

BACK BADGE REUNION SATURDAY 23rd March 2019

Venue for the Reunion gathering: Walls Social Club, Hammond Way, Barnwood, Gloucester. GL4 3YL

Background and key points:

The day will commence with the Back Badge Service at St Mary de Lode, Archdeacon St, Gloucester GL1 2TB.

Service at 1130hrs please be seated by 1115hrs.

Standard Bearers please attend the brief rehearsal at 1100hrs at the Church.

March through Gloucester will precede the lunch and gathering.

The march will step off at 1230hrs from the Church and proceed to Westgate Street. The salute will be taken on the steps to Gloucestershire County Hall. The march continues along Westgate to Southgate Street before turning in to Longsmith Street. There participants will halt and fall out.

Ladies and non marchers Coffee and tea will be available for at Walls Club.

Transport. Mr Andy Casey is kindly making available transport to Walls Social Club from outside the Church and also Longsmith Street.

If required, please annotate the proforma.

Widows. The committee wish to encourage attendance by our regimental widows. Where known please assist with practical help, information and keep me informed. The regimental grant can cover the cost of a number of regimental guests and this year the priority is our regimental widows.

Participation. Those from the wider regimental family of Regulars, Reserves, Cadets, Association as well as key supporters from the community are encouraged to submit a proforma. Tickets will be issued in advance. Please assist in spreading the word to the widows of our comrades; the committee can facilitate attendance as regimental guests.

Reunion gathering. 1300hrs - Lunch approx 1400hrs at Walls Social Club at £20.00 pp for a three-course menu plus coffee or tea. It is hoped that a bottle of red and white wine will be available at each table.

We really look forward to seeing as many as possible at the Church Service, the March and for the lunch and gathering at Walls Social Club.

Please contact me, Len Keeling if you have any queries.

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Return this portion to:

To: Mrs Debbie Hards, Back Badge Reunion, The Rifles Office, 14 Mount Street, Taunton, TA1 3QB || 01823 333434 || aotaunton@the-rifles.co.uk **Have you included: your cheque @ £20.00 per person and your stamped addressed envelope in order to receive your ticket. RETURN PROFORMA BY 4th MARCH 2019.**

Name.....

Address.....

Postcode..... E-Mail.....

Telephone.....

Will you attend the Church Service?.....

Will you be marching?.....Do you need transport and if so how many seats are required to Walls Social Club

FROM: St Mary de Lode (after Church Service).....

FROM: Longsmith Street (after March).....

If possible at the lunch I/we would like to sit with.....

(Tables sit 10 persons and it may not be possible to meet your request but we shall do our best).

I/we wish to booknumber of tickets in the names of:.....

Do you have any special dietary needs? If so please make this clear and we shall do our best to meet your requirement.....

I enclose my cheque for(tickets at £20.00 per person) payable to 'RGBW Regimental Charities'

Please return the right hand section only with your payment