

**On the 28th July a plaque was unveiled in the Boyle Town Library to commemorate soldiers from the town who departed for the Congo in 1960. The well attended event was organised by the Boyle ONE Branch and the American Legion Post. The attendance included many dignitaries and veterans from across the Globe.**

The unveiling took place at 3.00 pm which was the approximate time that the first plane took off from Baldonnell bringing the first Irish troops to the Congo, for Ireland's first major UN mission. John Murphy, Branch Chairman, spoke briefly prior to the ceremony and especially remembered those whose names are on the plaque but are no longer with us. The unveiling was followed by a short remembrance ceremonial in the Library courtyard.



**5th NOVEMBER  
Niamba Ceremony  
Cathal Brugha Bks, Dublin**

