



The Royal Military Institute of Manitoba

ACTION PLAN JANUARY 2026 TO APRIL 2027

Background: The RMIM By-Law sets five (5) objectives for the Institute as follows:

- (1) To provide through presentations and discussions, information and opinions on matters of Military and Security importance to Canada
- (2) To maintain awareness through the use of Email and the Internet, of World Military and Political events that could influence Government and Military decisions or actions
- (3) To recognize and acknowledge those who have provided notable support to Canada's Defence and Security Forces
- (4) To promote Social and Professional contact, and
- (5) To promote the Cadet movement in Canada.

Each year, the Board of Directors is required to prepare and present for membership approval at the AGM, a Plan of Events and Budget aimed at achieving the above objectives.

Recommendation: The following Plan and Budget for 2026/2027 is presented for Membership approval at the Annual General Meeting of 27 May 2026.

Objective (1) – Presentations and Discussions

The presentations for the year 2025/2026 as follows:

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| a. | 08 June 2025 | – | Summer Luncheon | – | Building 61. |
| b. | 10 September 2025 | – | Candlelight Vigil | – | Brookside |
| c. | 24 September 2025 | – | Film “IF Day” Bill Zuk | – | Wing Chapel |
| d. | 05 October 2025 | – | Gino, a Child of War | – | Caboto Centre |
| e. | 06 December 2025 | – | Christmas Luncheon | – | 283 ANAVETS |
| f. | 19 February 2026 | – | 1 CAD Museum Tour | – | 1CAD |

g.	19 March 2026	–	F35 Presentation – Canceled
h.	11 April 2026	–	H4H Gala Dinner
j.	17 September 2026	–	TBD
k.	15 October 2026	–	TBD
m.	19 November 2026	–	TBD
n.	06 December 2026	–	Christmas Dinner (ANAVETS)
p.	21 January 2027	–	TBD
q.	18 February 2027	–	TBD
r.	18 March 2027	–	TBD
s.	15 April 2027	–	TBD
t.	26 May 2027	–	AGM

Date confirmation information will be passed on by emailing publicity posters direct to RMIM Members. The likely venue for these events will be either the 283 ANAVETS, the Sgts and WOs Mess, or the Events Centre, 17 Wing.

Check the calendar on our Website www.rmim.ca from time to time for latest information on RMIM Presentations and other events.

Objective (2) - Maintain Awareness of World Military Events

LCol (Retd) Jim Poplow still remains most active, screening and forwarding relevant Military information by Email to RMIM Members. The need to “Maintain Awareness”, is also a consideration when deciding RMIM Presentations.

Objective (3) – Recognition (RMIM) Awards Presentations)

There will be no RMIM Awards until 2027.

Objective (4) – Social and Professional Contact

We have had several Presentations so far this year. We did not have a Summer Luncheon on 08 June 2025, due to the Wild Fires and the commitment of the Wing. The Christmas Luncheon will be held on 06 December of this year.

On the first of January each year, the RMIM continues to support the New Years Day Levee, with the organization and transportation to various Military Locations. The Levee at Government House in 2027 has not yet been confirmed.

Objective (5) – Promote the Cadet Movement in Canada

The Board will continue to search for opportunities for further assistance to the Cadet movement.

The Hubbell Awards are named after Major Ted Hubbell, a World War Two Veteran, who devoted much of his life encouraging the development of youth. He was President of the United Services Institute of Manitoba (now the Royal Military Institute of Manitoba) when he died in 1967.

His colleagues in the United Services Institute of Manitoba made the decision to honour the work he had been doing by initially presenting three \$100.00 scholarships annually in his memory. The value of the scholarships remained unchanged for more than thirty five years.

The Hubbell awards were incorporated as a registered charity in 2004. After incorporation, with vision and foresight by many of our past and present members, today Hubbell can present 12 scholarships of \$1,500.00.

The Hubbell Awards Evening this year will be held on Monday, 15 June 2026, at 18:30 hours at the Manitoba Legislative Building.

The Recipient in 2025, of the RMIM sponsored Hubbell Scholarship Cadet CWO Jorn Skubovius of the 553 Tommy Prince Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps, received a Scholarship of \$1,500.00.

For 2026/2027, it remains the intention of the Board to:

- a. Promote a positive image of Cadet programs at our Presentations, in the Media, and in conversation with Friends and Acquaintances with Cadet age Children or Grand Children,

- b. Encourage RMIM Members individually to include the Provincial Cadet Leagues or a specific Cadet Corps in their personal annual charity giving.
- c. Suggest to non-RMIM Business and Social Associates that the Land, Sea and Air Cadets Movements are worthy of their support (and financial contributions are only one way).
- d. Encourage RMIM Members and Non-Members to become working members of the various Manitoba Branches of the Cadet League of Canada.

2026 Budget (01 January 2026 – 31 December 2026)

The attached proposed budget is recommended by the Board of Directors for Membership approval at the AGM of 27 May 2026.