**Anzac/Gallipoli Day Service**

The Anzac/Gallipoli Day Service is held at the Scottish National War Memorial in Edinburgh Castle on or about the 25th of April each year. This service commemorates the Allied landings on the Gallipoli Peninsular in the Eastern Mediterranean on 25th April 1915.

Fighting strong opposition from the Turkish forces and in the face of heavy losses, the Allied force was withdrawn during the night of the 8th/9th January 1916. Australian, New Zealand and British forces were involved.

The British Forces included:

* the Royal Navy,
* The Royal Scots,
* The Royal Scots Fusiliers,
* The King's Own Scottish Borderers,
* The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles),
* The Highland Light Infantry,
* The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders,
* The Ayrshire Yeomanry,
* The Fife and Forfar Yeomanry,
* The Lanarkshire Yeomanry,
* The Lovat Scouts Yeomanry
* The Scottish Horse.

The Service is organised by The Royal British Legion Scotland and members of the public are welcome to attend provided that they remain for the whole of the duration of the ceremony, having obtained a ticket available only on the morning of the service.