

Views From
Hill the **Top**




November 2022



November 6th

Lucille Mazenc




I AM A CANADIAN
FREE TO SPEAK WITHOUT FEAR
FREE TO WORSHIP IN MY OWN WAY
FREE TO STAND FOR WHAT I THINK IS RIGHT
FREE TO OPPOSE WHAT IS WRONG
FREE TO CHOOSE THOSE WHO GOVERN MY COUNTRY
THIS HERITAGE OF FREEDOM I PLEDGE TO UPHOLD FOR MYSELF AND ALL MANKIND



John G. Tiefenbaker

Little Poppy

Little poppy
 Given to me,
 Help me keep Canada
 Safe and free.



I'll wear a little poppy,
 As red as red can be,
 To show that I remember
 Those who fought for me.







Why do we wear poppies?



Poppies are the flowers which grew on the battlefields after World War One ended, and they are used to remember those who have given their lives in battle.

This is described in the famous World War One poem 'In Flanders Fields'.

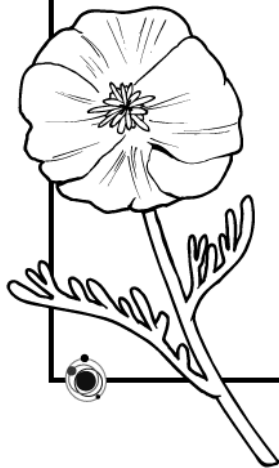
In Flanders' Fields

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flander's fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, tho poppies grow
In Flander's fields.

Liet. -Col. John McCrae



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HOWARD SCHMIDT

Howard was born on February 11, 1923.

He joined the Canadian Army on June 21, 1943 and served with the South Saskatchewan Regiment in United Kingdom and Continental Europe (England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany) during WWII.

He was wounded July 20, 1944 and returned to service in France a few months later. He was wounded a second time December 16, 1944 on the Holland border and returned back to the Regiment in March, 1945 until the war ended. He returned to Halifax on the Queen Elizabeth ship with the South Saskatchewan Regiment in November, 1945 and from there, boarded the train to Weyburn, SK where they disbanded. He was discharged January 5, 1946.

He was awarded the 1939-1945 Star, the France and Germany Star, Canadian Voluntary Service Medal with clasp and the George VI Medal on discharge.

Later, he received the Normandy Campaign Medal, Thank You Canada Medal from Holland, Normandy Chest Badge 2004, and WWII 75th Tribute Pin (1939-2014).

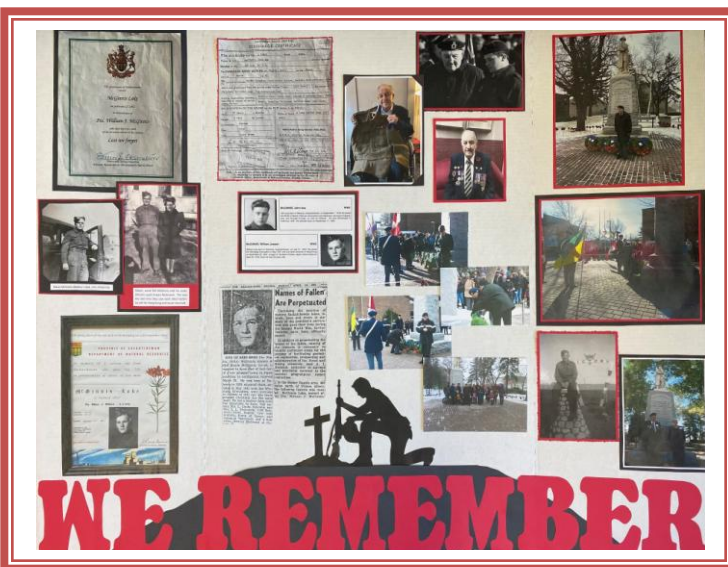
Most recently, he was presented with the French Legion of Honour Medal for his service during WWII.

Howard has been an active member of the Weyburn branch of the Royal Canadian Legion No. 47 for the past 58 years.





Pictured above left: Howard laying a wreath on behalf of his regiment (SSR) at a previous Remembrance Day service. Above right: Howard, after a ceremony, is surrounded by a field of 100 ceramic poppies at the Cenotaph in Memorial Park, which is across the street from the Royal Canadian Legion.



Visit our Remembrance Day display and pick up a poppy, both are located in the front foyer!

Please join us for a Remembrance Day Colour Guard service on Tuesday, November 8 at 2:00pm in the Family Room at Hill Top Manor.



*Resident
Appreciation
Day!*





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OR
TREAT

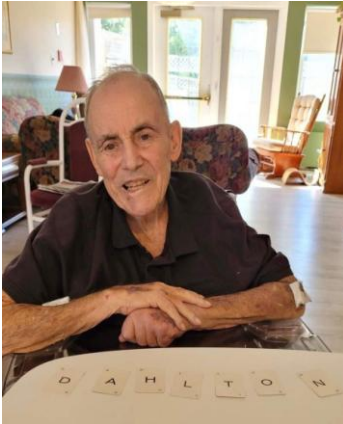




HALLOWEEN Party!



Condolences



Dahlton Lewis

October 18, 1936 – October 3, 2022

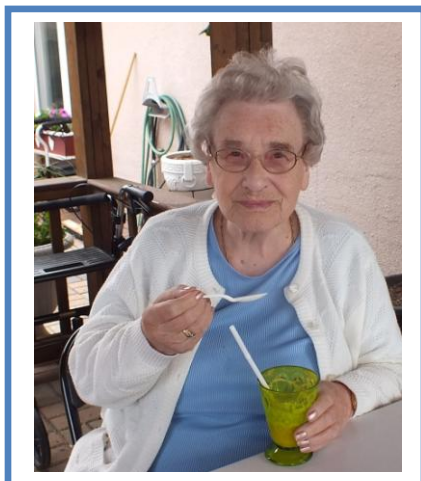
We would like to send our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Dahlton Lewis. Dahlton was a resident in House 1 and he passed away on October 3 at the age of 85 years. He will be greatly missed by all.



Jean Janoski

May 21, 1934 – October 18, 2022

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Jean Janoski. Jean was a new resident at Hill Top Manor, but in her short time here she discovered she knew a lot of other residents and she had a lot of friends here. We are deeply saddened by her passing.



GOOD LUCK IN YOUR NEW HOME,
GERDA!

WE'LL MISS YOU!

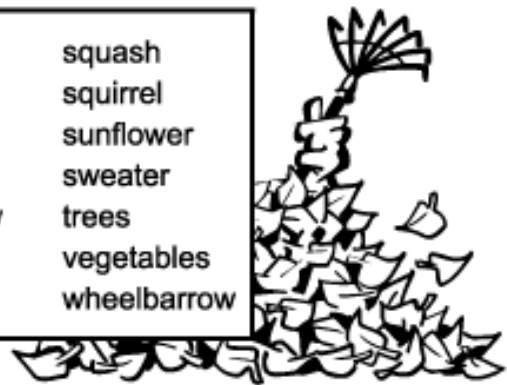


AUTUMN



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apples	colorful	frost	pumpkin	squash
autumn	cozy	harvest	quilt	squirrel
birds	crow	hayride	rake	sunflower
blanket	deciduous	jacket	rustling	sweater
bonfire	equinox	leaves	scarecrow	trees
changing	flannel	migrate	season	vegetables
cider	foliage	orchards	spider	wheelbarrow



'N' IS FOR NOVEMBER TRIVIA

ALL ANSWERS BEGIN WITH THE LETTER 'N' AND HAVE 6 LETTERS

It is a U.S. state. _____

This number is ten times nine. _____

It is a Scandinavian country. _____

These are boys' names. _____

If I am not somebody I am this. _____

You will find this spout on a hose. _____

These popular stockings can be shear. _____

This can be referred to as a numeral. _____

These are girls' names. _____

This is curly pasta. _____

This is a spice. _____

This is a relative. _____

This type of cloud produces precipitation. _____

This takes its course. _____

They are wanderers. _____

I'd like to find a gold one of these. _____

You will find one of these at your table setting. _____

When we eat in small bites we do this. _____

Sometimes a person's head is called this. _____

This plant has jagged leaves covered with stinging hairs. _____

(Answers on next page)

Remembrance Day Word Scramble

Unscramble the jumbled words below, all of which are used in Dr John McCrae's poem from 1915, "In Flanders Fields".

1. leesp _ _ _ _ _
2. oef _ _ _
3. utesns _ _ _ _ _
4. sppipoe _ _ _ _ _
5. srcsoes _ _ _ _ _
6. atifh _ _ _ _ _
7. vleod _ _ _ _ _
8. nwad _ _ _ _
9. ighh _ _ _ _
10. lkars _ _ _ _ _
11. relaybv _ _ _ _ _
12. ilsefd _ _ _ _ _
13. rnefalds _ _ _ _ _



'N' is for November – Answers

U.S. state – **Nevada**; ten times nine – **ninety**; Scandinavian country – **Norway**; Boys' names – **Nathan, Nelson, Norman, Norris, Norton**; If not somebody, I am this – **Nobody**; Spout on a hose – **Nozzle**; Shear stockings – **Nylons**; Numeral – **Number**; Girls' names – **Nadine, Nellie, Nicole, Noelle**; Pasta – **Noodle**; Spice – **Nutmeg**; Relative – **Nephew**; Cloud – **Nimbus**; Takes its course – **Nature**; Wanderers – **Nomads**; Gold – **Nugget**; Table setting – **Napkin**; Small bites – **Nibble**; Person's head – **Noggin**; Plant – **Nettle**.