

ATATÜRK MEMORIAL WREATHLAYING CEREMONY

25 APRIL 2023



Order of Service

CEREMONIAL WELCOME BY TARANAKI WHĀNUI

Karanga by **Kuia Pekaira Rei**
Mihi Whakatautu by
Kaumatuā Peter Jackson

NATIONAL ANTHEMS OF TÜRKIYE AND AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND

Istiklal Marsi
Aotearoa / God Defend
New Zealand

OPENING REMARKS

The Honourable
Peeni Henare
Acting Minister of Defence

RESPONSE

Her Excellency Ömür Ünsay
Ambassador of the Republic
of Türkiye responds and
recites the words attributed
to Mustafa Kemal Atatürk,
as inscribed on the
Memorial's plinth

CALL TO WORSHIP

Prayer from **Chaplain Class 2**
Roger Black
New Zealand Defence Force

LAMENT

Played by piper
Flight Sergeant
Murray Mansfield QSM

WREATHLAYING

The Honourable
Peeni Henare
Acting Minister of Defence
on behalf of the Government
and people of New Zealand

together with

Her Excellency Ömür Ünsay
Ambassador of the Republic
of Türkiye on behalf of the
Government and people of the
Republic of Türkiye

Her Excellency
Harinder Sidhu
High Commissioner of
Australia on behalf of the
Government and people of
Australia

Arda Ünsay

and

Cadet Staff Sergeant
Esmæ Collett
Wellington Cadet Unit,
New Zealand Cadet Forces

and

Cadet Under Officer
Charlie Smith
215 Squadron, Australian Air
Force Cadets on behalf of
the youth of the Republic of
Türkiye, New Zealand
and Australia

THE COMMEMORATION

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**Sir Wayne Shelford KNZM
MBE**

National President
Royal New Zealand Returned
and Services' Association

E kore rātou e kaumātuatia
Pēnei i a tātou kua mahue nei
E kore hoki rātou e ngoikore
Ahakoa pēhea i ngā āhuatanga
o te wā

I te hekenga atu o te rā
Tae noa ki te aranga mai
i te ata
Ka maumahara tonu tātou
ki a rātou

Response:

**Ka maumahara tonu tātou
ki a rātou**

They shall grow not old
as we that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them, nor
the years condemn
At the going down of the sun
and in the morning,
We will remember them

Response:

We will remember them

LAST POST

The Bugler,
LAC Clarke Spence,
sounds the “Last Post”

All uniformed personnel salute

ONE MINUTE SILENCE

ROUSE

The Bugler sounds “Rouse”

No salute

BLESSING

The Chaplain concludes
the commemoration with
a blessing and invites
members of the public to
lay any floral tributes
following the ceremony

FAREWELL WAIATA

