

2022 Annual Report - Turnbull (NB) Chapter Summary

We had one in-person Executive meeting this year. It was in Saint John. We decided to purchase the ZOOM program so we can host online meetings without restrictions. We kept our members informed of other Chapter Zoom meetings.

We placed a plaque at one aircraft crash site near Budworm City. The Stearman N1054N crashed killed pilot Elywn Behnke, a US Navy Veteran of the Second World War. His family travelled from Texas for the ceremony.

Irving Oil is sponsoring our RCAF 100 banner project. Details on our web site.

We partnered with 250 Saint John) Wing, RCAF Association and 250 Wing RCAFA inc. in another RCAF 100 project, a one acre memorial to the 70 airmen who died at Pennfield Ridge during the Second World War.

We continued to keep our members informed on the conservation progress of New Brunswick's Lancaster KB882.

We assisted in the organization of the Freedom of the City of Saint John ceremony parade for 403 (City of Calgary) Squadron. We received support from JD Irving Ltd. Our Chapter requested this honour for both this Squadron and in 2012 for 410 (City of Saint John) Squadron.

We partnered with Landscape New Brunswick in planting 70 Veteran-themed trees to mark Her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee. We were assisted by Heritage Canada and JD Irving Ltd.

We provided information to the Village of Hillsborough on the conservation of their CF101 and the City of Moncton on their CF100.

Our Delta 673 pedal plane project is almost complete. The aircraft are done, the hangars purchased and now we need a flag and wind socks. The colouring book is the final project to complete in 2023.

Harold E. Wright
Secretary
15 January 2023