

Praa Green Sunderland Flying Boat Memorial

On Monday 2nd June 2025, a beautiful summer's morning, we gathered at the memorial on Praa Green to mark the 82nd Anniversary of the Sunderland Flying Boat ditching on Praa Sands beach in 1943. In attendance were four Parish Councillors – Cllrs Thomas, Southam, Tyler & Tyler, Mr Ron Benning who has been the link between Breage Parish Council and the Australian families involved, and Mr George Edmunds author of the latest book about the incident called 'N for Nuts'. Several members of the public also joined us for the small ceremony in memory of the pilot and crew members. The next important year will be the 85th Anniversary in 2028.



**Cllr. Diana Thomas
Vice Chair, Breage Parish Council**