

# ANZAC Anniversary: Time Capsule Contents

## *To be opened in 2115*

Contents of Time Capsule:

**The ANZACs and Us booklet** – published by the school. This was given to each child and other community members free of charge.

**The ANZACs Commemorative medal** – originally drawn by Tiffany Grimm, it was part of a whole school competition. Every child received one free of charge. It was judged by class teacher and art coordinator, Ms Holland, and the School Council.

**The ANZAC Peace Garden** – the Garden was opened by the Worshipful Mayor of Hillingdon. The School Council decided 10 things to go in it. They included oak benches, Australian plants, a kangaroo and a hare. The oak benches had words etched on them and these were voted for by the children. The winning phrase was “Lest we forget...”

**Yellow and Blue Ribbon** - this was the ribbon cut by the Worshipful the Mayor of Hillingdon, Councillor Catherine Dann, when she officially opened the ANZAC Peace Garden on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2015.

**A Badge from Adelaide High School** - we are paired with Adelaide High School and they have our original ANZAC flag. The school donated finances for the ANZAC Peace Garden.

**The ANZACs and Us Programme** - this was the programme for the performances. The school did three shows and played to over 500 people. The last one received a standing ovation.

**The Australian Medal** - this was given to us by Captain Ridgeway of the Australian High Commission; he attended the final show of the ANZACs and Us (as did the Worshipful Mayor of Hillingdon).

**An Australian, New Zealand and British flag** - these were used for displays for the ANZACs. The whole school did amazing displays on the ANZACs.

**St. Mary’s Church ANZAC programme** - this was the order of service for the ANZAC Day commemorations. Mr Dodd, the headteacher, laid a wreath for the school. The choir sang If It’s Magic and received a huge round of applause.

**A Photo of ABC TV filming** - the TV company produced a news piece of our school that was shown in Australia and around the world.

**An ANZAC Quiz and Commemorative Pen** - Mrs Brazier, an HLTA at the school, set the school an ANZAC quiz and about 60 children won prizes. This ANZAC pen was one of the prizes.

**A Koala Bear from Australia** - Harefield received many gifts from abroad including books, pencils, cuddly toys and other presents for our children. The Koala Bear was one of the gifts.

**A Photo of Children’s Displays** - the displays in the school looked fantastic. We had an Open Day on ANZAC Day and 100 people came.

**Harefield Well Done Sticker** – given to children who did great work!

Paul Dodd Headteacher, May 2015