





## **Armed Forces Week**

West Midland Reserve Forces and Cadets' Association supported activity

Date	Event
Tuesday 23 June	Black Country Chambers of Commerce- Armed Forces Covenant
2.00-2.30pm	Lt Col Matthew Longcake, Commanding Officer of 37 Signal Regiment Redditch, will give an insight into the work on how local reserves units have stepped up in the response to Covid-19 and how they have played their part in Op Rescript.  Register for this event online at:
	https://www.blackcountrychamber.co.uk/events/23062020/our-armed-forces-reserves-covid-response-briefing-learn-about-the-armed-forces-covenant/
Wednesday 24 June	Joining the Reserves- A presentation by the Armed Forces
2pm-3pm	This webinar is aimed at those who are interested in finding out more about the Royal Navy Reserves, Army Reserves or Royal Air Force Reserves. The training, skills and experiences gained in the reserves can be used to improve performance in the workplace and can enhance skills in areas such as leadership, team work, communication and decision making often in challenging situations and environments.
	This special event will feature presentations from the Royal Navy, Army and Royal Air Force- this is a great opportunity to learn more and ask questions about whether reserve service is for you.
	Register by emailing <a href="mailto:wm-reed@rfca.mod.uk">wm-reed@rfca.mod.uk</a> and receive a calendar invite, or use the link here: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/96095402078?pwd=MWZ0YWZHWEg4eFYwM1lxeXdZMFRPZz09">https://zoom.us/j/96095402078?pwd=MWZ0YWZHWEg4eFYwM1lxeXdZMFRPZz09</a>
Thursday 25 June	Army Engagement Team live virtual broadcast event with Q&A
2.30pm-3.30pm	Provide greater awareness and understanding of the British Army. The presentation includes current information on how the Army is supporting the Government's response to the Coronavirus pandemic. With live questions, you can find out how the British Army is serving our nation. All welcome.
	You can access and register for the live broadcast <a href="https://virtualbroadcast.yourarmy.co.uk">https://virtualbroadcast.yourarmy.co.uk</a>

For information on events taking place on Armed Forces Day, visit <a href="www.armedforcesday.org.uk/find-events">www.armedforcesday.org.uk/find-events</a>. There are also some Armed Forces Day resources which can be found on the official toolkit at <a href="www.armedforcesday.org.uk/get-involved/events-toolkits-resources/logos-posters">www.armedforcesday.org.uk/get-involved/events-toolkits-resources/logos-posters</a>. For any social media, tag us @wmrfca and use hashtags #armedforcesweek and #saluteourforces

Further details, contact the Employer Engagement team on 0121 274 2225, or wm-reed@rfca.mod.uk