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SUPPORTING ARMED FORCES DAY

Through its Military Affiliation with 20 Transport Squadron RLC, The Worshipful Company of Hackney Carriage Drivers is delighted to be adding their backing to the 'Show Your Support' on Armed Forces Day campaign this year.

Armed Forces Day is an annual opportunity for the nation to Show Your Support for the men and women of the Armed Forces community, including currently serving personnel and their families, as well as veterans and the Cadet Forces. People across the UK will be celebrating the achievements of British servicemen and women past, present and future on the second annual Armed Forces Day which takes place on Saturday 26 June 2010. Armed Forces personnel are engaged in Afghanistan and other operations in the service of the country, often in difficult and dangerous conditions. Your support for them and their families is really important to sustain that success.



Four taxi drivers from the WCHCD went along to Regent's Park Barracks on 25th May on behalf of the WCHCD. Each of their taxis is already displaying the Armed Forces Day sticker. Jim Rainbird, who is currently the Master Elect of the Company, will take office as Master in September. Jim is a long standing member of the Company and is also on the Disney



Committee. His black cab was gleaming, as was the blue cab belonging to John Sheen, a Liveryman of the WCHCD and the Company Beadle. He is ex RAF and is pleased to be backing the Armed Forces Day. Dave Cannell, a Liveryman who assists with running the Cab Guide Course, supports the event. His silver cab with its Union Jack radiator mirrors the one on the sticker promoting the Armed Forces Day. Carlos Oliveira added a final splash of colour to the line up with his bright pink taxi. Carlos is a Freeman of the Company. Sandie Goodwin, editor of Taxi Globe and a Liveryman of the Company and chairperson of the WCHCD pr committee, joined the group as photographs were taken with soldiers from the Barracks. These were Major Mel Hilton, Captain Gareth Oliver, WO2 Steve Derbyshire, Ssgt Rupert Dowdeswell, Sergeant Ed Duck and Private 'Goldie' Shalto.



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