

THEN AND NOW



Then photo: EHS, Now photo: Alison Walker

Thomas Frazier, a local tailor, built this wood-frame structure on Main Street in Glen Williams circa 1847, where he operated a general store. Timothy Eaton, founder of the T. Eaton Co., had his first job in Canada here in 1854. The building was subsequently Reeve and Clarke Books and is currently a real estate office. Courtesy of Heritage Halton Hills and the Esquesing Historical Society.



OPINION

FAREWELL, DEAR COMRADE



DAVID MALONEY
Column

On behalf of the executive and members of Branch 197, I offer our deepest sympathy to Ren, Evan and family in the loss of our com-

rade Karen.

Karen was a former executive member of the branch who was a wonderful help to me when I was president. She will certainly be missed.

As previously stated, this year's Remembrance parade has been cancelled. We plan to hold a service on Wednesday, Nov. 11 and as we don't know what the restrictions will be imposed regarding the number of attendees on that date, we will

proceed with a limited number of Legion members.

The ceremony will take place between 10:45 and 11:15 a.m. All attendees must be registered for contact tracing purposes. Wreaths will be laid on the previous day by members of the executive.

If the numbers allow, we will welcome more members at the ceremony. Family wreaths can be purchased by emailing the branch.

The following quote taken is from a letter received from our Dominion Command President, Thomas Irvine, encouraging us to

work on this year's Poppy Drive. "The funds provided by this traditional annual event remains more important than ever as many head into an era of financial insecurity."

We will however proceed with caution, by placing our poppy boxes in the larger outlets, i.e., Beer store, Liquor Store, Giant Tiger, No Frills, etc. There will be no Legion members in attendance. We are hoping that the General Public will be extra generous this year as our ability to canvas is greatly restricted.

It is extremely important

that members renew their membership for 2021. You can renew online at <https://www.legion.ca/join-us/renewal> or you can submit a cheque to the branch by mail and include your Legion Number as well as your membership type. Annual membership is unchanged at \$60. Eric has created a mailbox on the Kitchen Door at the back entrance to the Legion for those wishing to place envelopes addressed to Membership RCL Br.197.

November 11th will be an even sadder day this year as we will be losing our own

WW!! Sweetheart, Phyllis Bunn. Phyllis, 96 has decided to relocate to Collingwood in order to be close to her family. Phyllis, it will be remembered, signed the Veterans Covenant with the Town of Halton Hills, on our behalf, back in June 2014.

Please check the webpage at legion197.com, and in addition we will be posting information on Facebook.

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Notice of Road Closure - Longfield Road between Mowbray Place East & West



Notice to residents: The Town of Halton Hills is advising of the temporary road closure of Longfield Road between Mowbray Place East and West in Acton. Longfield Road will be closed to through traffic for the completion of sanitary and sewer installation from Tuesday, November 3 to Tuesday, November 17, 2020.

Those who require any additional information regarding this road closure, please contact the Transportation & Public Works Department at 905-873-2600, ext. 2215.