



RSL
NSW

ANZAC Day Guidelines for Commonwealth and Allies

The ANZAC Day March is first and foremost for veterans who are eligible and able to march. Allied units with veterans and descendants are invited to march under the following criteria.

Criteria

- Veterans should be clearly identifiable by their campaign medals and should be at the head of each national group.
- No medals or awards earned whilst a nation was in conflict with Australia or the Commonwealth shall be worn in the March.
- Dress should reflect the occasion i.e. traditional/national costume or dress (including headdress) is **not** appropriate.
- Displays of foreign national flags are restricted to one per group.
- No flag of a nation that was used when that nation was in conflict with the Commonwealth or Australia is permitted to be displayed.
- Display of historical flags or ensigns of countries that no longer exist is inappropriate.
- Banners are restricted to one per group and are not to contain any political slogans.
- The display of photos or other memorabilia is **not** permitted.
- Descendants of allied veterans are to march behind veterans in these contingents and are to be no more than 30 per group including banner party and flag bearers.

General Information

- All participants must follow any reasonable directions given by marshals on the day.
- Medals should be worn in accordance with the protocol under which they were conferred.
- As the ANZAC Day March is an Act of Remembrance and Commemoration, dress should reflect the dignity of the occasion. Business attire is appropriate.
- The Sydney ANZAC Day March is not a parade and therefore no vehicle, animal, weaponry or memorabilia (including historical uniforms) may be included without prior approval by ANZAC House.
- RSL NSW does not keep, or arrange to have made, any military banners or flags for veterans or descendants to march behind.