

ANZAC Day
Thursday 25 April 2024

Foxton Civic Service Programme

Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom
Main Street, Foxton

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| 9:00am | Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom, Main St |
| 9:35am | Parade assembles at Wharf St to move off to Cenotaph |
| 9:40am | Cenotaph Service begins |
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Wet weather alternative: Ceremony will take place inside Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom.

Horowhenua 
DISTRICT COUNCIL

 **RSA**



Welcome

John Girling - Foxton Community Board Chair

Opening Prayer

Trevor Solomon

Poems

The History of the Poppy and the Poppy's Relevance to the Battlefields -

Recited by Manawatu College Student Leader Jordyn Austin

The Challenge - May 1915 "In Flanders Fields" Lt Colonel John McCrae

Recited by Manawatu College Student Leader Jordyn Austin

The Response - November 1918 "*We Shall Keep The Faith*" Moina Michael

Recited by Manawatu College Student Leader Ronnie Soderholm

Civic Address

John Girling - Foxton Community Board Chair

Letters

Manawatu College Student Leader Thea Pacure, reading letter from **Hon Dame Cindy Kiro**, GNZM, QSO Governor-General of New Zealand

Manawatu College Student Leader Jaime Iva-Gears, reading letter from **Rt Hon Christopher Luxon**, Prime Minister of New Zealand

COMMITMENT TO THE TRADITION OF ANZAC

by all present, John Girling - Foxton Community Board Chair to lead

"We declare our intention to accept a personal responsibility to lead our community in a spirit of self-sacrifice worthy of the ANZAC tradition.

We will accept the challenge of defending the standards that made our nation strong and devote ourselves to winning the peace for the sake of all."

NATIONAL ANTHEM OF NEW ZEALAND

by all present

E Ihowā Atua,
O ngā iwi mātou rā
Āta whakarangona;
Me aroha noa
Kia hua ko te pai;
Kia tau tō atawhai;
Manaakitia mai
Aotearoa

God of Nations at Thy feet,
In the bonds of love we meet,
Hear our voices, we entreat,
God defend our free land.
Guard Pacific's triple star
From the shafts of strife and war,
Make her praises heard afar,
God defend New Zealand.

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Trevor Solomon

Conclusion of Civic Service - March to Cenotaph

PARADE PARTICIPANTS TO LINE UP ON WHARF STREET

9:40am

Cenotaph Service Begins

Welcome

John Girling - Foxton Community Board Chair

Prayer

Trevor Solomon

Roll of Honour

Ryn Peni, Student Leader, Manawatu College

The Lament

Bugler Mike Clark

Wreath Laying and Laying of Poppies

Prayer of Dedication

Trevor Solomon

The Ode

Recited by Coley Street School, St Mary's School, Foxton Beach School
& Foxton Primary School

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.
We will remember them.

E kore rātou e kaumātuatia
Pēnei i a tātou kua mahue nei
E kore hoki rātou e ngoikore
Ahakoa pehea i ngā āhuetanga o te wā.
I te hekenga atu o te rā
Tae noa ki te aranga mai i te ata
Ka maumahara tonu tātou ki a rātou.
Ka maumahara tonu tātou ki a rātou.

Last Post

Flags on the cenotaph lowered by NZDF, one minute silence

Reveille

Flags on the cenotaph raised

Thank You

John Girling - Foxton Community Board Chair

An invitation is extended to the public
to place their poppies on the Cenotaph

WORLD WAR I (1914-19)

Bowe, C.F.
Dore, P.
Harper, M.R.
Robinson, F.N.
Cole, A.H.
Powell, W.F.
Webb, E.D.
Prosser, H.C.
Gray, W.A.
Rimmer, T.A.
Ruscoe, H.G.
Young, W.W.
Burr, J.G.
Laurvig, E.A.
Walden, H.A.
Harris, J.H.
Rose, W.A.
Howe, L.A.
Smith, F.B.
Bryant, L.N.
Kirkley, W.
Thompson, A.V.

WORLD WAR II (1939-45)

Baird, A.
Betty, E.L.
Chrystall, D.
Gregory, A.J.
Griffin, A.J.
Halidone, B.
King, H.F.
Preston, W.R.
Rand, V.C.
Richardson, G.F.
Robbie, C.W.
Ropiha, R.
Rouse, H.A.J.
Shorthouse, E.P.
Symons, W.B.
Thane, D.W.
Williams, A.G.
Yorke, G.J.D.

VIETNAM WAR (1939-45)

Ellwood, S.W.

The Chairperson and Members of the Foxton Community Board thank you for your attendance and support at this Civic Service. Together we honour the service of all Foxton District War Veterans who served our district well in past overseas conflicts, and in particular, we acknowledge those who made the supreme sacrifice for the cause of freedom and world peace.

we will remember them

