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The Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) Regimental Association

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Edwin van der Wolf receives Member of the Order of Oranje Nassau At Hattem, the Netherlands



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Presidents Message - Ron Cullen

Things are going much better for this newsletter than before the last one. I would like to thank all for the get well wishes.

The Annual General Meeting was held on Saturday, March 2 and there was a good turn out. There were some good discussions with the main one being the renaming of the Bay Street Armoury to the Sir Arthur Currie Armoury. The vote was unanimous. It will now head up the appropriate channel through the board of trustees.

The Jack Fawcett Award was presented to Mr. Bob Russell. Congratulations to Bob who is a well deserving recipient.

The recipients of the President's Award were Gord and Maureen Thomson and since neither of them were in attendance at the Annual General Meeting, it has been decided to present it to them at the Annual reunion in Prince George. Congratulations to Gord and Maureen.

We have been working on a number of issues in assisting the Regiment. One of them is a Fund Raiser being hosted by Honourary Colonel Farmer and Honourary Lieutenant-Colonel Crober. The intent is to offset some of the costs for soldiers that will be attending the 2020 tour as well as other things not supplied by the Department of National Defense. We are also working with the Regiment on the 2020 tour which is in the early stages. There will be more to follow as information becomes available.

Congratulations to Major Rob Dodds, Officer Commanding "A" Company, as well as the President of Officers Mess Committee, on being selected to bike from Dieppe to Juno Beach to raise money to support the Wounded Warriors of Canada. It's a 600-kilometer bike ride in six days, which begins on May 30, 2019, and is being held in conjunction with the 75th Anniversary of D-Day. Any gift amount will make a difference towards his fund-raising goal of \$6,000.00. Donations of \$25.00 or more will receive a tax receipt and for every donation of \$100.00 your name will be entered for a chance to win one of three special prizes. If you would like to support Rob his fund-raising page is: https://goo.gl/sGukVh.

We congratulate Ed Peck on been selected to attend the 75th anniversary of D-Day and he has chosen to attend in Nova Scotia rather than Europe.

The next Pot Luck Social will be on Saturday, May 25. There will be more information in the social director report.

We have made a couple of minor changes to the bursary application and the changes are now on the web site. We encourage those soldiers that will be furthering their education to get an application form and send it in by the end of June. There will be two \$1,000.00 Bursaries. Senior Cadets that are advancing their education are also encouraged to apply. For any members that would like to donate to the bursary fund and get a tax receipt, send your donation to the Heritage Foundation, Regimental Association Bursary Account. You can donate monthly or yearly and a tax receipt will be issued at the end of the year. The intension is to build up the bursary fund so that we can give out more than two bursaries per year. Hopefully, if the fund becomes large enough, we may also allow ones significant other to apply.

We have two new director's this year and we welcome Gary Louis and Lee Tucker and we look forward to working with them.

I'd like to thank Jack Drysdale for his time on the Executive and for all he's done and wish him well as the Assistant Director of the Regimental Museum. Thanks also goes to Jim Dumont for all he does for the Regimental Family, not only the Book of Memory and Museum Duties, but for the Association for looking after the newsletter and arranging the Saturday lunches once a month from October to April which is much appreciated by all those who participate. Also a thank you to Jack and Carole Amo for all their hard work of ensuring the reunions are set up for all members and guests that attend and making sure they are well looked after. As we all know Jack continues to do a terrific job as the Secretary-Treasurer of the Association, which he has done for the past 26 years, so thanks for that and all the other things he does. I must also mention the members of the Association Executive, who are a loyal and dedicated group. They are a pleasure to work with and I thank them.

The annual Nanaimo Branch Bar-B-Que at Bill and Linda Burwood's will be on the Saturday, July 6 this year. There is more information in the Nanaimo Branch article.

I hope to see a number of you at the reunion in Prince George and for those not attending the executive wishes you a safe and happy summer.

Regimental Museum - Randy Evans

The fourteen museum volunteers have been busy recently with the completion of a book sale at the Armoury on Saturday, April 27, which saw our Library books logged and vetted, with superfluous books sold, and non-military books donated to the Times-Colonist charity book sale.

The museum was open during the book sale, with The Ashton Armoury Museum, the 5th Field Artillery Museum, the BC Aviation Museum, the Queens Own Rifles Association, and the Vancouver Island Western Command Military Vehicle Historical Society participating.

The Museum has just joined the BC Museum Association (BCMA), and continues to be a member of The Greater Victoria Military Museum Working Group (GVMMWG), the Organization of Military Museums of Canada (OMMC), and Tourism Victoria.

We continue to utilize our Department of History and Heritage (DHH) grant funds to complete projects and to purchase required conservation tools and materials to maintain our collection. We now have an HVac vacuum cleaner with special attachments, a second dehumidifier to keep the air free of moisture, assorted tools, and a chest freezer donated by John Wigmore to treat clothing and artifacts for bug control.

Our computer network has now been set up with a new Colour Laser printer, large-capacity automatic back-up storage, four new computers, larger monitors, and updated soft wear. A Wi-Fi extender was added to increase internet signal strength throughout the museum and into the Officers= Mess. A museum web domain was also purchased B escotrmuseum.ca to enhance communication between volunteers and other organizations.

Our outreach Coordinator B John Azar, has completed two interpretive panels outlining the Regiments participation in D-Day and the Normandy Campaign, and he is currently working on a project to disseminate information from the Regiment=s Second World War diaries in serial format from the preparations for D-day to the end of the war and demobilization. The Interpretive Panels can be viewed in the Museum which will be open for the Honourary=s Dinner, Saturday, May 4, 2019.

Remember that your Museum is open for the winter season, Sept B May every Tuesday from 10:00AM to 2:00 PM. We move to our summer schedule in June and are open from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM Tuesday to Friday (excluding Stat Holidays) for June, July and August. Group tours can also be arranged for specific timings and events by contacting the Museum at 250-363-8753, or cscotrmuseum@shaw.ca.

Old Guard - Rhonda Scott

The Old Guard, is continuing to support the four Cadet Corps when asked.

There is still a major issue with the Inventory of the Highland kit, which some Corps still have not provided to the Old Guard. Funding for Cadet Corps that apply for help from us is only now given if the Corps has supplied a copy of their inventory. The Highland Kit is an integral part of the identity of the C Scot R, and to keep having to replace pieces of kit that has gone missing or has not been recorded properly, is very frustrating and costly for the Old Guard, the Women's Auxiliary and the Parent Support Groups. Keeping meticulous records of the inventory will definitely make these costs de escalate.

The Cadet Old Guard is looking forward to helping promote the 80th Anniversary of the 1726 Comox/Courtenay RCACC next year and the 2136 Victoria RCACC the year after.

Nanaimo Branch - Gord Thomson

Members of the Nanaimo Branch have been asked to help cook and serve at the end of year "B" Company Smoker at Nanaimo Military Camp on Wednesday, May 22 at 6:00 PM. This is good event for you to meet old friends and new serving members. Branch President, Marc Marchand, gives tips on how to cook moist and tasty burger patties and Linda Burwood follows up with all of the high end fixings. Please phone Gord Thomson 250 758 1063 to confirm your attendance by Monday, May 13.

All members of the Regimental Association are invited to the 6th Annual Nanaimo Branch Summer Bar-B-Que to be held at William and Linda Burwood's home, on Saturday, July 6, 2019 at 12 noon. The address is 5709 David Road, Ladysmith, BC and you get there by turning off the Island Highway opposite the Nanaimo Airport onto Timberlands Road and then left on Cameron Road. Drive for approximately one kilometer and turn right on David Road. It is the last house on the right. Please call or text Linda Burwood at 250 740 1425 or Bill Burwood at 250 740 2974 by Sunday, June 30 to let them know if you plan to attend. Please bring a lawn chair. The entrée will be provided. If you would like to contribute an appetizer, salad or dessert, please let Linda know. This is a great social event and we hope to see you all there!

More Award Recipients

In the last edition of "The Can Scot" there was an article by Mike Heppell that Edwin van der Wolf of Hattem, The Netherlands, the 2018 recipient of the Jack Fawcett Award, was awarded the Sovereign's Medal for Volunteers which was created by the Crown in recognition of exceptional volunteer achievements and is part of the Canadian Honours System.

Since then, Mike Heppell has received a message from Jan Wiggers, the Mayor of Hattem that Edwin has been knighted and became a member of the Order of Oranje Nassau. The order is a chivalric order open to "everyone who has earned special merits for society". These are people who deserve appreciation and recognition from society for the special way in which they have carried out their activities. The lower grades of the order are comparable with the ranks of the Order of the British Empire in the United Kingdom, but titles, prefixes or post nominals (other than academic ones) are not used in the Netherlands (the only exception being for members of the Military William Order).

Also since the last newsletter, we have learned that two other recipients of the Sovereign's Medal for Volunteers were Steve Kelly awarded on June 18, 2018 and Wendell MacLean on December 24, 2018.

The Sovereign's Medal for Volunteers recognizes the exceptional volunteer achievements of Canadians from across the country in a wide range of fields. As an official Canadian honour, the Medal for Volunteers pays tribute to the dedication and exemplary commitment of volunteers.

Steve's volunteer service includes several decades training Pipers and Drummers sponsored by the Royal Canadian Legion (Ogden Branch #154) and Army Cadets in Alberta and British Columbia. The Legion sponsored Junior Pipe Band in Calgary would eventually go on to represent Canada in Scotland at Highland Games. In 1978 Steve, along with his wife Christeen and son Stephen, moved to Victoria where he assumed the position of Pipe Major with the Canadian Scottish Regiment and also served as Regimental Sergeant Major. Steve is currently a 20 year volunteer member of the Pipes and Drums of 443 Squadron, RCAF based at Pat Bay where, under the direction of his Pipe Major son Stephen, he serves as a volunteer Band Quartermaster and Instructor. He also serves as a volunteer Band Instructor with the 78th Fraser Highlanders in Victoria.

Wendell has dedicated many hours to the Piping community as well as volunteering with other organizations.

Congratulations to all three for their dedication and receiving their well deserved awards.

Spring Potluck - Steve Hayward

The Regimental Association will be holding its spring potluck in the Currie Room on Saturday, May 25th. The theme this time will be Tex Mex BBQ. We would like to see things like chilli, stews, baked beans, corn bread, chicken, chicken wings, sausage, any meat dish, macaroni and cheese, potato salad, etc. or any BBQ type thing. We will be providing the buns and deserts this time so all we need you to contribute will be the mains. Please make sure that you bring enough for six to eight people as we need to make sure that everyone gets properly fed!

We will also have our usual prizes, games, another rousing game of trivia (western theme music), and the toss for bottles. The bar will open at 6:00 PM and we will eat around 6:30 PM.

This event is open to all members of the Regimental Family and their friends. We appreciate your continued support for these events. We hope that you can attend, and we look forward to seeing you once again for another fun evening!

Please let us know if you can attend. Contact Steve Hayward at srpaint@shaw.ca or (778) 351-3376 or Rhonda Scott at fourscottys@telus.net.

Women's Auxiliary - Rhonda Scott

The Canadian Scottish Regiment Women's Auxiliary (WA) are pleased to announce that their Annual Silent Auction in March was a success. Although our numbers in attendance were down by 30 people this year, we still had an enthusiastic and supportive group of people who help raise money for us. We have agreed to give it another try; so next year we will be hosting it in March 2020.

The WA year end dinner is fast approaching, and we will be holding it on Wednesday, June 26 at the Trafalgar / Pro Patria Branch No. 292 of The Royal Canadian Legion. We gather anytime after 6:00 PM and Dinner is at 6:30. PM. This is also our Annual General Meeting and Election of Officers. If anyone would like to run for a position, please contact Dixie Allan at dixie.allan@shawcable.com.

As usual, the Women's Auxiliary is helping out the Regiment where ever they can, and presently Dixie and Rhonda are representing the WA by supporting the Regimental Live/Silent Auction/Dinner to be held on Saturday, May 4.

The W/A are also going to be supporting the Regimental Association Tex/Mex Pot Luck Dinner coming up on Saturday, May 25.

The year 2020 is the 80th Anniversary of the WA. Although our membership numbers are down significantly since the first meetings of the WA and its 6 Satellite Auxiliaries in 1940 (These auxiliaries encompassed well over 300 members during the WWII years), we are managing to keep our heads above water financially, and we still have the drive to continue to support our Regiment and its four Cadet Corps. We are extremely proud of the fact that we are the last surviving Women's Auxiliary associated to any Canadian Forces Highland Regiment. Therefore we are planning to celebrate our great achievement by hosting an event in 2020. As our ideas formulate into reality, we will let you know the particulars.

Association Pipe and Drums - Drum Major Gary Louis

The Association Pipes & Drums are poised to enter a busy season of functions beginning with St. Michael's Alumni Rugby and the Honourary Colonels' Fund Raiser on Saturday, May 4th. Another highlight will be the Candlelight Ceremony at God's Acre on Thursday, May 30th with the theme being the 75th Anniversary of D-Day.

I am pleased to advise you that we have a strong contingent committed to travelling to Prince George to support the veterans at the Regimental Reunion in June. This has always been a marquee event on our calendar each year. We are all getting older but the "younger minds" in the band look forward to having a reunion in Vegas one year.

We have two new pipers: Dave McKinnon and Deb Nicol, the latter joining us from the 78th Fraser Highlanders.

Incumbent member Jack Drysdale remains on leave from the band due to an unfortunate accident where he slipped and suffered multiple fractures to his arm which will make it a challenge for him to play the pipes. We all wish him a complete recovery.

Association Lunches - Jim Dumont

The Association held seven lunches from October 2018 to April 2019 and they were all enjoyed by the persons attending. We had the additional privilege of having our Association Pipes and Drums put on a

performance for us at both the Christmas luncheon in December and our last luncheon in April. Both the performances were enjoyed by all. We thank them for taking the time to help make our lunches better.

The numbers attending this year were about the same as last year but we would still have liked to see more. We averaged about 24 not including the Band on their two appearances. With the Band performing in December, we had 40 and the Band attending in April we had 29 which brought our average up to 25. The original idea of having lunches was for anyone in the Regimental Family to get together to talk with one another and be able to discuss the past and future events within the Family. It was also done to give those that don't like to drive at night to get out and connect with friends and make new friends.

Luncheons will be held again from October 2019 to April of 2020 and it would be nice to see a much better turnout. It would be great to have 40-50 attend for a nice lunch and enjoyable couple of hours. We may have to change to a weekday as the turnout from the Marina has not been what it used to be so there is not enough to justify Saturday. This has not been finalized but the day and dates will be published in the August newsletter

Thank you to all those who attended and special thanks to those who journeyed from up island to participate in these fine gatherings.

D Day Remembered - Mike Heppell

"D Day" is a military term used to identify the day on which a combat attack or operation is to be initiated. The best-known D Day occurred on Tuesday June 6, 1944 the day of the invasion of Normandy - officially known as Operation Overlord and this year marks the 75th Anniversary of that historic event. The first phase of the operation was codenamed Neptune, the amphibious invasion and establishment of a secure foothold and it was the largest invasion in history. The armada was spearheaded by a flotilla of 287 mine sweepers to clear the way, followed by 138 warships to bombard the German beach defences. The troop carrying convoy sailed under the protection of an escort of frigates and corvettes with 4000 landing craft and a variety of armed salvage tugs, armed trawlers, air/sea rescue boats and Liberty ship freighters, an armada of 6000 ships and various craft.

The 3rd Canadian Infantry Division with the 2nd Canadian Armoured Brigade under command was assigned to land at Juno Beach which stretched for five miles on either side of Courseulles-sur-Mer. The 1st Battalion The Canadian Scottish Regiment along with the Regina Rifles and Royal Winnipeg Rifles comprised the three infantry battalions of the 7th Brigade of the 3rd Division. For the initial assault, "C" Company C Scot R, commanded by Major Desmond Crofton, was attached to the Royal Winnipeg Rifles to strengthen and extend the Brigade's right flank and was tasked to destroy an enemy gun emplacement 1/4 of a mile west of Courseulles. The company landed at about 0750 hours and immediately came under lethal machine gun and mortar fire resulting in casualties. Some of the soldiers made it no more than 10 feet from the landing craft before being killed or wounded.

Finding their targeted gun emplacement neutralized by the earlier naval bombardment, the company advanced inland toward its second objective, the Chateau Vaux. #14 Platoon soon came under machine gun fire and after a short but fierce engagement the enemy was overpowered as were some field gun emplacements. At the same time #15 Platoon pushed on toward its objective, the Chateau and two well camouflaged 88mm guns nearby. Well disciplined battle-drill tactics, strong leadership and courageous determination of the soldiers of "C" Company resulted in numerous enemy snipers and machine gunners being flushed out from the wooded park surrounding the Chateau. The use of hand grenades convinced the enemy to surrender the Chateau and the Company quickly regrouped to continue its advance inland to the Village of Vaux and the fields beyond. Facing strong enemy opposition, "C" Company had to fight every yard of the way, destroying machine gun positions and taking prisoners as it moved ever forward.

Meanwhile on the beach, C Scot R Battalion HQ and the remaining companies came ashore at approximately 0830 hours through heavy surf and mined obstacles and under the persistent threat of enemy artillery, mortar and machine gun fire which continued to inflict casualties within the assaulting companies as they made their way inland to the battalion assembly area at La Valette several hundred yards from the beach.

By late morning the sound of Canadian field artillery, which had followed the infantry ashore, could be heard providing much needed fire support to the advancing infantry. The remaining hours of D Day were filled with the task of engaging and securing strong points and gun emplacements, fighting through scattered mortar and machine gun positions and flushing out enemy infantry from the grain fields and villages. By 1630 hours the Scottish was four miles inland from the beach and spearheading the 7th Brigade's attack.

By nightfall The Canadian Scottish had successfully fought its way six miles inland and had dug in its forward positions in preparation for an expected counterattack. A remarkable achievement considering 12 hours earlier the Battalion was still at sea.

But in war victories are not won without cost and for The Canadian Scottish the cost was 87 casualties that first day, 87 brave soldiers of peace killed or wounded fighting against Nazi tyranny so far from home. In the words of the commanding officer, Lt Col Fred Cabeldu, when he addressed the battalion prior to disembarking....."our cause is that of humanity, there can be no greater".

On this 75th Anniversary of D Day it is fitting we pause to give thanks to those who served with such selfless courage and dedication in the cause of peace and freedom......we honour their victory and their sacrifice, and we shall remember them.

75th Anniversary 2136 CSRCC Reunion - Don Tulloch

Argo - Calling all cadets. Sometime during 2020 there will be a reunion of 2136 Cadet Corps.

We are looking for persons to help organize this event. First and foremost is help with locating and informing ex cadets of the corps.

The short plan is to have a quick "Get On Parade" and an informal "Meet and Greet".

Let's see how many ex cadets we can get on parade and how far back can we go.

Please let us know: Contact: Paul Smith - smithps@shaw.ca

Don Tulloch - dontulloch@shaw.ca

The Lieutenant-Colonel Jack Fawcett Award

The Lieutenant-Colonel Jack Fawcett Award for 2019 was presented by Honourary Lieutenant-Colonel Paul Crober at the Regimental Association Annual General Meeting on Saturday, March 2. The award is made to "Members of the Regimental Family Who Best Exemplify The Personal Dedication and Effort Displayed By LCol Fawcett In His Many Years of Research and Preparation of Documents To Perpetuate The Proud Tradition and Accomplishments of The Regiment".

The 2019 recipient was Bob Russell for his many hours of work and dedication to the Regimental Family, particularly with his research and knowledge of the Regiment, as well as other military history, which he freely talks and writes about. He also participates and helps out with all parts of the Regimental Family when asked..

Previous winners have been Peter Ramsay, Michael Allen and George Bevis in 2000 (the first year it was awarded), Hank Lowe in 2001, Gordon Rowat in 2002, Jim Dumont in 2003, Dale Drysdale in 2004, David Grubb in 2005, Geoffrey Corry in 2006, Bob Darnell in 2007, the late Commander Fred Grubb along with the late Lieutenant-Colonel Terrance McKellar in 2008, John Petitt in 2009, John Wigmore in 2010, Brian Sabourin

and Blair Thorburn in 2011, Michael E. Heppell in 2012, Vicki Harland-Flack in 2013, Jack Amo in 2014, Bruce Allen in 2015 and Patrick Bulmer in 2016. Daryl Lynn in 2017 and Edwin van der Wolf in 2018.

Our congratulations to Bob on joining this list of dedicated Regimental Family members.

Marshall Foch Article - Provided by Mike Heppell

The following article was in the July 25, 1919 edition of the Canadian Daily Record 100 years ago. The Record was a semi-official service newspaper published by the Canadian War Records Office and issued to Canadian Expeditional Force units.

FOCH AND THE CANADIANS

Says Counter-Attack at Ypres Was AFinest Act in the War.@

SAVED CALAIS FOR THE ALLIES

"Quex," in the London *Evening News*, tells an interesting story showing what a high value Marshall Foch played upon the work of the Canadians in France, with especial reference to the great stand of the First Division at the Second Battle of Ypres, Marshal Foch never forgets, writes "Quex." Some time ago he was presenting French decorations to Canadian officers of the famous First Canadian Division.

He discussed with them the Second Battle of Ypres, and especially the Battle of St. Julien, where the Hun first used gas, and where the Canadians held the line after the troops on their flanks had been suffocated or retired.

Foch was in command of that portion of the front at the time. He told the Canadian officers that had their troops given way nothing could have stopped the Germans marching to Calais, and added "I think the finest act in the war was the counter-attack of the 10th and 16th Battalions of Canadians after their Division had been frightfully punished by the German gas."

Attack which Amazed the Hun.

This counter-attack so amazed the enemy, who counted on their gas demoralising or killing the Canadians, that they slowed down their advance to the coast and Calais was saved.

That was in the fateful spring of 1915, but the great Marshal of France remembered every detail of the long battle and the actual Canadian battalions.

Regimental Association President's Award

The Regimental Association President's Award for 2018 was awarded by President Ron Cullen at the Regimental Association Annual General Meeting on Saturday, March 2.

The award is made to any member(s) of the Regimental Family to recognize outstanding service by their dedication and hard work and have demonstrated to the Selection Committee a superior commitment to any (and or all) branch(es) of the Regimental Family.

The 2018 recipients were Gord and Maureen Thomson who were awarded the President's Award for their loyalty and dedication to the Regimental Family and always making themselves available when there's a

task to be done. They are active with the Nanaimo Branch of the Association and help out with "B" Company functions.

Previous recipients have been: Brian Sabourin and Blair Thorburn in 2010 (the first year it was awarded), Jack and Carole Amo in 2011, Leon Conyers in 2012, Connie Isherwood in 2013, Hank Lowe in 2014, Jim Dumont in 2015, Rhonda Scott in 2016 and Bill and Linda Burwood in 2017.

Our congratulations to Gord and Maureen Thomson for joining this list of hard working Regimental Family Members.

Membership Update

We welcome the following new member to the Regimental Association.

J.W. Azar 2630 Avebury Avenue, Victoria, BC V8R 3W2 250-595-3407

The following are either changes of address, changes to portions of the address or corrections to previous errors. We have included the whole address so that you can cross them out on your main list and attach this page to your list. We feel this will be easier for you than trying to amend your list.

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 S.H. Kelly 4658 Falaise Drive, Victoria, BC
 V9C 3T1 250-415-1695
 V8Y 1B3 250-370-0366

Please delete the following from your list: M. Culley(Deceased), P.M. Fraser(Deceased), B. Mitchell(Request), E. Tomyn(Deceased), J. Woods(Request) and H.C. Young(Deceased).

Last Post

- **FRASER, P.(99)** Phyllis Vancouver, BC September 3, 2018 Wife of the Late Ewen Fraser.
- **TOMYN, E.S.(94)** Ethel Sylvia Kelowna, BC January 21, 2019 Wife of the Late Nicholas Tomyn.
- YOUNG, H.C.(91) K 4734108 Hermine Catherine (Kay) Courtnenay, BC February 27, 2019 She was instumental in the formation of 7 Platoon in Courtenay and served there for several years. Step Mother to Major(Retired) David Valentine.
- GANDY, L.D.(69) Lionel Douglas Victoria, BC April 4, 2019 Son of the Late Pipe Major Gandy. He was a Drummer in the Regimental Pipes and Drums in the late 60's and early 70's.
- DENICOLA, A.J.(96) K179 Armand James Prince George, BC March 1, 2019
 Served with the No.2 Pacific Coast Rangers from June 1942 September 1943 when he joined the Canadian Army Active in Vancouver, BC. He was taken on strength 1 C Scot R on July 4, 1944 and wounded in Action on July 16, 1944. He went to hospital in the UK and rejuoined 1 C Scot R on February 17, 1945. He was released in October 1945.

LEST WE FORGET

57th Annual Reunion, Prince George, BC - Jack Amo

Note: After being a \$70.00 per person for several years we have had to increase the price to \$80.00 due to increasing costs.

Things are well underway for the reunion in Prince George June 7-9, 2019 at:

Royal Canadian Legion Branch No. 43 1116 - 6th Avenue, Prince George, BC V2L 3M6 Phone - 250-562-1292

Schedule of Events

Friday June 7th, 2019

12:00 PM to 5:00 PM Registration at Royal Canadian 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Meet and Greet at Royal Canadian Legion

Saturday June 8th, 2019

10:45 AM - 11.00 AM Form up for Cenotaph Service (location TBA)

Note: The Cenotaph service has been moved to Saturday to give the attendees that are still working additional time to get home on Sunday.

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM Cocktails at Royal Canadian Legion (No host bar). 7:00 PM to ???? Reunion Dinner at the Royal Canadian Legion.

Sunday June 9th, 2019

8:30 AM to 10:30 AM?? Breakfast and farewells for another year at Royal Canadian Legion

Accommodations:

When booking your room mention that you are with the Canadian Scottish Regimental Association.

Ramada Plaza Prince George

444 George Street, Prince George, V2L 1R6

Reservations: 1-250-563-0055

Toll free 1-800-830-8833

Queen Double or Single King - \$120.00 + tax

Amenities:

Free High Speed internet Indoor Pool & Hot Tub Pool Microwave Coffee maker Flat screen TV

Note: Not all rooms have fridges, if you need one for insulin etc. mention you would like a room with a fridge when you book.



57th Annual Canadian Scottish Regimental Association Reunion Prince George, British Columbia - June 7-9, 2019 Registration Form

	Surname I	FirstName			
	Surname	FirstName			
	Address				
	City Prov Posta	al Code	Phone		
	Add additional names to the back of the form.				
	Accommodation:				
	I(we) are staying at the: Ramada Other				
	Estimated time of arrival: Before Friday _ <u>Friday</u> _ Saturday _ Morning _ Afternoon _ Evening Mode of Transportation				
	Registration Fees: Enclosed Registration Fee of \$80.00 X persons = \$				
Registration cut-off date: 29 May 2019					
	*** PLEASE do not send post-dated cheques as this just creates administrative problems. Thank you.				
	Return Registration Form to: The Canadian Scottish Regimental Association PO Box 44180, RPO GORGE				

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