**ARTILLERY CLUB’s DIARY of Events – 2023**

**(Changes since previous iteration highlighted in yellow)**

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| **Date** | **Event** | **Coordinator** | **Remarks** |
| **26 January** | Committee Meeting: McKee Barracks | Secretary |  |
| **23 February**  | Field Trip: National Museum, Collins Barracks, Dublin | Comdt Lar Joye | Report and Photos on Website |
| **23 February** | Committee Meeting: Collins Barracks, Dublin | Secretary |  |
| **25 April** | Field Trip: Artillery School and National Stud  | Col Tom Carter (Retd) Col S. McDermott (Retd) |  |
| **25 April** | Committee Meeting: Ceannt Officers’ Mess, DFTC | Secretary |  |
| **18/19 May** | Field Trip: Fort Shannon, Foynes Flying Boat Museum, Bunratty, Árd na Crusha and St John’s Castle | Capt Pete Murray (Retd) |  |
| **01 June** | Defence Forces Ceremony, Centenary of Artillery Corps, Collins Barracks Cork | President |  |
| **TBA** | Gala Dinner 100th Anniversary of Artillery Corps and 50th Anniversary of Artillery Club | President |  |
| **29 June** | Committee Meeting: McKee Barracks | Secretary |  |
| **08 July** | Commemoration - Islandbridge | President |  |
| **09 July** | National Day of Commemoration | President |  |
| **16 August** | Annual Golf Competition & DinnerRoyal Curragh Golf Club & Hotel Keadeen | Comdt O’Flanagan (Retd)Comdt M. Flood (Retd) |  |
| **13 September** | Arty Decades’ Reunion - Anniversary of PDF, FCA and AR Commissioning 1953- 2023, Visit to Cadet School and Lunch in Military College | Col M. Smyth (Retd) |  |
| **TBA** | Arty Shoot – Glen Imaal | Col S. McDermott (Retd) |  |
| **28 September** | Committee Meeting: McKee Barracks | Secretary |  |
| **01 Oct** | Defence Forces Veterans’ Day |  |  |
| **TBA Oct** | Foreign Field Trip: Artillery Installations, London  | Comdt M. Flood (Retd) |  |
| **10 Nov** | Units’ Annual Mass & Wreath Laying, McKee Barracks | Secretary |  |
| **01 December** | AGM and St Barbara’s Day Lunch: McKee Barracks  | Secretary |  |