



PUBLIC NOTICE

Anzac Day 2020

Unfortunately, due to the COVID-19 restrictions the normal ANZAC Day commemorations will not take place on Saturday in Bedourie or Birdsville this year.

However, coronavirus won't stop Australians from paying tribute this Saturday. The RSL encourages people to Light Up the Dawn and remember and pay respects from home. This can take several forms including from your home, the end of your driveway or verandah.

Chairman of RSL Queensland Tony Ferris says it will be a "hair on the back of your neck" moment. "I would just like to encourage Queenslanders this Anzac Day the 25th of April to step out onto their driveway, their verandas, or their porches, at 6am in the morning and commemorate those who've gone and served this country, those who are currently serving this country, and those that have come home with their injuries and are still suffering with those injuries," he said.

With dawn being later out here in the west we recommend that you pay tribute at 6:50am (which is the same as 6am on the east coast relative to first light and sunrise) in whichever way suits you and your household. Please see the Get Involved this Anzac Day website: <https://www.rslqld.org/ANZACspirit> for ways to invoke the Anzac Spirit.

You can also play the service from your home or driveway, just click on the PLAY YOUR SERVICE HERE button on <https://www.rslqld.org/News/Latest-News/Light-up-the-dawn>.

Please join the rest of Australia in this special moment #ANZACspirit #lightupthedawn

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