

NANTYGLO & BLAINA TOWN COUNCIL

CYNGOR TREF NANT-Y-GLO A BLAENAU

Council Offices, Blaina Institute, High Street, Blaina. NP13 3BN

TEL: 01495 292817 e-mail: clerk@nantygloandblainatc.co.uk

Mrs T Hughes – Town Clerk/RFO

ARC Awards 2019 – Expenditure

Buffet	£210.00	(70 people)
Artist	£100.00	
Awards	£134.88	
Freedom Scroll	£ 88.56	
Bespoke Oak Frame	£ 42.00	
Flowers	£ 20.00	

Total expenditure for £595.44

**ARC Awards and
Freedom of the Town**

Previous years' expenditure:

Total expenditure £440.00 for 2018

Total Expenditure £454.00 for 2017

Total Expenditure £397.50 for 2016

Total expenditure £448.75 for 2015

FLY THE RED ENSIGN

FOR MERCHANT NAVY DAY
3rd SEPTEMBER 2019

HOW TO TAKE PART

1. Participation in this campaign is open to all, including individuals with their own flagpoles.
 2. Please arrange for a Red Ensign to be flown on Tuesday 3rd September 2019. Note that the Red Ensign may be freely flown ashore anywhere in the UK at any time of the year. For example, it is permissible for it be hoisted on or before Merchant Navy Day and/or left flying permanently.
 3. Organise a flag-hoisting ceremony, involving local dignitaries and VIPs, Merchant Navy veterans, Sea Cadets, etc. This does not have to be on Merchant Navy Day. For example, you may prefer to schedule your event for the preceding Friday or weekend?
Please feel free to read out the message from HRH The Earl of Wessex, President of Seafarers UK, on page two of this guide.
 4. Promote your event using local media and social media channels.
 5. Arrange for photographs to be taken on the day. Please note that if the Red Ensign is being held for a photograph (e.g. prior to hoisting on a flagpole) it should be shown with the solid red to the right hand side.
 6. Confirm your involvement by providing information to Seafarers UK, either online at www.merchantnavyday.uk or by completing a registration form that is available on request from Carole Hunt, phone 020 7932 5986, email mnfund@seafarers.uk.
 7. Your participation (excluding personal details) will be promoted on a 'Roll of Honour' on the Merchant Navy Day website. Note: If you are already on the 'Roll of Honour' you do not need to register again, unless your contact details have changed.
 8. Order a Red Ensign! These are available from many flag suppliers, including online sources. You may wish to consult the Flag Institute (www.flaginstitute.org) which provides advice on flag-flying protocol.
- For this year's 'Fly the Red Ensign for Merchant Navy Day' campaign our preferred supplier is Hampshire Flag Company, Unit 11, Pipers Wood Industrial Park, Waterberry Drive, Waterloo, PO7 7XU. Phone 023 9223 7130. Email info@hampshireflag.co.uk. Website: www.hampshireflag.co.uk/seafarers-special.htm
9. On the day of your flag-hoisting and/or ceremony use social media including Twitter (#MerchantNavyDay) to publicise your activity and be part of the national campaign.
 10. Send a copyright-free photograph (high-resolution JPG please) to Seafarers UK - see back cover for contact details.

