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Summer is upon us, and with the change to warmer weather comes an increase in events.

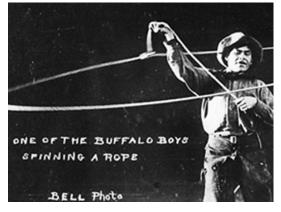
- Please join us at the Calgary Militaria Show at Hillhurst Sunnyside Community Center on 25 June 2022 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Admission is \$5.00, and all ages welcome.
- Stay tuned for more details on an upcoming Pub Quiz and Beer Tasting event this Summer/Fall!
- Reminder to all members our AGM is coming up on 21 June 2022. To attend, please <u>contact us here.</u>



Skip The Depot Fundraiser

Valour Canada is excited and proud to partner with Skip The Depot (Alberta) – an organization that provides everything you need to recycle your bottles and cans from the comfort of your couch. How does it work?

- 1. Download the app or create an account.
- 2. Book a single pickup or schedule regular pickups.
- 3. Donate to charity and receive a tax receipt.



Henry Norwest

During the First World War over four thousand Aboriginal people served with the Canadian Expeditionary Force. During the first part of the war some Aboriginals who attempted to enlist were denied while others were readily welcomed. Once the government became aware of the inconsistency, and under the pressure of requiring more soldiers for fighting overseas, a decision was made (1915) to formally approve the recruitment of First Nations, Métis, and Inuit men. Then, in 1917...





Mike Mountain Horse

Mike "Miistatisomitai" Mountain Horse, the younger brother of Albert Mountain Horse, was born in 1888. At the age of six, he attended the Residential school on the Kainai Blood Tribe reserve where he lived.

The younger Mountain Horse, Mike, desiring to avenge his brother and seek honour, joined the Canadian Expeditionary Force in May 1916. Mike first enlisted in the 191st Battalion and was later transferred to the 50th Battalion.

Click photo to learn more.



Dressing a WW1 Soldier

Andy Robertshaw describes a soldier's kit (uniform) during the First World War. This video is part of the "Trenches on the Western Front" series.

Click photo to view YouTube video.



D-Day Presentation

This presentation, about Canada's D-Day efforts on June 6, 1944, during the Second World War, has been designed to educate Canadian youth (Gr. 8 and up).

Click photo to view YouTube video.

WE NEED YOU!

Your support helps us to continue providing free resources for students and teachers across Canada.

 One \$50 membership covers the cost of bringing 3 students to our in-museum program. (We typically have between 80 - 200 students attend our programming, so every membership purchased helps us to continue to keep our services offered at no cost to those students)

Please consider a donation to Valour Canada as part of your annual giving.

For more information, please click the photo.

Please consider supporting our programming by becoming a member or donor today!



Tanks & Tacos Event

Our friends at the P.P.C.L.I are hosting an event in June to help raise money for veterans mental health initiatives alongside the PPCLI Foundation's Into the Summit program.

www.valour<mark>canada</mark>.ca

To learn more or register, please visit their <u>evenbrite page here</u>.

Are you a museum professional looking for an afforable travel exhibit for your temporary event space? Please check out what we have available <u>here</u>.

Thank you for reading!

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