

The Empty Table Ceremony



Recognizing years of Veterans' Service



On Parade at Depot Division



Golf Tournament Social

To make your Saskatchewan connection, go to <u>https://rcmpva.org/divisions</u> and click the "Join Today" icon. Work your way through the questions and select the Division location that works for you. There are three (3) geographically spaced RCMP Veterans' Divisions in Saskatchewan: Saskatoon Regina Prince Albert



Past, Present, and Future Veterans

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Every Friday Morning, 0930 – 11:00 Nutana Legion, Koffee Klatch

What's In It for Me?

Oft times when a member of the Executive mentions joining the RCMP Veterans' Association (**RCMPVA**), valid questions such as, "Why?" or, "What's in is for Me?" are asked. Good questions deserve even better answers.

The RCMPVA works with the RCMP and the **N**ational **P**olice **F**ederation (NPF) to build a transition process from the last day of our service to the golden years of retirement.

Why join the RCMPVA is as simple as our **A**, **B**, **C's**.

- Advocacy: The RCMPVA is the only formalized entity to provide support, guidance, and advocate for our veterans and families as we deal with the challenges of life after the RCMP. Joining the Association provides strength in numbers from sea to sea to sea. As a member of the Association, you receive access to the members' only part of the RCMPVA website.
- Benefits: As the legal entity of record, the RCMPVA administers applications and ongoing management of applications

- for access to emergency funds from the Benefit Trust Fund (BTF). While the emergency support remains confidential, the benefits remain real. Assistance with pension, medical, and dental claim coverage is another benefit.
- Camaraderie: We are more than a Koffee Klatch, but there is nothing wrong with the camaraderie regular coffee sessions provide. Our network of support is obvious during face-to-face interactions at coffee, lunch, and dinner events. Membership provides as little or as much support as needed as we transition together.



Christmas Social in Saskatoon

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We all pay a National Fee recommended by the Board of Directors and approved by the whole Association. Additionally, each Division charges its own nominal fee based on the Division's cost of operations.

A strong membership base helps the RCMPVA effectively support the larger RCMP Veteran community. We are all volunteers, and as the saying goes, "Many hands make for lighter work."



Recognizing New Member Veterans