

ANZAC DAY 2020 – NOT WHAT WE ‘RE USED TO DOING.

ANZAC Day 2020 was different to say the least.

A few people responded to President Russ’ request to send photos of how they commemorated.

Here they are:

This is the view from David Auld’s front deck as the sun rose at dawn at Sandy Beach NSW.

Note the flag on the front deck opposite and his neighbours also “standing to”, silhouetted against their house lights.



This is how David Myers from Terrigal NSW commemorated, dressed in his immaculate replica WW1 uniform



And this moving tribute from Leading Sen Constable Ken Dwight, Station Commander, Woods Point (Vic) Police Station:

Although I am a member of the Association as an ex Member of 131 Div Loc Bty I cannot normally get to Queensland to attend much of anything these days. I did attend the opening of the memorial at Enoggera a couple of years ago and met many of you.

As Senior Vice president of our local RSL Branch at Woods Point, a small mining town in the Great Dividing Range in Victoria I attend our Dawn Service every year. Normally in this town of 25 people in the mountains, we would attract around 60 people at our service. Today only myself and the president, John Ellis were able to attend to our service due to the virus. I have attached a picture of us at the Flag Ceremony.

Sadly you may also be aware that as a member of the Victoria Police I am in mourning for the loss of 4 of my colleagues in Melbourne this week. A wreath for these members was laid at the small Memorial Tree and Flag Station at the Woods Point Police Station in memory of their passing.

To all my brothers and sisters in service please stay safe and look after each other.

Ken

