

You can make your payment of \$40.00, by an electronic funds transfer (EFT) or cheque, to the following account:

**Bank:** Westpac

**Account Name:** Naval Association of Australia  
(New South Wales Section)

Please post the cheque to the following address:

NSW Secretary

Naval Association of Australia

GPO Box 2008

SYDNEY NSW 2001

If paying by EFT –

**Bank:** Westpac

**Account Name:** Naval Association of Australia  
(New South Wales Section)

**BSB:** 032-006

**Account Number:** 158542

**Payee's Reference:** MP – X XXXXX

*(please include first initial and last name of the deceased veteran*

*in the payee's details section of the transfer form).*



The Naval Chapel at Garden Island is the Royal Australian Navy's oldest place of worship. It was established in 1902 in a converted sail loft; and it contains stained glass windows and plaques from that era to the present.

The main chapel is on the upper level of the building, accessed by a winding staircase from the main entrance.

In 1996 the Chapel of Remembrance was incorporated into the space during a modernisation of the building. The Chapel of Remembrance was established to meet the ongoing need to create a lasting memorial to Navy veterans' service as an expression of affection and commemoration.

The Chapel of Remembrance occupies an area under the main chapel. It was officially opened on 25 August 1996 by Rear Admiral David Campbell AM, RAN, Flag Officer Naval Support Command; and dedicated by Principal Chaplains Michael Holts AM, RANR, Gareth Clayton RAN and Chaplain J. F. B. Connelly RAN.

There is an earthy atmosphere with a sandstone plinth forming the basis of the altar and rough-hewn wooden columns giving a natural feeling to the space. The front wall is faceted to allow memorial plaques to be placed on the wooden screens.

Any former serving member of the Royal Australian Navy or Women's Royal Australian Naval Service, regardless of rank, rate or duration of service may have a plaque produced and dedicated to them.

GARDEN ISLAND  
NAVAL CHAPEL



MEMORIAL  
PLAQUES

## *Production of memorial plaques for deceased Navy veterans*

*The NSW Executive of the Naval Association has assumed responsibility for the production of memorial plaques to honour Navy veterans who have 'crossed the bar.' Any member of a deceased Navy veteran's family, or friends or colleagues, can have a plaque engraved with details of the veteran's service. The cost of each plaque is \$40.00*





## CHAPEL OF REMEMBRANCE GARDEN ISLAND NAVAL CHAPEL

Thank you for your inquiry regarding the placing of a memorial plaque in the Chapel of Remembrance within the Garden Island Naval Chapel.

The brass plaques placed in the chapel have dimensions of 160mm x 100mm, and they are engraved with the following details regarding the late Navy veteran: Rank and Service Number, Full Name, Period of Naval Service (e.g. 1947 - 1955), Date of Death and Age at Death.

The Naval Association of Australia will arrange supply on your behalf at a cost of \$40.00. This price covers the engraving of no more than 80 characters on the plaque (please see the example below).

[Rank]

[Service Number]

[First Name Last Name]

(eg. A.B. Smith or Andrew Smith)

Served [YYYY-YYYY]

[Date of Death]

Aged [AA]



### MEMORIAL PLAQUE ORDER FORM

Once the plaque has been ordered and paid for, the Naval Association will have the plaque engraved and placed in the Chapel of Remembrance; and your family members will be invited to join us for the plaque's formal dedication during the Naval Association's annual Service of Thanksgiving, which is held in the Garden Island Naval Chapel in October each year.

If you have any questions regarding plaques' production and dedications, please email the Naval Association's NSW Secretary (nswsecretary@navalassoc.org.au). If you wish to order a plaque, please complete the form below and return it by email to the email address above.



Please return the completed form by email to the Naval Association's NSW Secretary (nswsecretary@navalassoc.org.au).

#### Details of Donor

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Contact Details

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Relation of donor to Service Member:  
\_\_\_\_\_

#### Details to be included on the Memorial Plaque:

Service number of Member:

(Note: In the early years of the RAN, Officers were not given Service Numbers)

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of Naval Service: From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Death: Age at Death: \_\_\_\_\_

