RSL & SCHOOLS REMEMBER ANZAC COMMEMORATION















Welcome to the

RSL & SCHOOLS REMEMBER ANZAC COMMEMORATION VIRTUAL SERVICE 2022

ORDER OF SERVICE

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Lorenzo Pavan Holy Cross College Ryde

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Josh Ralph St Andrew's Cathedral School

WELCOME ADDRESS

The Hon Sarah Mitchell MLC Minister for Education and Early Learning

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Molly Barwick St Vincent's College

Almighty God, we ask your blessing for the leaders of all countries that all things may be ordered in wisdom and peace. We pray for the wellbeing of the citizens of all nations. Strengthen and encourage them in their efforts to promote peace and goodwill through-out the world so that we may live in harmony, friendship and peace.

Response: Amen

ANZAC ADDRESS

Neva Mikulic Sydney Girls High School

ABIDE WITH ME

(all stand)

Words by Henry F. Lyte and music by William H. Monk Performed by The Choristers and Scholars of St Mary's Cathedral

Verse 1

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide; The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide. When other helpers fail and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Verse 2

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; Earth's joys grow dim; its glories pass away; Change and decay in all around I see; O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

Verse 3

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless; Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness. Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Verse 4

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes; Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies. Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee; In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.



ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

(all stand)

CADET GUARD

James Ruse Agricultural High School Army Cadet Unit

LAMENT
Pipe Major Magnus Lahra
The Scots College

WREATH LAYING

Floral tributes laid by:

Mr Ray James OAM
President, The Returned and Services League of Australia (New South Wales Branch)

Mr Dallas McInerney CEO, Catholic Schools NSW

Dr Geoff Newcombe AM Chief Executive, Association of Independent Schools of NSW

> Ms Georgina Harrisson Secretary, NSW Department of Education

During the wreath laying all are invited to engage in silent prayer or reflection. This is also an opportunity for floral tributes to be laid locally at each school.

THE ODE

To be recited by a student from each school viewing the virtual service.

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 respond: We will remember them

Lest We Forget

All respond: Lest We Forget

THE LAST POST

Nathaniel Humphreys

St John Bosco Catholic Primary School Engadine

ONE MINUTE SILENCE

ROUSE

Nathaniel Humphreys St John Bosco Catholic Primary School Engadine

FLAG ORDERLIES
The McDonald College



DEDICATION

(all seated)

Emily Café Junior Legatee Inaburra School

Their bodies are buried in peace but their name liveth forevermore.

CONCLUDING REMARKS

Mr Ray James OAM
President, The Returned and Services League of Australia (New South Wales Branch)

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL ANTHEM

(all stand)

Advance Australia Fair

Performed by The Choristers and Scholars of St Mary's Cathedral

Australians all let us rejoice,
For we are one and free;
We've golden soil and wealth for toil;
Our home is girt by sea;
Our land abounds in nature's gifts
Of beauty rich and rare;
In history's page, let every stage
Advance Australia Fair.
In joyful strains then let us sing,
Advance Australia Fair

Beneath our radiant Southern Cross
We'll toil with hearts and hands;
To make this Commonwealth of ours
Renowned of all the lands;
For those who've come across the seas
We've boundless plains to share;
With courage let us all combine
To Advance Australia Fair.
In joyful strains then let us sing,
Advance Australia Fair.



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- The Scots College

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