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# CSgt James Vernon (right) receiving the LCol JR Shields, CD Leadership and Adventure Award

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# President's Report - Ron Cullen

Well, we are getting back to normal and your executive is working to continue to keep you informed.

I am sure that you are all aware that the regiment has a new RSM. CWO Brad Fairall was the former CSM of HQ and B Coy and we wish him all the best in his new appointment.

We thank outgoing RSM(CWO) Newcombe for all his advice and assistance throughout his tender. We wish you all the best in your new endeavours and have heard that you have been offered your commission to Captain. If true, there's no doubt in our minds that you will do very well.

We are currently working out details for November 11 and it should be back to normal.

We are working on a Christmas Social to be held Friday night December 2 and more information is in the Social Director's report.

We are also in the process of putting together the itinerary for the Annual Reunion on June 2-4 at

The Royal Canadian Legion Branch No. 6 in Cloverdale. The legion has been confirmed and our Vice President Patrick Bulmer is waiting for accommodation costs. We should have things organized for the February newsletter.

I'd like to pass on our condolences to the Kelly family with the loss of Christeen Kelly and to pass on our condolences to Rae McDonald with the passing of his long-time partner Sandra Holloway.

It's time to put goodie packages together for our deployed soldiers. We have three that are halfway through their tour.

This is the last newsletter of 2022 and I would like to take the opportunity of wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a terrific New Year.

# **Our Cover**

Please turn to the Page 11 article "Expedition Team Leader Course" for the full article.

# Nanaimo Branch - Gord Thomson

Last May, a few members of the Nanaimo Branch attended the year end B Coy Smoker. Due to the high winds, the power was out for the whole evening but fortunately, the up-island branch BBQ is propane, and we were able to cook the burgers for the troops. A good time was had by all.

In August, a gathering was held in Nanaimo to commemorate Al Cormons. Al was a former OC B Coy and a huge supporter of the Association. A BBQ lunch was served and a recognition toast for Al was given. Stories were shared about his many contributions to the soldiers of B Coy and of the ways in which he touched all of our lives.

In August, Maj (Ret'd) Mark Campbell, (former B Coy member) from Alberta completed a 12,500 foot parachute jump in Victoria, landing in the field adjacent to the grenade range at Albert Head. Our members enjoyed visiting with him here in Nanaimo and listening to his account of the jump. According to Mark it was a great view of Victoria. For those of you who would like to view his jump, it can be viewed on YouTube.

It is always a highlight when members who live afar come for a visit. If any out-of-town members are coming out this way to visit, please let us know as it would be good to catch up.

In September, the Nanaimo Branch put together and sent off moral packages to the three soldiers who are currently deployed overseas in Latvia. Two soldiers from B Coy and one from Adm Coy. The packages contained a wide variety of items to help brighten their days and to remind them of home.

In September, we were again invited by Captain Victoria Stuart, Training Officer of the 2422 RCACC Nanaimo to give a regimental history talk to the cadets. At this talk, Gord gave out gifts on behalf of Don Tulloch and the Old Guard, to cadets who had sent submissions to the last issue of "The Can Scot". The gifts were greatly received and went into use that evening as the cadets took notes.

We recently received a donation of military history books from Sylvia Burns, wife of the late LCol Tom Burns. Tom was a former OC B Coy and later Commanding Officer of the Regiment. These books are greatly appreciated and will be utilized to further the military knowledge of the Cadets, as well as for prizes at the history talks. Thank you, Sylvia, for your generous donation.

# Association Christmas Party - Steve Hayward Social Director

Now that Covid seems to be somewhat under control, we can start up some of our Association's social activities.

We will begin with our annual Christmas Party on Friday, December 2nd in the Currie Room. Hopefully, we can all get together comfortably again. I hope that we can count on everyone's continuing support as they have always been a great opportunity to meet up. As usual, these events are open to all members of the Regimental Family and I encourage you to bring your family members and anyone else who would like to come. We will get back to everyone when we firm up the time and details. Please try to keep this date open and we hope to see you all soon.

# **Command Team Message** – 29 September 2022 - LCol David Proctor, CO; CWO Braid Fairall, RSM

With the world's attention still focused on events unfolding in Ukraine, news of the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II stunned the world. Her long and steadfast reign endured for seven decades and was a testament to duty and service. Her presence touched many generations of Canadian families, who watched her grow from the teenage Princess who trained as a mechanic during WWII, to the young Queen who charmed crowds on her many tours throughout the country, and to her family roles as mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother many times over.

CWO Newcombe and I had the honour of representing the Regiment at the Memorial Service for Her Majesty at Christ Church Cathedral, the Regimental Kirk. Pipe Major Roger McGuire performed Highland Cathedral as part of the service. We were also invited to a reception at Government House, hosted by the Lieutenant Governor of BC, the Honourable Janet Austin OBC.

With the ongoing events in Ukraine, our efforts in the late summer and fall are focused primarily on individual and small unit tactics training in the urban operations environment. As always, we will take part in community relations events to highlight the presence of The Regiment in the local communities. Participation in our training exercises will focus the soldiers on the realities we face in the current situation in the world. Similar to the world situation over 30 years ago, we find ourselves once again standing on heightened watch to maintain deterrence.

#### EXERCISE / TRAINING UPDATES

The majority of Regimental activity in late summer was supporting individual training courses at the Brigade, Division, and Army level. However, we were also fortunate to be able to participate with small contingents in several collective training and notable activities highlighted below:

**Exercise Grizzly Defender 2022** – Thirteen C Scot R soldiers participate in a major 41 Canadian Brigade Group training event focused on offensive and urban operations in the Wainwright training area in late August.

**Exercise Scottish Blackfish** – An adventure training event also conducted in late August, which provided a dozen soldiers with a physically challenging, unique, and rewarding team-building exercise. This encompassed a multiday, waterborne exercise, learning skills and navigating on paddle boards in the waters surrounding Victoria. On the final day of the exercise, the participants conducted site inspections and maintenance on The Regimental Vimy Monument at Pioneer Square.

MARPAC's Defence on the Docks - The Royal Canadian Navy hosted its Defence on the Dock event for the first time since the beginning of the pandemic. The annual event, held since 2017, kicked off on 17 September at Ship Point in the Inner Harbour. It provided an opportunity for the public to get a small taste of life in the Navy and to connect with members of the Defence community. A small contingent from the Regimental Pipes and Drums performed alongside the Naden Band as well as conducted a separate performance on their own.

**Exercise Scottish Shooter 3-22** – In early September, the leadership of The Regiment conducted C7 rifle Personal Weapons Test 4 (PWT 4) at Heals Range. This was instructor cadre standardization training for advanced shooting techniques required for urban operations, and targeted Section 2ICs and up.

**Exercise Scottish Shooter 4-22** – This was a follow-up exercise conducted in late September, where the remainder of The Regiment conducted PWT 3 and 4 qualifications at Heals Range.



WO Fraser putting the soldiers through PWT 4 serials at Heals range

#### **Awards & Presentations**

The RSM and I were proud to present MCpl Carl Ortloff the Canadian Forces decoration for 12 years of service at Nanaimo on 21 September 2022.



During 41 CBG's Exercise GRIZZLY DEFENDER 22, the following C Scot R soldiers awarded the Task Force Commander's Commendation.

**Sgt Alan Couldwell (A Coy)** – "Sgt Couldwell from the C Scot R was instrumental in enabling 2 Platoon, Alpha Company to achieve all urban operations, anti-armour, and infantry fieldcraft training objectives on Ex GRIZZLY DEFENDER 22. Sgt Couldwell demonstrated stalwart leadership and mentorship as 1 Section Commander, extending his tactical acumen across all ranks."



**Cpl Eli Sheremeto (B Coy)** – "Cpl Sheremeto from the C Scot R performed excellently as a C6 GPMG Gunner on Ex GRIZZLY DEFENDER 22. His selfless approach in supporting 2 Platoon soldiers at all times was noted. His cheerfulness was infectious, and his self-driven attitude made him stand out amongst all others as an impeccable team player. Cpl Sheremeto's expert use and proactive stewardship of the C6 GPMG is a testament to his quality as an infantry soldier."



Additionally, **MCpl Carly Millard** (**A Coy**) was awarded a CO's coin from the Commanding Officer of the Calgary Highlanders, with the citation reading: "MCpl Millard from the C Scot R was awarded the CO Calgary Highlanders Coin for her contributions as 1 Section Second-in-Command. Her mentorship was key in building 2 Platoon's urban operations fighting capability as part of Ex GRIZZLY DEFENDER 22. Her navigation skills enabled 2 Platoon to successfully complete infiltration onto OBJ WOLVERINES, leading the Alpha Company's overall success during the final Coy FTX."



Looking to the remainder of fall training and closing out 2022, The Regiment will continue to support 39 CBG Individual and Collective training as well as preparing for a return to normal commemorations for Remembrance Day ceremonies. Other significant activities will be Exercise Scottish Scholar 2-22 focusing on Urban Operations at the platoon level, and a return of the Game Dinner, which see The Regiment host 3<sup>rd</sup> Canadian Division Honouraries.

We are already deep into a very busy training calendar for all components of The Regiment. Our training focus must always be on warfighting. We have in the past, are currently, and will always, send soldiers and leaders into combat or potential combat zones in support of Canada. We continue to support our Nation's foreign policy aims with soldiers deployed, and training to deploy, on international operations as part of both OPERATION REASSURANCE in LATVIA and OPERATION IMPACT in the MIDDLE EAST.

# **Lunch Dates** - Jim Dumont

We have had two lunches so far this fall and the attendance has not been great so we would like to see more people in our future luncheons. We only had 18 in September and 15 in October.

The lunches are held in the Lounge of the Trafalgar/Pro Patria Legion at 411 Gorge Road East. All components of the Regimental Family, plus friends, relatives, and children are welcome to attend. We gather at 11:00 AM and order lunch shortly after. The last word I had was that our Pipe Band will be in attendance for a short program at the December luncheon.

All the luncheons are held on Saturday and the future dates for the 2022-2023 period are as follows: November 5, December 3, January 7, February 4, March 11, April 1, and May 8.

## The Lieutenant Colonel Jack Fawcett Award

The annual awarding of the Lieutenant Colonel Jack Fawcett Award will be made at the Regimental Association meeting on Saturday, March 4 2023. 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".

Criteria for consideration are: dedication and effort in the area of historical research for the Regiment; contribution in advancing, through historical research, the traditions and history of the Regiment; effort in preparing and maintaining the Book of Memory; efforts on Endowment Fund operations generally; efforts toward the perpetuation of the Regiment; and other criteria in the area of historical research or the promoting of same for the Regiment as may be determined by the awarding committee.

The recipients have been Michael W.E. Allen, George Bevis and Peter Ramsay in 2000 (the first year it was awarded), Shun (Hank) Lowe in 2001, Gordon L. Rowat in 2002, James Dumont in 2003, Dale Drysdale in 2004, David Grubb in 2005, Geoffrey Corry in 2006, Robert Darnell in 2007, the late Frederic E. Grubb and the late Lieutenant Colonel Terrance W. 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, Patrick Bulmer in 2016, Darryl Lynn in 2017, Ewin Van der Wolf in 2018, Bob Russell in 2019 and Tom Vincent in 2020. The award was not presented for 2021.

Anyone interested in nominating someone for the award can do so by writing to Honorary Colonel, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's), 715 Bay Street, Victoria, BC V8T 1R1 by January 15, 2023 with a brief explanation of why you think the person deserves the award.

# Remembrance Day Parade - November 11, 2022

Members of the Association will fall in on Courtney Street between Blanshard Street and Quadra Street at approximately 12:00 Noon. We will march from there to Pioneer Square with The Regiment and 2136 Cadet Corps who will have just arrived from the Victoria Cenotaph Services at the Legislative Buildings. The Regimental, Association and Cadet Bands will be on parade. Make a special effort to get out to this ceremony and get the opportunity afterwards to meet some of the regimental members who have been on many different types of duties over the last few years. Should be a great day.

After the Parade, everyone is invited to attend the reception in Room 222 of the Armoury where clam chowder and refreshments, compliments of the Regimental Association, will be served to members of the Regiment, Association and others that were on parade. Anyone willing to volunteer to help organize and/or serve the refreshments please call Steve Hayward at 778-351-3376. We need a work party to set up before and clean up after the reception. It only involves about two hours work so if you can help out, please call now.

Blazers, Glengarries and Medals are the dress of the day if you have them.

# Regimental Association President's Award - Ron Cullen

The President's Award was established in 2010 by President Don Tulloch. The recipients to date have been Brian Sabourin and Blair Thorburn in 2010, 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, Bill and Linda Burwood in 2017, Gord and Maureen Thomson in 2019 and the Late Florence Dumont in 2020. There were no nominations for 2018 or 2021. The criteria and procedures for nominating a person(s) is in the Calling for Nominations below:

#### Calling for Nominations:

Below you will find the Terms of Reference for the President's Award to be awarded on March 4, 2023, at the Regimental Association's Annual General Meeting. Please read them over carefully and if you have someone you feel meets these requirements, please mail your nomination, with an explanation to: The Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Marys) Regimental Association, PO Box 44180 RPO GORGE, Victoria, BC V9A 7K1.

#### Purpose:

- to recognize outstanding service to an individual who by their dedication and hard work has demonstrated to the selection Committee a superior commitment to any (and or all) branch(es) of the Regimental Family

#### Eligibility for nomination:

- anyone who has demonstrated the above traits (living or posthumous)
- nomination must be received by the selection committee before February 3, 2023 to be considered for that year's presentation
- Presentation to be made at the Association Annual General Meeting which is held the first Saturday of March each year
- The award need not be presented each year
- If there is only one nomination in a given year that does not mean the selection committee must present the award to that person
- The selection committee may choose their own nominee (all must agree)

#### Eligibility to make a nomination:

- any member of the Regimental Family

Regimental Family includes any member of:

- the serving Regiment
- the Regimental Association
- the Canadian Scottish Women's Auxiliary
- Any member of any one of the Canadian Scottish Cadet Corps including training officers

#### Selection Committee:

- Consists of the President of the Regimental Association, the Honourary Colonel and the Regimental Sergeant Major. The democratic process is to be observed except when the nominee is brought forth by the selection committee as described above in the eligibility for nomination section.

#### Costs:

- Initially, the costs will be borne by the President of the Regimental Association. If the Executive wishes to cover costs for future Presidents they may choose to vote on that at their own discretion. Each year's costs will include a "take home" trophy and the engraving of a plate to be put on the Apermanent@ trophy which is to remain in the Association's Display Case located on the balcony near the Museum entrance at the Bay Street Armoury.

# Association Pipes and Drums - David Stewart

We are slowly getting back to our usual routine of recovering from the Covid effect. We have just had our Annual General Meeting and confirmed our operations plan for the upcoming year. We performed twice in September, once at Jim Fisher's 50-year RR reunion and then again at the Terry Fox run fundraiser for cancer research.

Looking forward into our operations plan, we will be seeking some clarification from Pipe Major McGuire on how we can participate in the November 11th events. We will again be organizing a Flash mob piper and drummers event in December to support cancer research.

We will be joining the Association luncheon at the Trafalgar/Pro Patria Legion on Saturday, December 3rd and again on May 6th to support the Canadian Scottish Regimental Association members with their beloved pipes. We will also be part of the entertainment at the annual Christmas potluck in December. In early 2023, we will be participating at the Regimental Burns Dinner on Saturday, Jananuary21st as well as our traditional Burns Pub Crawl on Wednesday, January 25th.

As the summer approaches we will participate in the Tartan parade as a band, and the following week in the Victoria Highland Games as individuals prefer. We are committed to the Association Reunion on June 2-4 in Cloverdale, BC.

Since our numbers are down in the pipe corps, some discussions of recruitment opportunities were discussed. The instruction of any cadets wishing to learn is one of our commitments to support them as well as possible feeders to our ranks with younger players. Anyone knowing pipers wishing to play in a band, send them our way.

The pipers half hose issue has been resolved.

That's it for now.

# Women's Auxiliary - Rhonda Scott

The Women's Auxiliary is happy to report that we will be celebrating our 82nd year in the Regimental Family. Our celebration luncheon will take place Saturday, September 24th at 11:30 AM at the Trafalgar/Pro Patria Branch of The Royal Canadian Legion.

Our first meeting will take place on Monday, October 5th in the WO's & Sgt's Mess at 7:00 PM. We are desperately looking for new members to help us survive. If you know anyone who would like to come and join in, please feel free to bring them to come along.

Our main project as a fundraising event will be the collection of goods and services, to add to our famous baskets that we auction off during our Spring Dinner on Saturday, March 25, 2023.

# **Expedition Team Leader Course** – Cadet Sergeant James Vernon – 1726 RACC Comox

This previous summer I attended the Expedition Team Leader course at Blackdown Cadet Training Center in Borden, Ontario. Over the three weeks of training, I participated in canoeing, hiking and mountain biking throughout the picturesque backdrop of the Ontario wilderness. I and my fellow cadets were able to foster expedition skills to take back to our corps and leadership and teamwork skills to last us our entire lives. Personally, I did so many things over the summer that I thought I would never do in my life. If you told me last year that one day, I would get on a mountain bike and blast down a hill, I would have laughed in your face, but now I can bunny hop, track stand, and take any slope with ease. In just three weeks, Expedition Team Leader taught me how to not only perform but strive at expedition activities, the knowledge that I intend to pass on to my cadets back home and will hopefully be passed on for years to come.



Sun over the water during our hike cycle

There was more to it than just the hard skills though, as ETL taught me something even more valuable – teamwork and leadership. During my time in Ontario, I met cadets from across Canada - from right here in BC all the way up to Nunavut. Like any group that is together for an extended period, I became very close to my platoon, them transcending just peers or fellow cadets and becoming a second family to me. Together we relished success, pushed through hardships, and grew as a unit, learning how to work as a good team, and how to effectively lead and manage said team in a variety of different situations. I can honestly say that while I learned many new expedition skills and techniques, the thing that stuck with me most was my team, one of the most outstanding groups I've ever been a part of. Therefore, summer training for cadets is invaluable, not only because of what the course teaches but because of what it instills behind the scenes. I will never forget my summer at ETL, for it is experiences like these that make me proud to say that I am a cadet.

# Regimental Museum - Jack Drysdale

Now that the Covid 19 restrictions have been lifted, we are open to visitors again. The museum is open for the winter season, September to May every Tuesday from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Group tours can also be arranged for specific timings and events by contacting the Museum at 250-363-8753, or cscotrmuseum@shaw.ca.

The Museum is a Member of The Greater Victoria Military Museum Working Group (GVMMWG) which meets every two months and a member of Tourism Victoria offers web page advertisement and pamphlet distribution. We are also affiliated with the Organization of Military Museums of Canada (OMMC)

To keep the museum and the displays dynamic, we are undergoing a design review and have hired a museum consultant to assist in developing a new image. To get there our five-year strategic plan has been created and our first large (\$75,000.00) Department of History and Heritage (DHH) museum grant has been received. Things are moving along.

We are developing student training boxes for teachers to demonstrate the history of military events through the eyes of a Can Scot. These boxes include uniforms, equipment, and a teaching guide to help immerse students in history. Jack Drysdale is running this project.

We have a new student hire, Erik Butterfield, who is assisting in developing our digitization program and sorting. This eventually will give us the ability to store delicate original artifacts but use images for research and other uses. This project includes photographs, film records, and paper records.

Al Dadd's is dedicated to organizing our holdings in the basement with the eventual aim of recording our holdings in the soon to be received DHH artifact management system that we will be using to keep track of our collection.

Of interest is our aim to highlight The Regiment's roles in domestic operations in Afghanistan and the United Nations. We are short of artifacts and images of our soldiers in those operations. If you have anything we can copy, or borrow, or if you wish to donate to the museum, we would be most appreciative.

Over the last few months, the Museum has participated in displays at The BC Aviation Museum, McCauley Point, and the Navy on the Pier event. Overall, a successful return to museum outreach.

As always, we are always looking for volunteers, and don't forget, we are always looking for artifacts!

# Old Guard Report - Don Tulloch

There is not a lot to report for the Old Guard at this time, but we will be looking into getting highland kit inventories from each of the cadet corps. As well as the numbers, we need to clean some and repair others and this is our only opportunity to make this happen.

The August edition of "The Can Scot" featured some cadet articles and this month we have a few more plus a what's up in Courtney/Comox corps.

At the next meeting of the Old Guard, we will be tempting fate with a hybrid meeting i.e., in person as well as Zoom.

## **Last Post**

MCCALLUM, D.L.(94) Doris Laverne - Beaver Brook, Colchester County, NS - June 28, 2022 Widow of Sir Sylvester McCallum.

HOLLOWAY, S.M.(79) Sandra Mae - Victoria, BC - October 3, 2022

Long time partner of Rae McDonald and was involved along with Rae with the Canadian

Scottish Cadet Old Guard for many years.

Christeen - Victoria BC - August 31, 2022 **KELLY, C.**(74) Wife of former Pipe Major Steve Kelly.

#### LEST WE FORGET

### What Became of Scottie?

We have lost the following members. The number in brackets, after the name, indicates the number of newsletters the name has appeared in this article and if the number is greater than one; it means we have had no response so please let us know if you know where these members are. If we have not received a new address the name will be deleted after appearing four times.

Patrick Allen, Gabriola Island, BC(1) Gordon McIntyre, Victoria, BC(1)

# 1726 C Scot R Army Cadets Comox - Capt Brad Waterfall CD Commanding Officer

1726 RCACC in Comox is alive and well, with about 12 cadets attending regularly. We've had some new cadets join recently as well.

Moving forward, we have a Field Training Exercise (FTX) planned for October 1-2 to refresh ourselves with field craft skills and to be better prepared for a spring FTX which will include a ruck March into Canadian Forces Maritime Experimental and Test Range (CFMETER) training area. We are excited to start using our SCATT shooting trainers this fall to develop our marksmanship skills for upcoming regional competitions.

Locally, in conjunction with air and sea cadets we had information booths at the 19 Wing REXSPO (Recreation Exhibition) and have started providing a flag party, at the Comox Valley Glacier Kings local junior B hockey games, with the National Anthem.

In November we plan to visit Canadian Forces Base Esquimalt and Victoria, including the Regimental Museum, and various other sites.

Note: I took over from Captain John Cloke as Commanding Officer in the summer of 2021. Some of my biography: I was a cadet 1985-1989, joined the Primary Reserve in Toronto in 1992, transferred to the Regular Force as an Aviation Technician in 1997, was overseas in 2002 in the Persian Gulf with Tactical Airlift Detachment CC130 Hercules. I was released from Regular Force in January 2020 and joined the Civilian Instructors Cadre in September 2020. I work at 442 Search and Rescue Squadron in my regular job in the CC-295 Kingfisher Fixed-Wing Search and Rescue Project.

Mr. Ted Usher CD is our support committee Treasurer/Chairperson.

# The Canadian Scottish Remembers - Derrick Egan

At the 11th hour, on the 11th day, of the 11th month of the year 2022, millions of people worldwide will reflect in silent remembrance of those who made the ultimate sacrifice for their countries.

They will remember parents, grandparents, and great grandparents; near and distant, barely remembered relatives; and the unknown and unnamed, many of whose lives were cut short and so were deprived of the opportunity to leave behind generations of family members to remember. Headstones and memorials worldwide singularly mark their lives.

The current Canadian Scottish Remembers project of the Endowment Fund seeks to enter the names of Canadian Scottish (and the Regiments it perpetuates), World War I war dead into the Book of Memory within the Regiment, their memory, service, and sacrifice.

We are looking for individuals to sponsor the below listed soldiers for entry into the Book of Memory. Sponsors will receive a certificate with the sponsored soldier's particulars of service, including place of birth, date and place of enlistment, time, and location of death, and where memorialized if they died on active service.

A donation (minimum \$25.00, suggested donation \$50.00) will secure sponsorship. Some sponsors may wish to make their donation perpetual on an annual basis, for example on the anniversary of the soldier's death or Remembrance Day, or through a monthly allocation (This can be accommodated through Canadahelps.org.)

Sponsorship is being sought for:

77824 Pte. Everest, Cyril Fielding 16th Bn KIA France 09-10-16

29062 Pte. Edwards, Henry 16th Bn KIA France 22-04-15

1000364 Pte. Eccles, John 16th Bn KIA France 14-08-18

427468 Pte. East, Benjamin Hicks 16th Bn KIA France 28-04-17

151632 Pte. Eardley, Albert Edward 16th Bn KIA France 8/9-10-16

420042 A/L/Cpl. Dwinnell, Wilfred 16th Bn KIA France 4/7-09-16

718294 Pte. Dupas, Joseph 16th Bn KIA France 15-04-17

718675 Pte. Duncan, Firth 16th Bn KIA France 09-04-17

186552 Pte. Dunham, Walter Bruce 16th Bn KIA France 25/28-09-16

72585 Pte. Dunning, Warren Edward 16th Bn KIA France 20-05-15

Please return your completed nomination form identifying the soldier you wish to remember with your donation by mailing to: Treasurer, CSR Endowment Fund, 4746 Beaver Rd, Victoria, BC, V9E 2J7

Help us remember those who served with the Regiment in peace and war and to support the Regiment into the future.

Please contact us at cscotrendowment@gmail.com to learn other ways you can support the Regimental Family through gifts to The Endowment Fund