



## All The Bull's Men

The association is planning to have the unit's history "All The Bull's Men" reprinted. We envisage a hard-cover re-print, in a similar format to the current edition.

We ask anyone who knows of any required corrections to please forward the details to Colleen Thornton-Ward at 43 Marriot Way, Morley, WA 6062.



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## First Commandos TV mini-series

David Elfick of Palm Beach Pictures is currently developing a television mini-series - a drama and fictional account based on the exploits of the 2/2 Commandos on Timor during World War II. David, who produced such films as *Rabbit-Proof Fence* and *Newsfront*, is working with renowned film-maker Luigi Acquisto (*East Timor – Birth of a Nation*, *Rosa's Story*).

In researching this, David has drawn upon *All The Bull's Men*, *The Men Who Came Out of the Ground*, *The Double Reds of Timor*, our Double Reds website and other resources, including Ray Aitken's diaries. We expect that the end result will be a two by two-hour mini series. Precise timing for production is not yet known, but we will keep you posted.



East Timor - Rosa's Story

For further information, see [palmbeachpictures.com.au/news/first-commandos-mini-series/](http://palmbeachpictures.com.au/news/first-commandos-mini-series/).

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## Commemoration ceremony – The third Sunday in November



Each year, our annual commemoration ceremony is held in Lovekin Drive, Kings Park, on the third Sunday in November. Last year, at our 63<sup>rd</sup> such ceremony, James Dexter (left), son of the late Lt David Dexter, delivered a moving speech about his father.

Please join us again this year, to pay tribute to the men of the 2/2, at 3pm on 17 November 2013.

Our commemoration ceremonies are kindly supported by the SAS Regiment. After the ceremony, you are invited to join us for refreshments at "The House" at Campbell Barracks.

Right: Mia Egerton-Warburton, Adelaide Crossing and Grace Newton-Wordsworth led our singing of the national anthem at last year's ceremony. After the ceremony, they were delighted to meet 2/2 veteran Keith Hayes.



## ANZAC Day 2013

If you would like a lift in our bus to get to the march, please call Peter Epps on 9401 7584. Details of the muster point for the march will be published in the West Australian in the lead-up to ANZAC Day.

Members and friends are invited to join us at our annual ANZAC Day lunch at 12.30pm at the Goodearth Hotel.

The cost is only \$30 for a delicious three-course meal and you pay for your own drinks.

To book, please fill in the slip below and post with your payment to Colleen Thornton-Ward at the address shown or email Colleen at [wardsjoe@highway1.com.au](mailto:wardsjoe@highway1.com.au).

Bookings must be received by 11 April 2013.



## Photographic Debt of Honour Exhibition



Bruce Butler has organised an exhibition of photos of the 2/2 and the help given to the unit by the Timorese peoples.

Recently displayed in Canberra, the exhibition is currently on at the Stockyard Gallery, in Foster, Victoria and will be there until 18 March (opening hours are 10am to 4pm).

Left: Timor Leste's Ambassador to Australia, Abel Guterres, his wife Ana Paula Mok Guterres, and Bruce Butler at the Debt of Honour photographic exhibition in Canberra

## Website contributions

If you wish to contribute an article or have a notice published on the Double Reds ([doublereds.org.au](http://doublereds.org.au)) website (as long as it relates to the 2/2 in some way), please email it to us at [wardsjoe@highway1.com.au](mailto:wardsjoe@highway1.com.au).

### Important:

If you have an email address and you are reading this on paper, we would prefer to send you Couriers by email. Please go to [doublereds.org.au](http://doublereds.org.au) and click on News & Events and then click Subscribe (or email us at [wardsjoe@highway1.com.au](mailto:wardsjoe@highway1.com.au)). All this means is that you give us permission to email you. There is no fee.



## ANZAC Day lunch

Yes, I wish to attend the 2/2 Commando Association ANZAC Day lunch at 12.30pm at the Goodearth Hotel, 195 Adelaide Terrace, Perth and I **enclose** a cheque for \$30.

Name (Please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please post, with cheque (payable to 2/2 Commando Association) to:

Colleen Thornton-Ward, 43 Marriot Way, Morley, WA 6062

All booking must be received by 11 April 2013.