

ANZAC DAY 2015  
DAWN SERVICE



REMEMBRANCE

PEACE

PUKEAHU NATIONAL  
WAR MEMORIAL PARK

WREATH OF REMEMBRANCE



*Olive*



*Pōhutukawa*



*Turkish Oak*



*Northern Rātā*



*New Zealand Fern*



*Chinese Elm*



*Eucalyptus*



*Kōwhai*



*Rosemary*



*Poppy*

# ANZAC DAY 2015 DAWN SERVICE AT PUKEAHU NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL PARK

Traditionally, this Dawn Service is held at the Wellington Cenotaph and, since 1939, has been organised by the Wellington Returned and Services' Association with support from Wellington City Council.

Due to the significance of Anzac Day 2015 it was agreed that for this year only the Dawn Service would be held at Pukeahu National War Memorial Park.

The co-operation and support of the Wellington Returned and Services' Association is gratefully acknowledged.

SATURDAY 25TH APRIL 2015  
PUKEAHU NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL PARK

# Programme

## Dawn Parade

Led by His Excellency Lieutenant General The Right Honourable Sir Jerry Mateparae GNZM, QSO, Governor-General of New Zealand and His Excellency General The Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK, MC, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia accompanied by Lieutenant Colonel Ron Turner (Rtd), President, Wellington Returned and Services' Association

Karanga by Taranaki Whānui as the parade approaches Anzac Square

## Review

The Governors-General fall out to review the parade on Anzac Square

## Welcome

**Chaplain Class 2 Anthony Hawes RNZAF**

## Dawn Gun

## Drum Roll

## Lament

*Flowers of the Forrest*

## Opening Prayer

## Hymn

### **O God Our Help In Ages Past**

*Our God, our help in ages past,  
Our hope for years to come,  
Our shelter from the stormy blast  
And our eternal home*

*A thousand ages in thy sight  
Are like an evening gone;  
Short as the watch that ends the night  
Before the rising sun*

*Before the hills in order stood,  
or earth received her frame,  
from everlasting You are God,  
to endless years the same*

## Vice-Regal addresses

**His Excellency Lieutenant General The Right Honourable Sir Jerry Mateparae GNZM, QSO**  
Governor-General of New Zealand

**His Excellency General The Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK, MC**  
Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia

## Hymn

### **Abide With Me**

*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*

*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*

*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*



*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*

### **Anzac Dedication**

#### **Lieutenant Colonel Ron Turner (Rtd)**

President, Wellington Returned and Services' Association

*At this hour, on this day, ANZAC received its baptism of fire and became one of the immortal names in history. We who are gathered here think of the comrades who went out with us to battle but did not return. We feel them still near us in spirit. We wish to be worthy of their great sacrifice. Let us, therefore, once again dedicate ourselves to the service of the ideals for which they died. As the dawn is even now about to pierce the night, so let their memory inspire us to work for the coming of the new light into the dark places of the world.*

### **Laying Of Wreaths**

Tomb of the Unknown Warrior:

#### **His Excellency Lieutenant General The Right Honourable Sir Jerry Mateparae GNZM, QSO**

Governor-General of New Zealand  
*on behalf of the people of New Zealand*

#### **His Excellency General The Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK, MC**

Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia  
*on behalf of the people of Australia*

#### **Her Excellency Damla Yeşim Say**

Ambassador of the Republic of Turkey  
*on behalf of the government and people of the Republic of Turkey*

Australian Memorial:

#### **His Excellency General The Honourable**

#### **Sir Peter Cosgrove AK, MC**

Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia  
*on behalf of the people of Australia*

#### **His Excellency Lieutenant General The Right Honourable Sir Jerry Mateparae GNZM, QSO**

Governor-General of New Zealand  
*on behalf of the people of New Zealand*

### **Commemoration**

#### **Last Post**

*Uniformed personnel salute*

The flags of Australia and New Zealand are lowered to half mast

### **The Ode**

#### **Colonel Bill Nathan OBE, ED (Rtd)**

*E kore rātou e koroheketia  
Pēnei i a tātou kua mahue nei  
E kore hoki rātou e ngoikore  
Ahakoa pēhea i ngā āhuatanga 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*

**Response: Ka maumahara tonu tātou ki a rātou**

### **Lieutenant Colonel Ron Turner (Rtd)**

*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*

**Response: We will remember them**

### **One Minute Silence**

### **Reveille**

The flags of Australia and New Zealand  
are raised to mast head

### **Prayer**

### **National Anthems (all sing)**

#### **Advance Australia Fair**

*Australians all let us rejoice  
For we are young 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*

### **Aotearoa**

*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 Defend New Zealand**

*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*

### **Benediction And Dismissal**

### **Departure**

Vice-Regal parties depart

### **Conclusion**

Members of the public are invited to lay poppies  
on the Tomb of the Unknown Warrior and the  
Australian Memorial

### **The Parade Falls Out**

# Acknowledgements

<b>President, Wellington RSA</b>	Lieutenant Colonel Ron Turner (Rtd)
<b>Chaplain</b>	Chaplain Class 2 Anthony Hawes RNZAF, Principal Chaplain (Air)
<b>Band</b>	Royal New Zealand Air Force Band
<b>Director of Music</b>	Flight Lieutenant Simon Brew RNZAF
<b>Bugler</b>	Leading Aircraftsman Sarah Henderson RNZAF
<b>Drummers</b>	Private Luke Drennan RNZIR Sergeant Grant Myhill RNZAF
<b>Piper</b>	Pipe Major John Menzies, City of Wellington Pipe Band
<b>Combined Choir</b>	Wellington College, Wellington Girls' College, Wellington East Girls' College, St Patrick's College
<b>Director</b>	Katie MacFarlane, Wellington College
<b>Wellington Cannon Society</b>	Bryan Townsend

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