

Remembrance Sunday is a significant date in our calendar where the nation unites to make sure that no-one is forgotten and to remember and honour those who have sacrificed themselves to secure and protect our freedom.

This year will feel very different and people are being encouraged to join together for a national moment of silence at 11am as the service is broadcast nationwide.

The National Guidance for Remembrance Sunday does allow for local events, but with significant adjustments to ensure the safety of all those involved. This includes keeping numbers to a minimum, having shorter ceremonies with a focus on wreath laying and observing social distancing at all times.

All of the existing Coronavirus legislation will of course still apply, including the 'rule of 6'.

Working with partners across Warwickshire, the County Council has prepared guidance for those seeking to hold a Commemoration: [A guide for holding Remembrance Day events](#)

Further helpful information and advice on alternative activity can be found on the [British Legion website](#).

You will also understand that the picture in terms of Covid-19 infection rates is continuously changing and we are all cautious about the weeks and months ahead.

Please do continue to visit <https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/information-coronavirus> for the latest information.

To that end, please consider standing on your doorstep at 11am on Sunday 8 November 2020 to observe the two minutes silence.