Honouring Our Local Veterans
2016

Donald Morton Doran, Captain, Canadian Army, Second World War and Cold War.
Donald was a member of Lord Strathcona's Horse and the Royal Canadian Dragoons. He served in Camp Borden, Calgary, Germany, England, and in the Congo.

Henry Albert Hopkins, Sergeant, Canadian Army, Second World War and Cold War.
Henry "Bert" joined the First Special Service Force (FSSF) known as the "Black Devil's Brigade" and trained in Montana to become a paratrooper. He participated in the battle to capture the fortress atop Monte la Difensa in Italy. Bert was wounded after summiting Monte la Difensa in the midst of the battle. He returned to the front lines in time for the next major offensive by the FSSF, the Anzio Beachhead. He re-enlisted and served in the Congo during peacekeeping missions in the early 1960s.

Thomas Alexander Edward Hopkins, Sergeant, Canadian Army, Second World War.
Thomas "Tom" served with the Highland Light Infantry (H.L.I.) which was allied to the Highland Light Infantry of Glasgow Regiment. Tom was part of the second wave that landed on Juno Beach. Tom was a Scout Patrol Sergeant and took part in the operation to clear the Scheldt and Waal Flats. He also helped in the liberation of Holland.

Alfred Joseph Rackley, Corporal, British Army, Second World War.
Alfred joined the Queen's Own Infantry 2nd battalion in the Far East, which was attached to the Australian Army. Alfred was stationed in Bombay, India; Poona, India; and Burma.

N. H. Edward Wells, Private, Canadian Army, Second World War.
Edward served in England, Sicily, Italy, France, Belgium and Holland. Edward was responsible for transportation of ammunition and troops. He was loaned to the Engineers to transport bailey bridges and culverts.