

Royal British Legion Annual Report 2024/25

The RBL branch tries to connect with the Saltash Community at all possible times or events.

Throughout the year 2024 we had a table at as many events as possible the May fair, Regatta ,we had tables at church events and the fire station. Our Standard Bearer parades our Standard at many commemorations through out the year held in and around Plymouth, also at funerals of veterans of all services.

During the Summer we instigated a junior field gun run competition between the primary schools in Saltash which was great fun and enjoyed by all, we supplied a trophy and medals and hope to do again this year.

The Remembrance period went well and my thanks to all the volunteers including the Cadet forces who helped raise an incredible amount for the Poppy appeal.

Our Standards were in attendance along with some of our members at the Saltash Remembrance service. On Armistice day itself we took part in the two minutes silence outside the Brunel in fore st. Following this myself our Standard Bearer along with the RNA Standard Bearer went along to Brunel School and held an act of Remembrance in front of the whole school. This was started a couple years ago by one of our members (my son) and his wife a teaching assistant at the school.

In November we put a tree in the annual festival at St Nicks.

David Newman Chairman Saltash RBL.