



**Bassetlaw**  
DISTRICT COUNCIL  
— North Nottinghamshire —

Head Teachers of  
Secondary/Primary/Junior  
Schools in Worksop

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Dear Head Teacher

Mercian Regiment – Exercising the Right to the Freedom of Retford and Worksop

On Wednesday 26 October 2022, The Mercian Regiment (formally known as the Worcester & Sherwood Foresters Regiment, The Cheshire Regiment and The Staffordshire Regiment) will be Exercising the Right to the Freedom of Worksop & Retford.

At 11.30 am approximately 90 soldiers will be taking part in a Parade through Worksop town centre, when the Regiment will be in full uniform and the Colours of the Battalion will be on parade. The Regimental mascot, Lane Corporal Derby will also be present.

The Chairman of Bassetlaw District Council, Councillor Madelaine Richardson will be taking the salute along with Lord Lieutenant Sir John Peace from the balcony of Worksop Town Hall at approximately 12.15pm.

I am enclosing a map of the Parade Route showing where the Chairman will stand to take the salute should children from your school be interested in observing this prestigious event.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

*Lisa Dixon*

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