

82nd anniversary of D-Day - Bénouville program: 5 & 6 June 2026

Friday 5th June

- 19.00 h **Concert** in front of the Gymnasium - Massed Band of the Pegasus Memorial
- 20.00h Vin d'honneur in front of the gymnasium
- 23.30 h **Midnight ceremony** by the bust of Major John Howard on the landing Zone.
- (00h30 h *Firework – to be confirmed*)

Saturday 6th June

- 11.15 h March to Benouville cemetery and Wreath laying on British graves by children
- 12.00h 4 Commando Memorial: Ceremony and wreath laying by Mayor & council members of Benouville
- 12.30 h **March from the Town Hall to Signals Memorial** – - Massed Band of the Pegasus Memorial, Mayor & council, cadets and families & friends of the veterans
- 12.45 h **Signals Memorial:** Ceremony and wreath laying by Mayor & council members of Benouville, families & friends of the veterans of the “Coup de Main”.
- 13.20h March across Pegasus Bridge from Signal Memorial to 7th Para. Memorial
- 13.30 h **7th Parachute Battalion Memorial:** Ceremony and wreath laying by Mayor & council members of Benouville, families & friends of the veterans of the 7th Para Battalion and 52nd Group.
- 13.45h (New) **7th Parachute Battalion Memorial:** Ceremony and wreath laying by Mayor & council members of Benouville, families & friends of the veterans of the 7th Para Battalion and 52nd Group.
- 14.00 h Courtyard of the elementary school of Bénouville: vin d'honneur