



# CMHM NEWSLETTER

## 2017 – 2018 CANADIAN MILITARY HERITAGE MUSEUM BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**Rick Shaver**  
Chairman

**Brian Studier**  
Vice Chair

**Don Musson**  
Treasurer

**Julia Jacobson**  
Secretary

**Bob Ion**  
Displays and Archives

**Randy Johnson**  
Vehicles

**Don Wilkin**

**Don Kobi**

**Ted Abbott**

**Bill Truax**

## OPEN HOUSE – AUGUST 5<sup>TH</sup> – GREAT SUCCESS



### CELEBRATING 25 YEARS

Left-Derek Pite cuts the ribbon 1993

**25 YEARS OF HARD WORK & GROWTH  
& HONOURING THE PAST**



**Left- Derek Pite cuts the ribbon 2018**  
Rick Shaver, Derek Pite, Dave  
Neumann, Len Hill

At the official grand re-opening ribbon-cutting ceremony we were honoured to have founding member Derek Pite cut the ribbon assisted by our longtime volunteer and Korean War veteran Len Hill.

Good food, good weather and very positive and enthusiastic response from the visitors at our newly renovated museum.



The community enjoyed not only the updated inside artifacts and displays but the outside demonstrations from 1812 to a re-enactment of World War Two Allied and enemy soldiers.

Many thanks to member Neil Hurlbut for organizing the battles and displays outside.

**Special Thanks to all our volunteers  
who made the success of the day  
possible!**

Left-Royal Hamilton Light Infantry

## REMEMBRANCE WEEK

Join us for a special event to commemorate Remembrance Week.

Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018

1-2 pm.

Canadian Military Heritage Museum, 347 Greenwich Street, Brantford

Very special guest speaker Jeriann Hsiao, a former student at BCI was chosen as one of 20 your people from across Canada to receive the Vimy Pilgrimage Award, a chance to tour museums, battlefield and memorials in France and Belgium.

She will relate to you her experiences travelling to those battlefields and memorials in France and Belgium '100 years after'.

## ENHANCED REMEMBRANCE DAY

The Military museum in partnership with local heritage organizations:

Great War Centenary Association, Brant Historical, Society, Richard Eyre, BCI History,

Woodland Cultural Centre, Grace Church will present a special enhanced Remembrance Day program.

## MILITARY MUSEUM OPEN NOV. 11

To commemorate the 100 anniversary

of the Armistice ending

World War One,

The Military Museum

will be open on

Remembrance Day

Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 1 – 4 p.m.

Admission to visitors by donation

## REMINDER

**Election of the 2019-20 Board**

**Annual General Meeting**

**Saturday, November 24**

**Coffee and Refreshments 9:30 am**

**Meeting at 10 am**

**Canadian Military Heritage Museum, 347 Greenwich St. Brantford**

***Information package to be mailed or e-mailed soon.***

## AN EVENING WITH ANDY ROBERTSHAW



The Canadian Military Heritage Museum of Brant County  
Is proud to present

### AN EVENING WITH ANDY ROBERTSHAW

Saturday, October 20, 2018

7 p.m. (Doors open at 6)

Military Historian Andy Robertshaw returns to Canada once again for a presentation focusing on  
*The Last Hundred Days of World War One.*

One of the UK's most exciting military historians, Andy Robertshaw reveals what life was like on the  
frontline of history.

He is a world-renowned expert on the First World War, and on trench warfare, in particular.  
He has worked on countless projects such as the films "War Horse" (2011) and "Wonder Woman" (2017).

Admission is by donation

Information: Call 519-752-0245 or email Bob Ion at [jbion@rogers.com](mailto:jbion@rogers.com)

Canadian Military Heritage Museum

347 Greenwich Street, Brantford

### 2019 Exhibit - Honouring the Women in the War Effort

The Museum has exciting plans in the works for a new exhibit. If you have photos, stories, artifacts that relate to women in the war effort, in the military and on the home front contact the Canadian Military Heritage Museum. We would like to include a photo display of Silver Cross Mothers and would appreciate photos we could reproduce for our display.

"The proud history of Canada's military women began in 1885 during the North-West Rebellion when 12 nursing sisters served in the army field hospitals in Saskatoon and Moose Jaw....Once World War II broke out, the government found that it needed women to serve in support jobs in order to free the men for combat. Women served so men could fight...A total of 50,000 Canadian women pioneers proved that women were capable of much more than tradition, and men, had ever thought" (First In Last Out, Glad Bryce). The stories, lives and experiences of the women are a very special part of Canada's social and military history. The many contributions to the war effort need to be told and retold. There are far too few of these brave women left to thank. **Help us tell the stories.**



## More Anniversary Pictures



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### ***Saturday, October 20***

7pm (doors open at 6)  
**An Evening with Andy Robertshaw**  
Military Heritage Museum

---

### ***Sunday, October 21***

1:30, 2:45 & 4:00pm  
Brantford Symphony Orchestra Presents  
**Fall Music Crawl      Tickets \$30**

Peace, Prayers and Remembrance  
With **The Brant Men of Song** at the  
Canadian Military Heritage Museum

Classical Guitars Alive at the  
Woodland Cultural Centre  
All My Loving with the Odin String Quartet at the  
Mohawk Chapel

---

### ***Sunday, November 4,***

1-2pm  
**Guest speaker Jeriann Hsiao** at the  
Military Heritage Museum

---

### ***Tuesday, November 6***

**Brant Theatre Workshops Present**  
**Sisters in Solace** written by Vincent Ball  
Battle of Hill 70  
**Sanderson Centre 1:00 pm**

---

### ***Sunday, November 11,***

**1-4pm**  
Military Heritage Museum Open

---

### ***Saturday, November 24 10 am***

Annual General Meeting at  
Military Heritage Museum

---

### **Winter Museum Hours**

October to November  
Friday, Saturday, Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.





## CANADIAN MILITARY HERITAGE MUSEUM

347 Greenwich Street, Brantford, ON N3S 7X4

Mailing: PO Box 27033, 794 Colborne Street, Brantford, ON N3S 7V1

The election for the next term of the Board of Directors for the Canadian Military Heritage Museum will take place at the Annual General Meeting on **Saturday, November 24, 2018.**

The term of office is for two years (2019 & 2020) with the Board comprised up to 12 seats: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary and 8 Directors. If you are interested in being part of the museum's active Board of Directors, nominations will be accepted and considered valid if the attached nomination form is completed, returned and received by **Wednesday, November 14, 2018.**

Nomination forms are to be mailed to:

*Canadian Military Heritage Museum,  
PO Box 27033, 794 Colborne Street,  
Brantford ON N3S 7V1 Attention: Nominating Committee.*

Alternatively, a scanned signed document (.jpeg or .pdf format) can be emailed to:

[cmhm@execulink.com](mailto:cmhm@execulink.com)

*Please indicate in the email Subject line: **CMHM Nominating Committee***

To verify the validity of the individual nominated, the returned nomination form must be signed and dated by both the person nominated and the person who has nominated that person.

All Nominees and Nominators must be members in good standing in the Canadian Military Heritage Museum.

For further information please contact:

*Brian Studier*  
[militarydad101@gmail.com](mailto:militarydad101@gmail.com)  
519-752-9230



**Canadian Military Heritage Museum**  
347 Greenwich Street, Brantford ON N3S 7X4  
Mailing: PO Box 27033, 794 Colborne Street, Brantford ON N3S 7V1

## MEMBERSHIP NOMINATION FORM 2019-20 Board

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print clearly)

Signature of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
mo. day yr.

Nominated for the position of Director

I hereby nominate the above named member as a candidate for a position on the Canadian Military Heritage Museum Board of Directors for the year 2019-20.

**Note: Nominee and Nominated person must both be paid-up members.**

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print clearly)

Signature of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
mo. day yr.

***Completed nomination forms must be received by the Nominating Committee of the Canadian Military Heritage Museum by Wednesday, November 14, 2018.***

***Return completed form to: Canadian Military Heritage Museum, PO Box 27033, 794 Colborne St., Brantford, ON N3S 7V1 Attention: Nominating Committee***