

## Ron Mark Diary Summary

1 July - 31 July 2020

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Date	Scheduled Time	Meeting	Location	With	Portfolio
1/07/2020	08:00 - 08:45	Meeting with NZDF officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	NZDF	Defence
1/07/2020	11:00 - 12:00	National Commemoration marking the 70th Anniversary of the Start of the Korean War	Puke Ahu National War Memorial Park	Attendees	Veterans
1/07/2020	12:00 - 13:00	Korean War Commemoration Luncheon	Executive Wing, Parliament	Attendees	Veterans
1/07/2020	15:30 - 16:00	Farewell call with Col James McAden, US Defence Attache to New Zealand	Executive Wing, Parliament	Col McAden, MoD, NZDF	Defence
1/07/2020	16:30 - 17:00	Meeting with Hon Damien O'Connor and Hon Chris Hipkins	Executive Wing, Parliament	Hon Damien O'Connor, Hon Chris Hipkins	Defence/Veterans
2/07/2020	09:15 - 10:15	Cabinet Committee	Executive Wing, Parliament	Cabinet Committee Ministers	Defence/Veterans

2/07/2020	11:30 - 12:00	Meeting with Dion Jenson	Via ZOOM	Dion Jenson	Defence/ Veterans
2/07/2020	12:00 - 13:00	Meeting with Defence officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD, NZDF	Defence
6/07/2020	11:00 - 13:30	Cabinet	Executive Wing, Parliament	Cabinet Ministers	Defence/ Veterans
6/07/2020	13:45 - 14:45	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)
6/07/2020	15:30 - 16:30	Meeting with Defence officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD, NZDF	Defence
6/07/2020	16:30 - 17:30	Meeting with MoD officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD	Defence
6/07/2020	19:00 - 22:00	Dinner with Ambassador of Israel	Ambassador's Residence, Karori	Ambassador of Israel, attendees	Defence/Veterans
7/07/2020	15:00 - 17:00	South Pacific Defence Ministers Meeting (VTC)	Defence House	South Pacific Defence Ministers, MoD, NZDF	Defence
8/07/2020	09:00 - 14:00	Protected Mobility Capability announcement	Linton Army Base, Manawatu	MoD, NZDF, attendees	Defence
8/07/2020	15:30 - 17:00	Aircrew Trainer Capability project handover	Ohakea Airforce Base, Manawatu	MoD, NZDF, attendees	Defence
9/07/2020	09:15 - 11:25	Meeting with Rannerdale War Veterans' Hospital and Home Board	59 Hansons Lane, Upper Riccarton, Christchurch	Rannerdale War Veterans' Hospital and Home Board, VA	Veterans
9/07/2020	12:05 - 16:00	Visit to Burnham Military Camp	Burnham Military Camp	NZDF	Defence

9/07/2020	18:55 - 20:00	Visit to HMNZS Pegasus	419 Montreal Street, Christchurch City	NZDF	Defence
13/07/2020	11:00 - 12:00	Visit Operational Command Centre	Auckland Council Customer Service Centre Bledisloe Building 24 Wellesley Street	NZDF, AoG officials	Defence
13/07/2020	13:30 - 14:30	Visit to HMNZS Aotearoa	Devonport Naval Base	NZDF	Defence
13/07/2020 - 14/07/2020	16:00 - 23:30	Minister at Sea on HMNZS Manawanui	Hauraki Gulf/Great Barrier Island	NZDF	Defence
15/07/2020	14:00 - 15:00	Hood Aerodrome and Wairarapa Provincial Growth Fund Announcements	Flying Tigers or Vintage Aviation Hanger Hood Aerodrome	Hon Grant Robertson, Attendees	Defence
20/07/2020	09:00 - 09:45	Meeting with Veterans Affairs and NZDF officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	VA, NZDF	Veterans
20/07/2020	13:00 - 15:30	Cabinet	Executive Wing, Parliament	Cabinet Ministers	Defence
20/07/2020	17:45 - 18:15	Meeting with Hon David Parker	Executive Wing, Parliament	Hon David Parker, Crown Law, NZDF	Defence
21/07/2020	09:00 - 09:30	Meeting with US Secretary of Defense, Hon Mark Esper (VTC)	Defence House	Hon Mark Esper, MoD, NZDF	Defence
21/07/2020	16:00 - 17:00	Meeting with Defence officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD, NZDF	Defence
21/07/2020	17:00 - 18:00	Meeting with Defence officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD, NZDF	Defence
22/07/2020	09:00 - 09:30	Meeting with Defence officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD, NZDF	Defence

22/07/2020	10:00 - 10:45	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)
22/07/2020	11:00 - 11:30	Meeting with MoD officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD	Defence
22/07/2020	12:00 - 12:30	Meeting with Veterans Affairs and NZDF officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	VA, NZDF	Veterans
22/07/2020	15:30 - 16:15	Meeting with Chief of Army	Executive Wing, Parliament	Chief of Army, NZDF	Defence
22/07/2020	16:30 - 17:00	Meeting with MFAT officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MFAT	Defence
23/07/2020	08:30 - 09:00	Meeting with Canadian Minister of Defence, Hon Harjit Sajjan (VTC)	Defence House	Hon Harjit Sajjan, MoD, NZDF	Defence
23/07/2020	09:00 - 09:30	Meeting with Chief of Defence Force	Executive Wing, Parliament	Chief of Defence Force	Defence
27/07/2020	10:00 - 10:40	Visit to RNZRSA Head Office	181 Willis Street, Wellington	RNZRSA, VA	Veterans
27/07/2020	13:00 - 15:30	Cabinet	Executive Wing, Parliament	Cabinet Ministers	Defence/ Veterans
27/07/2020	15:30 - 16:30	Meeting with Defence officials	Executive Wing, Parliament	MoD, NZDF	Defence
27/07/2020	16:30 - 17:30	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)	Withheld under section 6 (a)
28/07/2020	09:15 - 10:00	Cabinet Committee	Executive Wing, Parliament	Cabinet Committee Ministers	Defence/Veterans
28/07/2020	17:00 - 18:00	Cabinet Committee	Executive Wing, Parliament	Cabinet Committee Ministers	Defence/Veterans

29/07/2020	08:00 - 12:30	Commissioning of HMNZS Aotearoa	Devonport Naval Base	MoD, NZDF, attendees	Defence
29/07/2020	18:30 - 18:45	Meeting with French Minister of Defence, Hon Florence Parly	Via phone	Hon Florence Parly, MoD	Defence
30/07/2020	09:15 - 10:15	Cabinet Committee	Executive Wing, Parliament	Officials & Staff	Defence
30/07/2020	11:00 - 11:30	Meeting with Chinese Ambassador HE Wu Xi	Executive Wing, Parliament	HE Wu Xi, PRC embassy staff, MoD, NZDF	Defence
30/07/2020	12:00 - 13:20	Lunch hosted by the Australian High Commissioner	Australian Residence	Australian High Commissioner, Australian embassy staff, MoD, NZDF	Defence/Veterans
30/07/2020	15:15 - 15:45	Speak to Otago Pacific Island Law Students Association	Executive Wing, Parliament	Otago Pacific Island Law Students Association	Defence/Veterans
31/07/2020	17:05 - 17:15	MEDIA INTERVIEW – Newstalk ZB	Via Phone	Newstalk ZB	Defence
31/07/2020	17:20 - 17:30	MEDIA INTERVIEW – Magic Talk	Via Phone	Magic Talk	Defence