



Billy Bishop Museum

Thank you for participating in the Billy Bishop Home and Museum's Veteran Survey. Part of our mission statement is dedicated to acquiring and preserving the personal history of local veterans. This information will be entered into the museum files and may be used to enhance public exhibits or displays.

The questions being asked in this survey are only a guide; we are hoping to gather as much information in regard to family and military background as possible. Feel free to expand on any of the questions and add personal stories.

Please include a photograph of you in uniform as well as a recent photo. The museum will be happy to make copies and then return the originals to you.

If you have any questions, call or email the museum:

(519) 371-0031

info@billybishop.org

* * *

Contact Information

Full name: _____

Today's DATE: _____

Phone number:(____)_____-_____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____

Postal Code: _____

Family History

Veteran's full name:

Veteran's parent's names: (include mother's maiden name)

Date of birth:

Place of birth (City and country):

Places you lived before enlisting (include dates if possible):

Places you lived after being discharged (including up to the present day), try to include the dates:

List all the schools attended with dates if possible:

Did you attend college or university? If so, where and when? What did you study?

Are/were you married, to whom, when (full date) and where. (Please include a maiden name if applicable, and if married more than once, please indicate dates).

If you have any, list the names of your children and their dates of birth.

List any jobs you had before your career with the military. Try to include the years that you worked at these jobs.

List any/all jobs you had after your career with the military. Try to include the years that you worked at these jobs.

In what year did you retire and from what job?

Training and service history

Where and when did you enlist for military service?

Please list all ranks that you held (try to include the dates when you were promoted):

Which regiments, squadrons, or ships did you serve with/on?

When were you discharged?

List all locations you were stationed at for training. What training did you receive? Try to include the dates when you were there, and when you graduated from different training programs.

Please list all bases, towns and/or countries where you were stationed:

What specific jobs did you hold while serving? What duties did these jobs entail?

Were you involved in any campaigns, missions, or battles? If so which ones and when were you involved?

What orders, decorations, medals, mentions, and commendations were awarded to you? (When were they awarded? Were they given for any specific reason?)

Please include any interesting stories or poignant experiences that happened to you during your service (*Please attach extra sheets if necessary*).

What is the most important lesson or idea that you learned from your experience in the service?

Release Agreement:

For consideration of “Honouring Our Local Veterans” event and other such Museum displays:

I, _____, give Billy Bishop Museum permission to use any pictures and documents that I have volunteered in conjunction with my name or a fictional name in all forms and media and in all manners, including composite or distorted representations, for advertising, trade or any other lawful purposes, and I waive my right to inspect or approve the finished product, including written copy, that may be used in connection with it.

I have read this release and am fully familiar with its contents.

Signature: _____

Date: _____