



# Royal Military Police Association Hull & East Riding Branch

## Minutes of the Branch Meeting Held 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2014



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### Members Present:

Dave Mitchell; Steve Woods; Mike Walker; Bob Borland; Brian Fenwick; Brian Petch; Frank Maunder

Joe Matthews; Terry Scholes; Derrick Garton

### Apologies Received:

Craig Hemmerman; Jon Wild; Michael Sutton; Tony Steventon; Pete Westmorland

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  - 7.4 Corps Journal Correspondent
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## 1.0 Remembrance

Dave Mitchell opened the meeting at 20:00 hrs and the Remembrance was observed by all members.

## 2.0 Members Present/Apologies Received

Apologies received from Jon Wild; Craig Hemmerman; Michael Sutton; Tony Steventon; Pete Westmorland.

## 3.0 Absent Friends

Absent friends were recorded as listed in the apologies.

## 4.0 Minutes of Previous Meeting

There being no matter arising it was proposed and seconded that these were true and accurate record, this was voted on by branch members present.

Proposed: Frank Maunder  
Seconded: Steve Woods  
Carried: Unanimously by members present

## 5.0 Matters Arising

- 5.1 **Hull Army Day on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> June, location Queen Victoria Square, Hull.**  
Dave Mitchell informed branch members present that the Branch was represented at the above event. In attendance were Dave, Steve and Joe.  
The event was well attended by the public and it is hoped there may be new members to swell the ranks.
- 5.2 **Lord Mayor Swearing in Ceremony June 29<sup>th</sup> St Charles Church, Albion Street**  
Dave Mitchell was in attendance for the event.

## 6.0 Communications Received

- 6.1 **Resignation of The Branch Secretary Bob Hare**  
It is with regret the Branch has received notification from Bob of his resignation with immediate effect. Bob's reasons are personnel and he will no longer be attending the branch meetings, although Bob will be attending the Annual Dinner and helping with its organisation.  
  
The Branch wishes Bob all the best for the future.
- 6.2 **Minutes of the RMPA AGM 2014** held in the Clarendon Suite, The Hilton Grosvenor Hotel, Edinburgh on Saturday 17th may 2014 & **Royal Military Police Regimental Events Forecast 2014-2015- see attached for details**  
  
The chairman once again repeated the call to members who use social media to think about what they post on-line. It will be read by all manner of people in MOD and if the post comments adversely on current issues PM(A) would be held to account. He urged Branches to be vigilant
- 6.3 **Eden Camp All Services Remembrance Parade** Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2014  
  
The museum will be open free to veterans and their partners from 10:00 hrs to 17:00 hrs and the parade will assemble at 14:10 hrs for the march to Eden Camp Memorial at 14:30 hrs. The Yorkshire Volunteers Band will lead the parade, followed by the Standards.

***For more information see the Events section on our web site***

## 7.0 Reports

### 7.1 CESA

Nothing to report Dave Mitchell reminded members there would be a Church on the Parade 5<sup>th</sup> October at Holy Trinity Church

### 7.2 CENCO

Nothing to report

### 7.3 Standard Bearer

No Events attended

Are best wishes go to Craig for a speedy recovery

### 7.4 Website - [www.rmpa-hull.com](http://www.rmpa-hull.com)

Mike Walker informed Branch members Steve Woods and Dave Mitchell have an information pack detailing passwords, email address etc. for the branch website.

On average the site has 4 hits a day, hits are from as far afield as Canada, USA Spain & Portugal.

### 7.5 Corps Journal Correspondent

David Kennedy not being present no report given

## 8.0 Social Events

### 8.1 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Hull RMPA

Members were reminded about the annual dinner, tickets will be on sale at the next branch meeting and it was requested members purchase their tickets then.

### 8.2 Army Day (Beverley) Town Square Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2014 12:00 Hrs

Members were reminded the event was taking place and the Branch will be represented. Members attending were reminded the event will start at 12:00 hrs.

### 8.3 Hull Veterans Weekend East Park, Holderness Road, Hull 26-27<sup>th</sup> July 2014, 10:00 hrs - 17:00 hrs

Members were reminded the event was taking place and the Branch will be represented

Dave Mitchell to approach 150 Pro Coy RMP regarding static display and personnel

*For more information about this event see the Events section on our web site*

## 9.0 Any Other Business

### 9.1 Election of a Stand-in Secretary

Mike Walker was nominated, there being no more candidates a vote was taken.

Proposed: Steve Woods

Seconded: Joe Mathews

Carried: Unanimously by members present

Mike Walker accepted the position.

## 9.2 **Additional Rules Regarding the Website Content**

It was proposed by Mike Walker following rules should be used regarding content held or to be uploaded to the Branch Website

- No member's details should be uploaded without their consent, unless permission is obtained. This includes details held within any secured area.
- Permission should be sought before uploading a member's image, no branch member's details should be associated with photographs other than that which is implied that they are associated with the Branch.
- Group images can be uploaded, but no individual should be identified without their consent.
- Photos uploaded to the website belong to the individual who provided them, not the Branch or the Webmaster.

**Note** just because a member cannot be contacted or is unavailable absenteeism it not classed as consent

Proposed: Frank Maunder  
Seconded: Bob Borland  
Carried: Unanimously by members present

## 12.0 **Close of Meeting & Date of Next Meeting**

The time being 20:49 hrs and there being no further business the meeting was closed by Mike Walker.

The next meeting will be held on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> August** at 20:00 hrs, New Cleveland Social Club, 90 New Cleveland Street, Hull, East Yorkshire, HU8 7HE

## **Attachments**

- **Agenda For Branch Meeting, Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2014**
- **Forthcoming Events**
- **Minutes of the RMPA AGM 2014 (not published on the website)**
- **Royal Military Police Regimental Events Forecast 2014-2015 (not published on the website)**

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### Hull Veterans Weekend (UPDATED)

**Date:** Weekend of 26-27th July 2014, 10:00 hrs - 17:00 hrs

**Venue:** East Park, Holderness Road, Hull

**For more information see our web site *Events* for address and more details**

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### Eden Camp All Services Remembrance Parade (NEW)

**Date:** Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2014

**Venue:** **For more information see our web site *Events* for address and more details**

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### Hull & East Riding 60th Anniversary Annual Dinner (UPDATED)

**Date:** Saturday 27th September 2014

**Venue:** The Masonic Lodge, Dagger Lane

**Price:** £20 per head, open to guests

Ticket includes 5 course meal and entertainment by Paul Santos

There will also be a raffle and Stand-up Bingo

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### 252 Pro Coy RMPA Disbandment

**Date:** 27 Sept 2014

**Venue:** Thistle Hotel in Middlesbrough

**Price:** TBC

**Time:** 18:30 - 01:00

If any member wishes to attend contact Chrissy Carter at 252 Pro Coy

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### CESA Church Parade (NEW)

**Date:** 5<sup>th</sup> October

**Venue:** Holy Trinity Church

More Details to Follow

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### RMPA North East Branch Annual Dinner

**Date:** Saturday 18th October 2014.

**Venue:** Masonic Hall, Gateshead

**Price:** £20.00 per person

**Contact:** Branch Secretary (Hull)

**Closing Date No later than Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September**