

Culture Communities & Rural Affairs Select Committee

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2014 Commemorations

WWI Centenary

&

D-Day 70th Anniversary



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National Programme

- National Commemorative events to mark:
 - Britain's declaration of war on Germany (4 Aug 2014)
 - Battle of Jutland (31 May 2016)
 - First day of Battle of Somme (1 July 2016)
 - Armistice Day (11 November 2018)
- Over £50 million committed
 - £15m HLF; £5.3m schools visits; £10m IWM

National Programme

- Led by the Imperial War Museums
- National advisory group set up by Maria Miller MP



First World War Centenary
1914–1918



Hampshire 2014

- Programme Coordinator
 - *Amanda Hull*
- Members Group
 - *Cllr Carter, Cllr Simpson*
- Steering Group
 - *John Tickle, Ian Parker, Andrew Bateman, Janet Owen, Heather Needham, Andrew Dalziel*



Arts & Museums Service

- Hampshire Solent partnership
 - £625,000 successful bid to Arts Council England
 - Exhibitions
 - Soldiers Journey
 - Artists Rifle's
 - Trench Coat
 - Digital Platform



Arts & Museums Service

- HMS Monitor M33
 - Partnership with the National Museum of the Royal Navy
 - Bid to HLF



Hampshire Archives & Local Studies

- Exhibition
- Military ancestors/resources workshops
- Personal archives online resource (diaries, letters)
- Research for HCC war memorial plaque for entrance to Council Chamber
- Partnership projects including:
 - Regimental rolls of honour digitisation project (Winchester Cathedral)
 - Trails at Netley and Aldershot
 - Educational projects (Morn Hill; war memorials)

Libraries



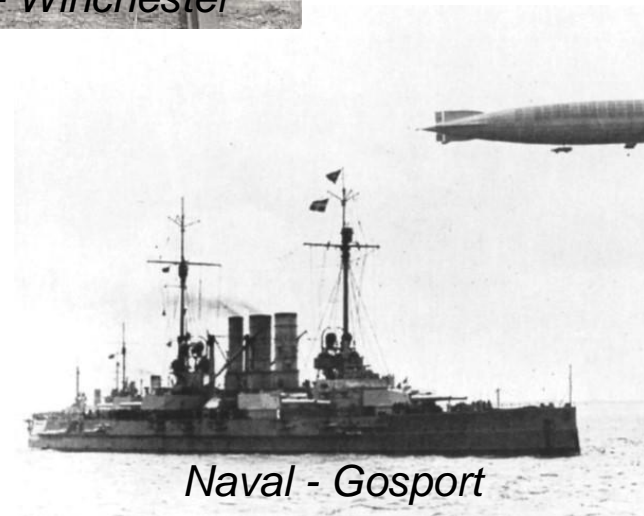
Aviation - Farnborough



Railway - Winchester



Military - Aldershot



Naval - Gosport



Countryside



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Other



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District Council Plans

- Winchester City Council
 - Hampshire Solent partnership; ‘*To honour a promise*’ Morn Hill Memorial Project
- Test Valley Borough Council
 - Art Trail; theatre productions; poppies, flower beds; improvements to Romsey War Memorial Park
- Gosport Borough Council
 - Service of Remembrance; town concert; memorial and garden of remembrance at Stokes Bay

Unitary Council Plans

- Southampton City Council
 - Hampshire Solent partnership
- Portsmouth City Council
 - D-Day 70th Anniversary
 - National Armed Forces City
 - WWI Centenary
 - 350th Anniversary of the Royal Marines

Plans of external organisations

- Hampshire Solent 2014 Collaborative Project
 - Engagement with cultural organisations
- Winchester Military Museums
 - Coordinating Winchester 2014
- Civilian Military Partnership
- British Legion

2014 Commemoration Funding

- £100,000 for initiatives to support the WWI Centenary & D-Day 70th Anniversary.
 - County Council led initiatives
 - Community led initiatives
- Letter to Parish Council's to ask about commemoration plans

Hampshire 2014

- Continued liaison with partners
 - Timeline development
- News and outline plans on Hantsnet

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