

Saltash and District Royal British Legion

My name is David Newman and I have the honour of being Chairman of the Saltash and District RBL.

The Legion itself was formed in May 1921, its aim to cater for the needs of ex service men and women. On its 50th anniversary in 1971 the Queen gave it a royal title so becoming Royal British Legion, our branch celebrated its centenary in June 2022.

The Saltash branch endeavours to serve the people of Saltash and District especially ex service veterans. We give help and advice on many aspects of life, be it from filling i.e. PIP, where to find support groups, financial or health problems. We undertake hospital visits, become telephone buddies as we find a short visit or talk helps the elderly and lonely.

Finally we are always happy to parade our standards at events in Saltash and funerals of veterans, if the families would like them.