



## Calgary Militaria Shows 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Show July 18 - 19, 2025

Now in its Tenth year, the Calgary Militaria Show offers a premier opportunity for collectors, historians, and enthusiasts to explore an extensive selection of military memorabilia that is on display and for sale. Hosted at the Deerfoot Inn and Casino in Calgary, this event provides free parking, convenient on-site dining with six different options, and discounted hotel rates for participants and attendees. Whether seeking unique artifacts, engaging with fellow collectors, or simply enjoying a day immersed in military history, visitors will find the Calgary Militaria Show to be a must-attend gathering.

### **Why an Annual Show?**

As most of you know, over the last 15-20 years our hobby's presence has been relegated to gun show participation. In addition, there is no stand-alone Militaria Show west of Ontario. To address this situation, I founded Calgary Militaria Shows and hosted our inaugural Annual Show in 2017 with additional Shows in 2018, 2019 and following the covid related 2020-2021 cancellations, in 2022, 2023 and 2024.

### **The Show's Purpose?**

To support the hobby of Militaria, its collectors, dealers, modelers, Canadian militia and Cadet units, reenactors, researchers, restorers, professors, teachers, students, and the interested public, by conducting a regularly scheduled show providing a venue where military artifacts and regalia can be educationally displayed, bought, sold, or traded.

### **My goals are varied but simple.**

- To grow this annual event into the largest Militaria Show in Canada.
- To build the shows reputation as a high-quality event by maintaining tasteful, high quality educational displays and vendors tables that present a responsible image to the public.
- To support the Military Collectors' Club of Canada, the country's premier militaria Club.
- To support our hobby "Militaria" and the hobby's collectors and vendors.
- To support our military, our veterans, and their families.

### **So, I ask all to do what you can to support this show.**

- If you have a display, show it.
- If you have militaria items you want to part with, vend them.
- If you reenact, show us.
- If you own or have restored a military vehicle, we would like to see it.
- If you can, attend the show and bring along or inform friends interested in military history.

With the help of the Show's past and current participants and over time, with increasing public attendance, having Canada's largest Militaria Show in Calgary, Alberta, will be realized. We're well on the way and anyone interested in Military History and Artifacts will more than benefit from it.

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## **CALGARY MILITARIA SHOW 10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SHOW EVENT SCHEDULE**

**August 7 - 8, 2026**

**Deerfoot Inn & Casino - Conference Centre  
11500 35 St SE, Calgary, AB, Canada**

### **Our Annual Show Location!**

Calgary Militaria Shows will once again conduct it's 2026 event at the Deerfoot Inn & Casino Conference Centre.

### **The Reasoning?**

For Calgary Militaria Shows to host the Military Collectors' Club of Canada's Convention, a change of venue was required that allowed expansion of our annual show in both size and the addition of a second day, and to address cost issues that, for the Club, were prohibitive.

### **The Solution?**

We booked our Annual Show into this venue with our booking tailored to meet the Military Collectors' Club of Canada's Convention Schedule and by hosting the 2025 Club's Convention, have addressed cost issues that for the Club were prohibitive, making the 2025 Convention affordable to the Club.

## **Event Schedule**

### **Friday August 7, 2026 - Set Up Day**

**7:00 am - 5:00 pm** - Vendor - Exhibitor Setup.

### **Note!**

**Displays under juried consideration to be setup by 12:00 noon as judging Commences.**

### **Saturday August 8, 2026 - Public Show**

**7:00 am - 10:00 am** - Table Registrants only

**10:00 am - 3:00 pm** - Public Show.

**3:00 pm - 5:00 pm** - Table Registrant Take Down.

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