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## PRESS RELEASE

### ▲ Air Cadets and Veterans join forces in Remembrance

Walsoken Church was the setting where Air Cadets and Staff from 272 Wisbech Squadron, members and ex members of the RAF and RAFA joined together in Remembrance of the Battle of Britain which was fought in the skies of southern England in 1940. Standards together with wreaths were presented to the alter, the latter being laid on the memorial.

Rev Allan Landell conducted the service and all Standards and Wreaths were presented to the alter during the first hymn. The standard bearers were Cadet Flight Sergeant Matt Harrison, who carried the RAFA Standard and Cadet Sergeant Rebecca Pentelow who carried the ATC banner, the GVCAC also presented their banner. Mrs Ada Wardle carried the RAFA wreath assisted by Adult Sergeant Rachel Huggins. Cadet Sergeant Ben Stek carried the ATC wreath.

There were readings read by Cadet Corporal Kate Foulcher who read from St Matthew and Cadets Robert Smith and Kristina Nightingale who did a double act with a reading from Ecclesiastes.

At the Memorial the wreaths were laid and a two minute silence was observed, the Chairman of RAFA, Dr Ray Hutchinson read the Kohina. After the service the congregation were invited to the RAFA club for refreshments.



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