

ELEVEN EMPTY SPACES

PART OF AN ORAL HISTORY PROJECT RECORDING AND REMEMBERING
THE EVENTS OF THE IRA ATTACK ON THE ROYAL MARINES SCHOOL OF MUSIC, DEAL
ON 22 SEPTEMBER 1989

“ THANK YOU ”

Dover Museum have a number of people they would like to thank.

Our interviewees:

Mrs Maureen Bane MBE, former Matron of Deal Victoria Hospital
Cllr Ben Bano, former manager of the Dover and Deal community mental health team
Mr Tony Bartlett, former Sergeant with the Kent Police Force
Dr Giles Beach, local GP
Mr Steven Biddle, former Royal Marine Bugler
Mrs Sue Briggs, senior reporter at the East Kent Mercury
Mr John Clapson MBE, former member of the Kent Ambulance Service
Captain David Cole (Rtd), former Director of Music Training at the Royal Marines School of Music
Mr Malcolm Cowie, former sub-officer at Deal Fire and Rescue Service
Lt Col Richard Dixon (Rtd), former commanding officer at the Royal Marines barracks, Deal
Mrs Tricia Dixon MBE, wife of Lt Col Richard Dixon
Mrs Jacqui Duffy, former tailoring contractor at the Royal Marines barracks
Mr David Duxbury-Williams, former Royal Marine Colour Sergeant
Mr Marcus Gidman, former station officer with the Kent Fire and Rescue Service
Mr Derek Goodban, fisherman and resident of Canada Road, Walmer
Mr Terry Hardie, former leading firefighter with the Fire and Rescue Service
Mr Graham Harvey, former RSM at the Royal Marines School of Music
Rev Bruce Hawkins, former vicar of Walmer
Mr Tony Higgins, Deal Town Sergeant and former Colour Sergeant of the Royal Marines
Lt Col Graham Hoskins (Rtd), former Principal Director of Music at the Royal Marines School of Music
Mr Peter Hudson, builder, acted as ‘banksmen’ on the day of the bombing
Rev Frank Kent, chaplain of Deal Memorial Bandstand, former vicar of Lyminge and ex Royal Marine
Mrs Marianne McNicholas, local shopkeeper and former Mayor of Deal
Mr Malcolm Mitchell, former editor of the East Kent Mercury
Mr Tony Oliver, former Detective Police Constable
Major John Perkins (Rtd), Chairman of Deal Memorial Bandstand Trust and former Director of Music at the Royal Marines School of Music
Dr Keith Rawlings, local GP
Mr Bryan Walker, former Royal Marine Sergeant
Mrs Rena Walters, St Johns Ambulance service
Mr Wally Walters, former Royal Marine
Mr Harry Woodcock, local resident and former barman at the Admiral Keppel

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