

Dawn Service 2021

- 3.50 a.m. MC Welcome
- 3.56 a.m. Flags lowered to half mast
 - VIPs Commence arrival
- 4.10 a.m. Veterans fall in at King George Square
- 4.15 a.m. Veterans Parade marches along Adelaide Street
- 4.24 a.m. Alert sounded as His Excellency the Hon Paul de Jersey AC, Governor of Queensland arrives
 - Vice Regal Salute – Australian Army Band, Brisbane
- 4.26 a.m. Veterans Parade arrives in ANZAC Square
- 4.28 a.m. Catafalque Party Mounts
 - Chaplain Gary Stone leads assembly in prayer
 - Hymn – (All sing) *O God Our Help in Ages Past* led by the Brisbane Boys' College Collegians' Choir under the direction of Mr Brett Holland

*O God our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.
Beneath the shadow of Thy throne,
Thy saints have dwelt secure,
Sufficient is Thine arm alone
And our defence is sure.*

*Before the Hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.
A thousand ages in Thy sight
Are like an evening gone;
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.*

- His Excellency the Governor addresses the assembly
- His Excellency the Governor leads official guests to Shrine of Remembrance for wreath laying.
- Choir leads assembly in singing hymn *Abide with me*.
- Choir continues with a selection of music while the wreaths are being laid.
- Warrant Officer Class One Brian Moore OAM, RSM Joint Ceremonial Queensland recites *The Ode*
- Last Post
- Two Minutes' Sacred Silence
- Reveille (Flags raised)
- Benediction – Chaplain Gary Stone
- New Zealand National Anthem – *God Defend New Zealand* (Part Maori, part English – sung by the choir)
- Australian National Anthem – *Advance Australia Fair* (All sing)

*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.*

- Catafalque Party is dismantled
- Vice Regal Salute – band
- His Excellency the Governor departs followed by official guests
- Ceremony concludes
- Flags lowered to half-mast at completion of Service

ANZAC DAY.



On January 10, 1916 at a public meeting held in the Old Museum building at Bowen Hills, attended by the Governor, the Premier and other government, civic and military leaders, a resolution was carried to establish the ANZAC Day Commemoration Committee. The Committee was charged with paying homage to the Gallipoli fallen and support to the survivors. It was decided that the first commemorations would take place on April 25, 1916 one year after the Gallipoli landings and so was born the ANZAC Day tradition. The first Brisbane Dawn service was held at the newly dedicated Shrine of Remembrance on April 25, 1931.

On this day, we commemorate the service and sacrifice of all Australians and New Zealanders who have served– and we honour those who are currently serving.

The ADCC (Qld.) sincerely thanks:

- His Excellency the Hon. Paul de Jersey AC, Governor of Queensland.
- The Australian Army Band under the direction of Major Rachel Beeton.
- Brisbane Boys' College Collegians Choir under the direction of Mr. Brett Holland
- Members of the Australian Defence Force
- Brisbane City Council
- Queensland Police Service
- St. John Ambulance and the Queensland Ambulance Service
- Translink and Queensland Rail for the provision of free rail transport for veterans
- Queensland Fire and Emergency Services
- Members of ADCC ANZAC Ceremonial Committee, students of Brisbane Boys' College and Anglican Church Grammar School, Venturers and the many volunteers whose services and support made this ceremony possible.

Colonel David Smith AM (Retd)

Honorary President ANZAC Day Commemoration Committee (Qld).



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