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## Fiona meets up with the Dad's Army heroes

IT WAS a busy weekend for local singer Fiona Harrison as she prepared to entertain the crowds in Thetford, or as fans of the BBC's classic Dad's Army may recognise it as, 'Walmington-on-Sea'.

Many turned out to see her performance of "Putting on the Ritz" - 100 years of music and costume.

The show was a total success

and Fiona's performance earned her three standing ovations and flowers from the mayor.

On Saturday morning she was down at the market square of the Norfolk town, setting up the stage for an outside event, which included an appearance together by the writers of Dad's Army, Jimmy Perry and David Croft, and 'grumpy ARP warden' star Bill Pertwee.

The event had been billed as a very special occasion, as it would be the very last visit by the team to Thetford.

After her show Fiona introduced and brought the stars onto the stage where she chatted with them and posed for photos. Bill Pertwee plans to stay in touch with Fiona.

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