

CASTLE DONINGTON & DISTRICT BRANCH

REMEMBRANCE 2020 – COVID-19

Due to the need to keep our RBL Members and members of the public safe it is not possible to hold a parade or service at the war memorial in Castle Donington or Hemington this year. The instructions and guidelines provided by the Government make it impossible for us to parade safely. We are very sorry about this situation and are looking forward to resuming The Parade in 2021.

You can observe and support Remembrance and the Poppy Appeal in several ways:

Hold **2 minutes Silence at 11am on Sunday 8th November** at your front door or in your garden (encourage neighbours and friends to do this as well)

Tune in and watch the service on the TV or listen on the radio

Display a Poppy in your window (templates of Poppies can be obtained from The Hub or online, encourage children to colour them in).

Poppies are available at The Hub, but we only have limited outlets taking Poppies and Collection Boxes, so If you have missed our Poppy Collectors, you are able to donate online. <u>www.justgiving.com/team/CDPoppy</u> or go to the Royal British Legion Website <u>www.rbl.org,uk</u>

- Ensure you all stay safe.
- Clean your hands.
- Observe the 2 metres social distancing and the rule of 6
- Wear face masks.
- Do not touch any wreaths that have already been laid.

