



Darwin Defenders 1942-45

Commemoration Ceremony

Shrine of Remembrance Melbourne

11am, Wednesday 19th February 2014

On the 72nd Anniversary of the Bombing of Darwin on 19th February 1942

To Honour those who served and those who died during the attacks of Australia during 1942-1945

Order of Service

March assembles at northern end of Forecourt

March moves to Cenotaph

Arrival of The Honourable Alex Chernov AC QC, Governor of Victoria and
Mrs Elizabeth Chernov

Fly Past by RAAF Museum Aircraft from Point Cook

Master of Ceremonies

Mr Don Kinsey AM

Welcome

Mr Peter Harrington, President Darwin Defenders 1942-45 Inc Melbourne
Branch

All Stand

God Save the Queen
Air Force Band

Guest Speaker

Mr Tim Gurry, Managing Director, Ryebuck Media
(With students from Wesley College, Glen Waverley)

Chaplain John Brownbill RFD-KSJ
The Lord's Prayer

Legatee Alan Richard Day KSCJ
Poem - In Flanders Fields

Commemoration Ritual

Mount Guards on Cenotaph

Laying of Wreaths

Ode

Last Post

Silence

Closing Prayer & Blessing

National Anthem

Fall out of Cenotaph Guards

Closing Remarks – Mr Don Kinsey AM

Refreshment Reception & launch of Melbourne Branch Darwin Defenders 1942-45 Website for VIPs & Guests
at Shrine Visitor Centre