

Burgess Hill Town Council

PRESS RELEASE

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Burgess Hill marks Armistice Day and Remembrance Sunday

Burgess Hill hosted its annual Remembrance Sunday Parade and Service, and Armistice Day Service this year, after a scaled back event in 2020. The events were jointly organised by Burgess Hill Town Council, the Royal British Legion Burgess Hill branch, and St John's Church, and attended by a wide range of local groups, organisations and individuals.

On Thursday 11 November, the Armistice Day Service was held at the War Memorial. Burgess Hill Town Council Staff, Councillors, Royal British Legion members, and representatives of local schools marched from the Town Council Help Point to the Memorial. A Service of Remembrance was held, followed by a Service for the animals who also served.

On Sunday 14 November, Remembrance Sunday, the Remembrance Parade marched from Cyprus Road Car Park to the War Memorial. This was followed by the reading of the names and laying of wreaths, playing of the Last Post and the silence at 11am. An outdoor Service was held, lead by St John's Church, before the parade marched back out of the War memorial.

Both days were very well attended by participants and members of the public.



Above - Armistice Day
Below - Remembrance Sunday



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