Bands have promulgated their free concert recital dates and times for 2024 yet (these are normally advertised on their websites in late January or early February), the NVN Team recommends you take the time right now to include the following URL "Links" in your web-browser "Favourites" and then also put a note in your diaries for late January and early February to "click" on these Links to have a look at their recital programs for the year:

Link for the RAN Band (Melbourne Detachment) "Soundwaves" Matinee (2pm) and Evening (7pm) Recitals at HMAS Cerberus:
<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1136084>

Link for the RAN Band (Melbourne Detachment) lists of upcoming "Community Engagement" Concerts throughout Victoria:
<https://www.navy.gov.au/about/organisation/navy-band/appearances>

Link for the Defence Force School of Music (DFSM) "At Home" morning (10.30am) Concerts at Simpson Barracks:
<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1137079>

Or scan the following QR Code:



The NVN Team will endeavour to include the dates, times and locations of all the "Soundwaves", "At Home" and "Community Engagement" Band Recitals and Concerts in the Calendar of Events on the NVN website. All of the other information you require to book and gain access to HMAS Cerberus or Simpson Barracks is listed on the relevant "trybooking" site.

05 Mar - 1100 - HMAS Yarra (II) Commemorative Service - HMAS Yarra (II) National Memorial, The Strand, Newport, Vic.

06 Mar - 1230 - Creswell Oration - Waverley RSL

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Latest Videos, Podcasts and News Headlines

Keep up to date on all the news by visiting our website:

<https://navyvic.net>

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VIDEOS.....

- *HMAS Warramunga Departs on Regional Presence Deployment*
- *Welcome to my crib - Submarine Special*
- *ADV Cape Peron Tour*
- *Naval Slang (Jack-Speak) Pt. 3*
- *2 Navy SEALs missing off Somalia coast were on a nighttime boarding mission*
- *HMAS Brisbane 48 Hour Challenge Charity Row*
- *Naval Slang (Jack-Speak) Pt. 2*

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NEWS shorts.....

HMAS Warramunga (II) has departed on Australian Navy's first Regional Presence Deployment of the year in South and Northeast Asia. The crew will be conducting training, exercises and other engagements that enhance our relationships with our regional partners and allies.

Yemen's Iran-backed Houthi rebels launched a missile Friday at the Navy destroyer Carney as it patrolled the Gulf of Aden, forcing it to shoot down the projectile, the U.S. military said Friday. The attack on the warship marks a further escalation in the biggest confrontation at sea the Navy has seen in the Middle East in decades.

B. DISCOUNTED TICKETS TO SPORTING EVENTS, CONCERTS, SHOWS, THEME PARKS, ZOOS, MUEUMS:

However, if you're more interested in cheap tickets to attend sporting events, concerts, shows and recreational activities throughout Australia, the NVN Team highly recommends that you sign-up for an account on the **Navy Canteens Ticketing** website. This personalized entertainment booking service aims to make entertainment more accessible and affordable to all serving and retired Australian Defence Force personnel and their families.

Click on the following link to register for an account on the Navy Canteens Ticketing website:

<https://thenavysanchorage.com.au/ticketing/sign-up/>

Please note that you will need to provide details of your old "Service Number" or (for the current Serving and more recently retired Navy personnel) your "PMKeys Number".

To obtain tickets from Navy Canteens Ticketing, follow these steps:

- 1) Click on the following Link:
<https://thenavysanchorage.com.au/ticketing/>
- 2) **Browse Events:** Explore the available entertainment options. You'll find discounted tickets for various events, including sports matches, concerts, theatre performances, theme parks, zoos, museums and more.
- 3) **Select Event:** Choose the event you're interested in attending. Check the event details, date, and venue. Some of the Events require you to contact the Defence Ticketing Coordinator on 0457 595 018 to book. Others allow you to purchase tickets on-line via the "cart" in the top right-hand corner. If so:
- 4) **Purchase Tickets:** Add the desired number of tickets to your cart and proceed to checkout. You may need to provide your military identification or relevant details during the booking process.
- 5) **Payment:** Make the payment using the available payment methods. The discounted rates should be automatically applied.
- 6) **Confirmation:** Once the transaction is complete, you'll receive a confirmation email or ticket. Keep this safe, as it will serve as your entry pass to the event.

Australia Defence Force personnel have been recognised for devotion to duty during natural disasters, strategic innovation and professional mastery in the Australia Day Honours and Awards for 2024.

Work to make a guided missile destroyer more capable and reliable were just some of more than 100 improvements overseen by an engineering officer honoured in this year's Australia Day awards. received a Conspicuous Service Medal for prioritising and managing projects to improve HMAS Brisbane's operational effectiveness and rectifying urgent safety issues, such as producing strategies for managing potable water systems, occupational noise exposure and adherence to isolations policy.

When Chief Petty Officer Gillian Bryant stepped up to act in a lieutenant commander's role, she could walk the walk, but found it hard to talk the talk. "Officers don't tend to communicate the same way as senior sailors or junior ranks, so I softened my edges to allow communication up and down," Chief Petty Officer Bryant said. "I think it's made me a better senior sailor, knowing how to approach those conversations that can sometimes be difficult.

The Royal Navy took scientists on an Antarctic research mission to analyse the increasing impact of tourism and climate change on the frozen continent. HMS Protector was joined by two University of Portsmouth researchers who collected water and rock samples as the first phase of the ice breaker's annual polar mission took her from the Falkland Islands south along the western edge of the Antarctic Peninsula.

The Ticonderoga-class guided missile-cruiser USS Antietam (CG

C. DISCOUNTED TICKETS TO THE MOVIES AND DISCOUNTED MEMBERSHIP OF SPORTING CLUBS:

Holders of a DVA Gold, Orange or White Card can often receive concessions (upon presentation of their card) when purchasing tickets to the Movies at some of the main Cinema chains (eg. Hoyts, Village, IMAX). DVA card-holders may also be able to obtain discounted membership fees for a range of sporting clubs (eg. AFL, NRL, NBL, Soccer, Cricket) or tickets to sporting events (eg. the Australian Tennis Open).

Irrespective of whether our readers are members of APOD (see July 2023 Broadside Newsletter for an explanation of the benefits of joining), anybody can use the following URL link to see the APOD's comprehensive list of "Concessions" that are available to DVA Card Holders: <https://apod.com.au/defence-discounts/>

Choices! Choices! Choices! The NVN Team encourages all our readers to make the most of the numerous entertainment options and benefits (listed above) that your service in the ADF entitles you and your families to.

OUR JANUARY HERO



Rear Admiral Sir David James MARTIN KCMG AO RAN

Having served in the RAN from 1947 to 1988; having commanded HMA Ships Queenborough, Torrens, Supply and Melbourne; and having been appointed Chief of Naval Personnel (1982-1984), Flag Officer Naval Support Command (1984-1988) and Governor of New South Wales (1989-1990), many of our older readers will probably have fond memories of any encounters they had with this truly remarkable and very likable Navy Hero. To reminisce or to learn more about this "Man of Courage and Devotion", please click on the attached link to our Navy Heroes article: <https://navyvic.net/heroes/martin.html>

Our commemorative program at the Shrine of Remembrance

HMAS Voyager

10 February 2024 – 11:00 am

A wreath laying to honour the service and sacrifice of those aboard

54) departed Yokosuka, Japan, Jan. 26 to transit to its new homeport of Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, as part of a planned rotation of forces in the Pacific. *Antietam* arrived on station at Yokosuka Naval Base in February 2013 to support operations within the U.S. 7th Fleet area of operations.

Sea Darts returned to the Royal Navy inventory for a day as two of the world's top players dropped in on HMS Lancaster. After the busiest month in her 32-year career, the frigate sailed into base in Bahrain to give her 180 (ish) crew a welcome break – which coincided with the kingdom hosting the Professional Darts Corporation's Bahrain Darts Masters.

Rear Admiral Sonya Bennett, who was previously Deputy Chief Medical Officer in the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care and Director General Navy Health Reserves, took over as Surgeon General ADF (SGADF) and Commander Joint Health (CJHLTH) in December, and said she was looking forward to a productive and rewarding role.

The Navy destroyer USS *Gravelly* shot down two anti-ship ballistic missiles Wednesday in the Gulf of Aden fired by Iranian-backed Houthi rebels in Yemen, according to U.S. Central Command.

The December AUKUS Defence Ministers meeting in San Francisco has reinforced the importance of advanced undersea warfare capabilities as a key element of the agreement's Pillar 2. A particular focus was the role of autonomous systems at sea – on and under the waves – together with AI in responding to future undersea threats.

When the wind is strong enough to rip the sails from a yacht, courage

This service recognises the ships that have borne the name HMAS *Voyager*, and those who have served on them.

Service to be held in the Sanctuary.

Watch the livestream: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7kfNkRfcXhA>

National Servicemen's Association

11 February 2024 – 12:00PM

A wreath laying to honour the service and sacrifice of those who undertook National Service.

Service held Western Precinct, Shrine of Remembrance

Ex-Prisoners of War and Relatives Association

A wreath laying to honour the service and sacrifice of all those who have been prisoners of war.

Thursday, 15 February 2024 10:00 am to 10:30 am

Sanctuary, Shrine of Remembrance

Watch the live stream: <https://youtu.be/94XwIzhUm0o>

Darwin Defenders Commemoration

A wreath laying to honour the service and sacrifice of all those who took part in the defence of Darwin.

Monday, 19 February 2024 10:00 am to 11:00 am

Second World War Forecourt, Shrine of Remembrance

Watch on live stream: <https://youtu.be/d3GUmHeGElo>

HMAS Perth National Association, Victorian Branch

A wreath laying to honour the service and sacrifice of those aboard HMAS Perth.

Saturday, 2 March 2024 11:00 am to 11:30 am

Sanctuary, Shrine of Remembrance

Watch on live stream: <https://youtu.be/HycSPI4pmws>

For information on all Shrine ceremonies:

Phone: 03 9661 8100

Email: ceremonies@shrine.org.au

Yours Aye!

NVN Team



If you know of any of our Navy family who has crossed the bar and don't appear on our list below or Memorial Wall on our website, please don't hesitate to [contact us](#). If possible, list their Rank, Name, Number, the date of their passing and their age.

† CPOQMG B. Kimmins, R27920, 20 January 2024. Aged 95.

† ERA R.C. Roots, R43439, January 2024. Aged 72.

† STOKER N.O.L. Phillips, W2712, January 2024. Aged 99.

comes from the little things. That's what Sydney to Hobart first-timer Able Seaman Olivia Hughes discovered last month when she sailed the famed ocean race aboard Navy One — the RAN Sailing Association's 40-foot yacht.

Commander Rose Apikotoa recently became the first Australian of Tongan heritage to take a Navy command role, as the Commanding Officer of HMAS Moreton. A ceremony and cultural performance in Moreton's heritage warehouse marked the event, attended by members of the Pacific Islander community from south-east Queensland and the ship's crew of Moreton.

Canberra's Defense Science and Technology Group (DSTG) and Japan's Acquisition Technology and Logistics Agency will team up for an "inaugural project" that will "contribute to strategic capabilities in undersea communication and interoperability between Australia and Japan."

Amid Red Sea clashes, Navy leaders ask: Where are our ship lasers?

The US Navy identified the two SEALs who died following a boarding mission in the Arabian Sea earlier this month. Navy Special Warfare Operator 1st Class Christopher Chambers, 37, and Navy Special Warfare Operator 2nd Class Nathan Ingram, 27, went missing during a mission to board a stateless dhow.

North Korea carried out a test of its Haeil-5-23 underwater nuclear weapon system in the Sea of Japan in response to trilateral naval drills conducted by the U.S., Japan and South Korea in the East China Sea, North Korea's Defense Ministry said on Friday.

- † CPOFC K.S. Casas, R54216, 16 January 2024. Aged 84.
- † CPOETS M. O'Neill, 16 January 2024. Aged 70.
- † VADM I.W. Knox, January 2024. Aged 90.
- † CPOMTP R.L. Funston, R54445, 13 January 2024. Aged 83.
- † ABUC P.J. Aylmer, R67076, 04 January 2024. Aged 73.
- † POCOX A. Leslie, 01 January 2024.
- † LSCOX G. Roach, 01 January 2024.
- † LEMWR L.R. Figg, R62259, 31 December 2023. Aged 77.
- † CPOSV R.L. Begent, R55903, 25 December 2023. Aged 83.
- † CMDR C.P.W. Fitzgerald Barr, 22 December 2023. Aged 73.
- † CMDR G.H. Lovell, 19 December 2023. Aged 93.
- † LSRP D. Tyrell-Clarke, R95835, 27 December 2023. Aged 73.
- † LSUW R. Filmer, R57385, 18 December 2023. Aged 85.
- † POCIS K. Fitzgerald, 18 October 2023. Aged 52.
- † WOQMG D.W. Powell, R94099, 24 September 2023. Aged 76.

All of the above names now appear on the special [Memorial Wall](#) on our website.

Lest We Forget

REUNIONS

RANKIN – October 1966 – Reunion (58th Anniversary)

In every man's life, there is a moment, a time that stands out above all else. A moment that shapes, defines, and even redefines us. For those of us lucky enough to be part of the Rankin October 1966 intake at HMAS Cerberus, that moment took place on the hallowed grounds of that establishment.

On the weekend of October 18th-21st, 2024, those listed in that year's intake and their partners are invited and encouraged to attend our annual 58th reunion.

At the 57th in Coffs Harbour it was agreed to hold the 58th at the birthplace of our journey, HMAS Cerberus and the Hastings/Frankston localities.

Further details can be found on the group Facebook group, "RANKIN OCT 66 REUNION"

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/261872548771680/?ref=share>

or

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After the US Navy's Task Force 59 identifies an unmanned system it wants to use in the Middle East, it's up to one of the service's newest Task Groups, 59.1, to bring that tech into the "operational realm" so it can be used in real-world ops, according to 59.1's chief.

Royal Navy sailors from HMS Protector are taking meticulous steps to avoid spreading dangerous bird flu to remote penguin colonies as the ice breaker carries out scientific and conservation work in Antarctica.

Lawmakers are warning the Biden administration not to disrupt the procurement plans for the Virginia-class attack boat program, arguing doing so will hobble the AUKUS partnership.

A team of Royal Navy submariners today arrived in Antigua having won the world's toughest rowing race: 3,000 miles across the Atlantic.

An anti-ship cruise missile fired by Iran-backed Houthi rebels in Yemen toward the Navy destroyer Laboon was taken out by a U.S. fighter jet Sunday, according to U.S. Central Command.

A Houthi-launched anti-ship ballistic missile struck a U.S.-owned container ship Monday in the Red Sea, U.S. Central Command announced.

A review into Australia's procurement of the Hunter-class frigate has found serious issues with the procurement process that led to the BAE Systems Type 26 design being selected for the Royal Australian Navy's future frigates.

British D-Day veteran Bill Gladden turned 100 on Saturday, a day after his niece threw a surprise birthday party for him.

Ops Room Association Reunion WA 2024

Venue: The Esplanade Hotel - Fremantle.

Address: - 54 Marine Terrace Fremantle Western Australia 6160

Phone: (08 9432 4000)

Dates: Friday 18th October 2024 – Sunday 20th October 2024.

For full details and costs, go to their website:

<https://www.opsroomassociation.org.au/>



Commemoration of the Centenary of the Visit of the British Special Service Squadron to Melbourne 1924



In March 1924 a fleet of Royal Navy ships visited Australia as part of a world-wide goodwill cruise. The largest battleship in the world (HMS Hood) was accompanied by HMS Repulse and four light cruisers. Melbourne, then the nation's capital, hosted the fleet from 17th – 24th March. The visit was a sensation with over 500,000 visitors to the ships, an RAAF flyover, ceremonial marches, dinners, dances and fireworks.



British Fleet met by Couta boats from the Queenscliff Fishing Fleet as it enters Port Phillip Heads at dawn during the visit to Australia. [National Library of Australia]

Melbourne Maritime Heritage Network together with the Royal United Services Institute of Victoria will commemorate this centenary by a free talk and exhibition at the Shrine of Remembrance at 2 pm on Tuesday 19th March 2024. The speaker will be Major General (Retd) Michael O'Brien. All are welcome.

This event is supported by Military History and Heritage Victoria, the Naval Historical Society of Australia (Victoria)

Three Royal Australian Navy Officers graduated the U.S. Navy's Nuclear Power Training Unit (NPTU) Charleston today, marking a significant step in Australia's goal to operate conventionally armed, nuclear-powered attack submarines (SSNs).

Iran's navy captured an oil tanker Thursday in the Gulf of Oman that only months earlier had seen its cargo of Iranian oil seized by the United States over sanctions linked to Tehran's nuclear program, further escalating the tensions gripping the Mideast's waterways.

The debate over the US request for Australia to send a warship to support the US-led maritime coalition protecting shipping in the Red Sea from Yemen-based Houthi forces has given pundits an opportunity to push various barrows.

The chief of naval operations, Adm. Lisa Franchetti, said Tuesday the service must "get more players on the field" as international crises demand more of the naval force, in her first major address since taking the helm of the Navy two months ago.

Royal Navy warship HMS Richmond is Gulf-bound to support the international effort protecting shipping. The frigate will stand in for HMS Diamond and HMS Lancaster when either vessel needs to break off patrols for re-supply or maintenance.

Artificial Intelligence (AI) has the potential to deter, shape and change the character of warfare. It presents great potential in the civilian and military domains.

BAE Systems was awarded a contract by the Commonwealth of Australia to upgrade existing Mk 45

The Australian Navy Foundation Day Organising Committee



Navy League of Australia, Naval Officers Club, Naval Association of Australia & Naval Historical Society of Australia Victoria Chapter presents the

22nd Annual "CRESWELL ORATION"

Wednesday 6 March 2024, 1230 for 1300

GUEST SPEAKER: Commodore Greg Yorke AM CSC RAN
Senior Naval Officer Victoria



Commodore Greg Yorke has served in numerous operational and strategic roles across the RAN, including two most successful Commands, HMAS Gladstone in 1990 to 1992 and as the commissioning Commanding Officer, HMAS Arunta from 1998 until 2000.

He was awarded a Conspicuous Service Cross for his leadership role as Chief Staff Officer (Operations) Maritime Headquarters during Operation Falconer (Iraq 2) in 2003. He transferred to the Active Reserve in 2006 and commenced a second career as a Management Consultant where he has undertaken many and varying roles, while remaining engaged with the RAN undertaking Reserve tasking. He was promoted to Commodore in June 2016 and assumed a full-time position within the Navy Strategic Command. Greg was later appointed as the Senior Naval Officer Victoria commencing on 1 January 2018, a position he retains today. He was awarded as a Member of the Order of Australia in the 2022 Queen's Birthday Honours. Greg holds a Master of Business Administration (Project Management) and a Master of Arts (Strategic Studies).

Reference: About | Melbourne Maritime Heritage Network (<https://mmhn.org.au>)

MASTER OF CEREMONIES - Captain Andrew Mackinnon CSC RAN (Rtd)

Location: WAVERLEY RSL Sunset Room, 161 Coleman Parade, Glen Waverley.

Dress & Medals: Uniform S7, Jacket/Day dress, Decorations & Medals to be worn.

Transport: The Glen Waverley Train Station is directly opposite the RSL.

Parking: Available at the RSL and the car park opposite.

Disabled Facilities: Disabled parking at the RSL. There is a ramp lift to the Sunset Room.

Cost: \$47 for mains & dessert with a glass of wine.

All Enquiries: NLA Vic-Tas Division, Tel: 0422 746 305, Email: navictasdiv@gmail.com

Australian Navy Foundation Day – 22nd CRESWELL ORATION 2024

Payment: \$47 per person. Please pay by 1 March 2024.

Cheques/Money orders to P O Box 314, Bentleigh Vic 3204

or EFT to Navy League of Aust Vic Tas Division

Bendigo Bank Glen Waverley

BSB: 633 000

Account No: 170992929

Please include SURNAME

Mod 2 naval gun systems on Anzac class frigates with a Common Control System (CCS).

As the builder of the U.S. Navy's new Constellation frigates tries to ramp up schedules in Wisconsin, it is sending in the robots.

A new \$1.6 million state government funded project will help to boost the Royal Australian Navy's undersea surveillance capability.

Indian Navy commandos secured the hijacked Liberian-flagged MV Lila Norfolk last week after a 24-hour confrontation off the Somali Coast in the Arabian Sea.

In a rare move, Houthi rebels launched an unmanned surface vessel "packed with explosives" into the Red Sea that detonated but did not damage any ships, according to the US military.

The Australian Government is delivering on its commitment to invest in a highly skilled Defence workforce, with eligible personnel from today able to receive a one-off \$50,000 payment in exchange for an additional three years of service.

The U.S. military said Sunday it shot down two anti-ship ballistic missiles fired toward a container ship by Yemen's Houthi rebels in the Red Sea.

When a young Franke Agenbag searched for constellations in the night sky, she could never have imagined she would grow up to send capability into space.

Visit our [website](#) or [Facebook page](#) for more news articles not included in this newsletter.

The following is a list of - those that we know of - who have crossed the bar in 2023.

2023	
LEMWR L.R. Figg, R62259, 31 December 2023. Aged 77.	CPOSV R.L. Begent, R55903, 25 December 2023. Aged 83.
CMDR C.P.W. Fitzgerald Barr, 22 December 2023. Aged 73.	WOQMG A.G. Meyer, R54001, 21 December 2023. Aged 86.
CMDR G.H. Lovell, 19 December 2023. Aged 93.	CAPT T.A. Burdorf, 19 December 2023. Aged 84.
CAPT J.O. Morrice, 19 December 2023.	LSUW R. Filmer, R57385, 18 December 2023. Aged 85.
LEUT C. Cobb, 17 December 2023. Aged 55.	LEUT J.F. Surlano, 17 December 2023. Aged 94.
CPOATA A.O. Hill, R37153, 17 December 2023. Aged 92.	SAV P.W. Evans, R64619, 16 December 2023. Aged 76.
WOPT R.D. Mitchell, R57586, December 2023. Aged 79.	ABSR P.J. Villiers, R59960, 12 December 2023. Aged 77.
LSCK H.J. Eiszele, 12 December 2023. Aged 63.	AAA B.G. Copal, R43478, 10 December 2023. Aged 72.
MECH1 W.B. Fischer, R54352, 08 December 2023. Aged 91.	CMDR B.A. Dutch, O1831, 07 December 2023. Aged 90.
AB R.J. Kennedy, 39942, 06 December 2023. Aged 91.	SWRRP R. Milstead, 02 December 2023.
PORS J.W. Gray, R94434, December 2023. Aged 75.	LCK A.R. Lansdown, R59310, December 2023. Aged 80.
CEWE H. Newell, R63128, 29 November 2023. Aged 84.	CMDR W.G. Ritchie AM, R/31845, 27 November 2023. Aged 97.
ABME H. Cunningham, 26 November 2023. Aged 61.	D.J. Korrel, R121460, 25 November 2023.
QMG J. Fischer, R94622, 25 November 2023. Aged 74.	POEWE J.L. Werner, R57628, 24 November 2023. Aged 79.
CMDR D.G. Debus, R51524/O.1341, November 2023. Aged 85.	LEMWE J.R. Eagland, R59369, November 2023. Aged 78.
ROS P.J. Hartwell, R94033, 18 November 2023. Aged 76.	CK A.J. Andrews, R96010, November 2023. Aged 72.
ABSR G.D. Evans, R59779, 12 November 2023. Aged 78.	ABQMG J.W. Turner, R55967, 11 November 2023. Aged 82.
AB J.P. Healy, R46918, 10 November 2023. Aged 92.	AB J.W. Fulton, 2356NS, 10 November 2023. Aged 89.
CPORS(S) G.E. Cooper, R59364, 10 November 2023. Aged 78.	LEUT N.W. Knappstein, 09 November 2023. Aged 93.
AB D.C. Haggarty, PM8245, 05 November 2023. Aged 97.	LSWTR R.S. McGrath, R104694, 01 November 2023. Aged 70.
LCDR R.F. Grezl, 31 October 2023.	CAPT M.H. Fowler, PA/3386, 30 October 2023. Aged 99.
T.J. Biggs, R103650, 23 October 2023. Aged 75.	POMT A. Mills, S115297, 18 October 2023. Aged 67.
POCIS K. Fitzgerald, 18 October 2023. Aged 52.	SAP R.J. Crofton, R42362, 13 October 2023. Aged 79.
ABSTD T. Manders, October 2023.	LSMED R. MacInnes, October 2023.
ABMTPSM L.B. Cheetham, R96337, October 2023. Aged 71.	ABWM C.R. Cooper R57935, 12 October 2023. Aged 81.
LWTR K.W. Black, R63376, 11 October 2023. Aged 76.	ERA H. Boonstoppel, R43472, 10 October 2023. Aged 72.
ABSN A.A. Bathgate, 10 October 2023.	LSSE B.W. Flanagan, R54533, 10 October 2023. Aged 84.
ABRP P.H. Banfield, R95806, 01 October 2023. Aged 72.	C.J. Freemantle, 01 October 2023. Aged 58.
AB G.H. Selkrig, NS3974, 29 September 2023. Aged 88.	SAP I.W. Irving, R42617, 27 September 2023. Aged 78.
LSETP W. Gayner, R109368, 24 September 2023.	WOQMG D.W. Powell, R94099, 24 September 2023. Aged 76.
CEAW(SM) J.W. Jackson, R37628, 23 September 2023. Aged 95.	CAAH F.C. Larter, R49386, 19 September 2023. Aged 90.
POCK D. Bellman, 18 September 2023.	CPOMTPSM C.M. Fowler, R42024, 14 September 2023. Aged 82.
CMDR R.J. Greig, R53670, 11 September 2023. Aged 84.	ME I.M. Cook, R94906, 10 September 2023. Aged 74.
CMDR J.M. Moller OAM, R37963, 09 September 2023. Aged 91.	NAAH D.C. Stone, R62542, 09 September 2023. Aged 81.
LME E.R. Cockroft, R57841, 05 September 2023. Aged 80.	LSSIG D.P. Curbishley, 01 September 2023. Aged 69.
SAW1 P.A. Mackay, R42275, 28 August 2023. Aged 80.	VADM R.A.K. Walls AO, O.1216, 28 August 2023. Aged 82.
WRS1 J.M. Herbert(Sims), WR/1102, 27 August 2023. Aged 100.	CAPT J.A.P. Graham AM CSM, 25 August 2023. Aged 68.
CAPT W.E. Rothwell, 19 August 2023. Aged 87.	LSMTP3 J. Dowling, 19 August 2023. Aged 60.
EM1 G. Heffernan, R49437, 18 August 2023. Aged 88.	WOMED B.J. Burnet, R55607, 17 August 2023. Aged 85.
WOMTH N.C. Hoskins, R51003, 17 August 2023. Aged 90.	POAAH J.J. Mulhall, R55123, 14 August 2023. Aged 82.
CPOSY C.D. Hjortshoj, 11 August 2023. Aged 62.	M.W. Walton, 11 August 2023. Aged 60.
LSWTR R. D'Elton, R59772, 10 August 2023. Aged 78.	POSY P.R. Minchin, R63291, 05 August 2023. Aged 75.
POCD W. Mieszkuc, R57684, 01 August 2023. Aged 80.	POACM A.J. Monty, R57189, 30 July 2023. Aged 81.
WORP R.M. Tulip, R63579, 30 July 2023. Aged 80.	A.W. Criddle, 29 July 2023. Aged 82.
CPOWTR N.M. Churches BEM, R52376, 28 July 2023. Aged 86.	WOQMG P.E. Marsh OAM, 27 July 2023. Aged 69.
LCDR A. McKenzie, 27 July 2023. Aged 75.	ME R.J. Groombridge, R96498, 26 July 2023. Aged 71.
LSUC(SM) R.C. Mills, R59454, 25 July 2023. Aged 78.	CMDR R.P. Scovell, O.103154, 24 July 2023. Aged 73.
ABSTD R.L. Wilson, R57105, 22 July 2023. Aged 81.	WOMTP3(SM) J.A. Bishop, R105682, 20 July 2023. Aged 79.
POMUSN R.A. Bedwell OAM, R59758, July 2023. Aged 77.	ABSIG O.F. Campbell, R53979, 18 July 2023. Aged 87.
CMDR J.R. Delaney, O.2113, 18 July 2023. Aged 78.	ERA1(SM) J.W. Lennon, R42070, 17 July 2023. Aged 82.
POSV F.J. Rumble, R/28381, 17 July 2023. Aged 95.	POSE B.F. Lukey, R59701, 16 July 2023. Aged 78.
ERA1 J.G. Hinrichsen, R42269, 16 July 2023. Aged 80.	LEUT D.L. Gilling, RANVR, S/V83, 15 July 2023. Aged 101.
D. Harris, 14 July 2023.	CPORS D.A. Gorton, R27502, 13 July 2023. Aged 95.
WOATWL A.J. Marquis, R34611, 12 July 2023. Aged 97.	S.P. Bowden, 08 July 2023. Aged 62.
ABCK D.J. Gist, R62365, 02 July 2023. Aged 77.	ABSIG K. Burnett, S6495, July 2023. Aged 98.

WR G.A. Mann, July 2023.	ABSND. Lowe, R93881, 27 June 2023. Aged 76.
SBLT J.E.J. Davidson, 24 June 2023. Aged 87.	LEUT M. Bayliss, O.2538. 23 June 2023. Aged 75.
CMDR D.R. Maxwell, O42953, 23 June 2023. Aged 74.	LCDR Robert Miles, 23 June 2023.
AB R.C.H. Munro, PM5481, 17 June 2023. Aged 99.	LWRRO R. Jarrett, nee Fry, R84705, 14 June 2023. Aged 85.
LCDR D.W. Fryer, 14 June 2023. Aged 89.	AB J.G. Spotswood, PM4639, 11 June 2023. Aged 99.
J.D. Miller, 04 June 2023. Aged 56.	ABWM D.A. Stonehouse, R59636, June 2023. Aged 79.
ABQMG R.J. Shephard, R64334, 02 June 2023. Aged 77.	LCDR D.M. Hughes, R111584, 02 June 2023. Aged 68.
POEWR K. Bink, R55681, 31 May 2023. Aged 84.	CPOWTR T.W. Barnes, 94569, 30 May 2023. Aged 74.
SWRSBA J. Smith(Cullerton), 27 May 2023. Aged 69.	POME R.T. Norton, R37182, 25 May 2023. Aged 93.
RO M.C. Dureau, 25 May 2023.	AB F.J. McGovern OAM, S3478, 24 May 2023. Aged 103.
CPOWRT J. Fitzgerald, 23 May 2023.	POEP G.J. Bond, R55750, 22 May 2023. Aged 80.
RP P. Francis, R94205, May 2023. Aged 75.	POEWE C.W. McConville, R93234, 21 May 2023. Aged 78.
LSETS R. Jackson, 21 May 2023. Aged 77.	NASE H.L. Vandervord, R94337, 19 May 2023. Aged 75.
CPOATWL4 F.M. Markham, R123841, 18 May 2023. Aged 87.	WO D.M. Hannaford, R63715, 18 May 2023. Aged 76.
CPOATA4 R. Dempster, 17 May 2023.	WOPT F.R. Round, R53550, 17 May 2023. Aged 82.
CAPT J.L. Raleigh, O.2479 13 May 2023. Aged 81	WRAN B.J. Stokes(Oxenham), WR/2238, May 2023. Aged 97.
ABCK R.A. Spargo, R64593, 12 May 2023. Aged 76.	CPOMTP3 R.J. Bratt, R65463, 11 May 2023. Aged 76.
EMAC P.E. Barnes, R63176, May 2023. Aged 74.	LAMAE E.D. Shelley, R59338, 10 May 2023. Aged 78.
AB M.E. Montague, 6629NS, 07 May 2023. Aged 86.	LCDR M.W.J. Hallen, R42217, 03 May 2023. Aged 80.
ERA(II) R. Weir-Smith, R37836, 29 April 2023. Aged 94.	ABSND M. Hargrave, 29 April 2023. Aged 62.
LSA(V) A.L. Mitchell, R/51213, 28 April 2023. Aged 89.	D. Illingworth, 25 April 2023.
CMDR R.J. Holmes, 25 April 2023. Aged 83.	POREM R.A. Bannon, R34968, 18 April 2023. Aged 95.
CPOUWSM M.C. Bridge, R59549, 18 April 2023. Aged 79.	CAPT R.G. Harris, O.498, 14 April 2023. Aged 88.
WRSTD T.M. Brown, WR/1405, 14 April 2023. Aged 98.	AB L.C. Schwarze, 50106, 13 April 2023. Aged 87.
CRE K.M. Bonney, R35718, 13 April 2023. Aged 92.	CMDR R.V. McDonnell, O.2349, 12 April 2023. Aged 89.
CPO B. Hardy, R62511, 12 April 2023. Aged 81.	CDRE M.B. Rayment AM, O.957, 09 April 2023. Aged 89.
LEUT A.E.D. Gunn, O.471, 08 April 2023. Aged 90.	LEMWE C.D. Pope, R63035, 05 April 2023. Aged 76.
CAPT P. Downes, 01 April 2023. Aged 76.	CPOAMAE E. Jenkins, R37798, 31 March 2023. Aged 94.
AB G.J. Hay, R45371, 31 March 2023. Aged 89.	SGT(NP) J. Goad DSC BEM, R56032, 30 March 2023. Aged 101.
WRCK R. Moloney(Bremner), WR1354, 28 March 2023. Aged 98.	LCDR K.J. Leepere, 27 March 2023. Aged 60.
LSRP R. Polwarth, R128234, 26 March 2023.	CAPT R.G. Ray MBE, 25 March 2023. Aged 83.
CAPT R. McKenzie, O.829, 25 March 2023. Aged 88.	LME G.J. Stewart, R62478, 21 March 2023. Aged 80.
CPOATA4 W.S. Crowley, R43090, March 2023. Aged 73.	LCDR A. Donald DSC, R37021, 19 March 2023. Aged 92.
LCDR E. Bryant, R41194, 18 March 2023. Aged 95.	RADM J.V.P. Goldrick AO CSC, 17 March 2023. Aged 64.
WO A.L. Adams, 15 March 2023. Aged 62.	LEMP H.G. Munnink, R63123, 13 March 2023. Aged 76.
AB L.H. Mead, B4306, 11 March 2023. Aged 97.	ABRP R.G. McKenzie, R95146, 10 March 2023. Aged 73.
LCDR J.K. (Tom) Parker, O.897, 08 March 2023. Aged 85.	PONPCSM D.K. Ambler, R129895, 04 March 2023.
LWRTEL D.E.M. Quaid, WR4147, 01 March 2023. Aged 93.	LAMAE D.W. Platt, R58801, 26 February 2023. Aged 79.
LSSV K.T. Davies, R35274, 25 February 2023. Aged 92.	CPO L. Ottway, S150624, 18 February 2023. Aged 64.
CPOETSSM R. Hill, 18 February 2023.	AB D.A. Goodluck, PM7315, February 2023. Aged 97.
LCDR J.C. Buchanan DFC, 17 February 2023. Aged 79.	CMDR W.B. Loftus, O.694, 14 February 2023. Aged 84.
POCY G.W. Evans, R93196, 14 February 2023. Aged 78.	LEUT(SM) P.D. Walsh, S113213, 10 February 2023. Aged 66.
CPOEWSM B.J. Smith, 10 February 2023.	LWRMED(O) M-T. Bruce(Leong), 10 February 2023.
LWRROM N.J. Dix(Featch) K86155, 07 February 2023. Aged 77.	CMDR J. Smith, 03 February 2023.
LCDR B.R. Sloper, R42716, 03 February 2023. Aged 76.	PORP G.J. Barnes, R57019, February 2023. Aged 80.
CPOSTD R.J. May, R94067, 02 February 2023. Aged 75.	CMDR J.G. O'Neill, O.42082, 30 January 2023. Aged 82.
POME A.J. McGroary, R51355, 30 January 2023. Aged 87.	PORP J.R. Green, R95264, 29 January 2023. Aged 72.
LEUT R.L. McLean, O.43126, 29 January 2023. Aged 74.	LCDR M.P.C. Furlong, 29 January 2023. Aged 84.
CNS R. J. Evans, R52438, 27 January 2023. Aged 87.	CMDR N.D. Uhlmann, R/84345, 22 January 2023. Aged 93.
AB R.G. Rowland, R53651, 21 January 2023. Aged 83.	CPOMTPSM T.J. Gowling, R105158, 21 January 2023. Aged 70.
WRSVA J. Harris(Stanley), W106504, 18 January 2023. Aged 70.	P. Tong, 18 January 2023.
LSRP C.P. White, 17 January 2023.	WOSV A.J. Graham, 17 January 2023. Aged 66.
CMDR C.M. Pedersen, O2264, 16 January 2023. Aged 74.	CMDR R. Cameron, 16 January 2023.
CPOETS K.S. Playford, R104158, 16 January 2023. Aged 69.	CPO S1MTH G.A. Henstock, R42684, 15 January 2023. Aged 74.
CPOEWE W.J. McDeed, R31834, 14 January 2023. Aged 96.	LCDR G.W. Burns, 13 January 2023. Aged 73.
S.L. O'Brien, 10 January 2023. Aged 59.	NAMAE L.J. Kube, R53306, 5 January 2023. Aged 82.
LCDR A.P. Berzins, 04 January 2023. Aged 85.	SA(V) W.L. O'Sing, R59714, 03 January 2023. Aged 76.

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