

DEE WHY DEPOT
OPEN DAY
DEDICATION SERVICE

24TH JUNE 2006



1956 – 2006

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS ON THE
NORTHERN BEACHES



VII

DEDICATION CEREMONY

Order of Service

Commences at 1305 h

Guests arrive

Catafalque Party Mounts

OPENING ADDRESS

Battery Commander 28th Field Battery, Major Alain Dunand

UNVEILING OF THE MEMORIAL

by

LTCOL Craig Taggart – Commanding Officer 7th Fd Regt

&

LBDR Shane Fender – 28th Fd Bty

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

MAJ Hamilton – Chaplain

To the honour and glory of god the father, in whom is our hope of a joyful resurrection and reunion, and in memory of those who died as a result of war, we consecrate this memorial.

PRAYER OF REMEMBRANCE

MAJ Hamilton – Chaplain

Almighty God, we remember with thanksgiving those who made the supreme sacrifice in time of war. We pray that the offering of their lives was not in vain. May your grace enable us on this day to dedicate ourselves to the cause of justice, freedom and peace; and give us the wisdom and strength to build a better world

WREATH LAID

BC 28 BTY – MAJ Dunand

REQUIEM

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ODE OF REMEMBRANCE

Mr Pat Sewell (President Pittwater RSI Sub Branch)

**They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn:
At the going down of the sun, and in the morning;
We will remember them.**

All - Lest we forget

BUGLER: "The Last Post"

TWO MINUTES SILENCE:

BUGLER: " Rouse"

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL ANTHEM

(First verse only)

BENEDICTION

MAJ Hamilton - Chaplain

FINAL BLESSING

MAJ Hamilton – Chaplain

*Go forth into the world in peace, a peace which you can help
to ensure; be of good heart; hold fast to what is good;
render to no man evil for evil; strengthen the faint
hearted; support the weak; help the afflicted; honour
all men and women; love and serve God.*

Catafalque Party Dismounts

End of service



23 HAA

19 Feb 1956 - 1957



16 HAA

1957 - 1960



9HAA

1960 - 1962



9LAA

1962 - 1973



5 FD BTY

1973 - 1976



28 FD BTY

Est. 1976 - 30yrs old