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As part of the UK national Remembrance commemorations, Bridgend Town Council, co-ordinated two events for local residents to commemorate the contribution of British and Commonwealth military and civilian servicemen and women in two world wars and later conflicts.

The children and families service took place on Saturday 13th November conducted by the Reverend Rachel Wheeler, which was tailored for children to learn about the significance of Remembrance, and why it's so important. The service was both meaningful and appropriate.

On Sunday 14th November a full Military and Veterans Parade and Service took place. Bridgend Town Council would like to thank Reverend Rachel Wheeler for conducting the Service, Parade Marshals Flt Lt Paul Thomas RAuxAF and Mr John Harris, The Lewis Merthyr Band and the City of Swansea Pipe Band, The Bridgend Male Voice Choir, Military and non-military organisations and Veterans. Once again, following the two-minute silence, held as a sign of gratitude and remembrance for the past 100 years, 60 poppy wreaths were laid as Bridgend paid its respects to the fallen of past conflicts.

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A selection of official photos can be found at the Bridgend Town Council Facebook Page:

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