

VE day commemorative event

Join to pay tribute to those who sacrificed so much for the freedoms we enjoy today.

9:00am Flag raising ceremony

The event to commemorate VE day at will be held Ceremonial Way, Civic Centre, Newcastle

9:00pm Band of the Fifth Royal Regiment of Fusiliers

9:05pm Opening remarks: Lord Mayor of Newcastle, Councillor Rob Higgins

9:10pm Musical tribute

9:15pm VE Day speech – Colonel Peter Stitt, Commander North Region, British Army

9:25pm Tribute to the fallen: Lord Mayor of Newcastle, Councillor Rob Higgins

9:28pm National Anthem

9:30pm Lighting of the flambeau beacons: Lord Mayor of Newcastle, Councillor Rob Higgins

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