**William Gilliland – 18th June 1985**

SEFF remembers William Gilliland on this the 35th Anniversary since his death. William was murdered by an IRA landmine explosion on 18th June 1985.

Constable Gilliland died while undergoing emergency surgery after he was caught in the IRA explosion near Kinawley. His colleague was also seriously injured and had to be cut free from the vehicle.

William was from Lisbellaw. He was married with two children. William joined the RUC reserve in 1972 and became full time in 1975. He was 39 years old when he was murdered.

SEFF’s thoughts and prayers are with William’s family today and every day.