



Great War Centenary Association

Brantford ◊ Brant County ◊ Six Nations



"We are all proud of the fact that many of them are Canadian born, and we also are proud that our friends from across the sea who came to Canada to make it their home, are showing their love for the men going off, and we wish them God-speed and a safe return. We admire also, the wives and parents of the men who have given their consent to their departure. All credit is due to the women of Brantford and Brant County of the loyal spirit." - Mayor Spence, 1914



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The Great War Centenary Association of Brantford, Brant County and Six Nations (GWCA) has been researching and documenting the service and sacrifices of the men and women from our area who served overseas and on the home front during the First World War.

This ambitious project has set out to preserve and make available to the public, a permanent record of our community's involvement in the Great War and to ensure that their legacy is never to be forgotten.

Through educational programs, community events and an evolving online presence, we are committed to helping the people of Brantford, Brant County and Six Nations recognize the amazing contributions of this area.

To accomplish this, the GWCA is seeking collaborative partnerships with local organizations, educators, businesses and government agencies.

Lecture Series 2013

Wed. February 20

Terry Copp presents "A Great Adventure or a Great Crusade: Canada Goes to War 1914"

Thurs. March 7

Andrew Iarocci presents "1915"

Wed. March 20

Matt Symes presents "Sport, The First World War and Canada"

Wed. April 3

Roger Sarty presents "The U-Boat Crisis of 1915-18"

Wed. April 17

Geoff Keelan presents "The Great War and French Canada"

Wed. May 1

Evan Habkirk presents "Communities and Conflict: The City Brantford and Six Nations during the First World War"

Wed. May 15

Peter Farrugia presents "A Richer Dust Concealed: The Great War in Memory"

Join us at 7:00 pm Laurier Brantford's SC Johnson Building, Rm 127 (Alumni Hall) – 38 Market St., Brantford.

Please note: March 7th lecture will be held at Laurier Brantford's Grand River Hall, Rm 207 - 171 Colborne Street, Brantford.

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