

National Military Cemetery of the Canadian Forces

Registration application section 103

Eligibility

- Eligibility for interment in the National Military Cemetery is restricted to serving or honourably released members of the Canadian Armed Forces (Regular or Primary Reserve) and Canada's Merchant Navy.
- Each eligible applicant, as identified in Section A of this form, can designate one member of his/her immediate family, in section B below, to be interred in the same burial plot as the applicant. If the immediate family member falls into the categories of eligibility described in para 1 above, they are entitled to be interred in their own burial plot, if they so wish.
- Immediate family member means: spouse, common-law partner, father, mother, brother, sister, child or a person who has undertaken the responsibilities and fulfilled the duties of a father or mother.

Completion of this application form:

- If an applicant is unable to complete this form, it may be completed and signed on behalf of the applicant, by an individual who has the legal authority to do so. Should this be the case, a note to this effect should be affixed to the form and the name of the signing individual clearly printed and legible.

Verification of the military history

- Eligibility of each applicant will be established in every case. The Department of National Defence will endeavour to complete this process as quickly as possible. It is the responsibility of the applicant to provide as much information as possible.

Section 27

- Section 27 at the Beechwood Cemetery is part of the greater National Military Cemetery within Beechwood and is located adjacent to section 103, the National Military Cemetery of the Canadian Forces. Section 27 falls under the control of the Department of Veterans Affairs and is managed by the Last Post Fund and is also available for interments of applicants meeting the eligibility criteria described in para 1 above, as well as members of other allied forces. The Last Post Fund may be able to provide financial assistance to veterans wishing to be interred in this section. Further information on section 27 can be obtained by contacting the Last Post Fund at 1- 800- 465-7113. Please note that Section 27 is **NOT** managed by the CAF and therefore it is not affected by any policies, entitlements, etc., that are applicable to section 103.

Section A - Member application

PLEASE PROVIDE ANY DOCUMENTATION CONTAINING SERVICE NUMBER (S) / RANK / ENVIRONMENT / DATES OF SERVICE / TYPE OF RELEASE / DECORATIONS / TRADE OR BADGE.

Service / Regimental number		Rank	Last name			First name			Initial
Maiden name		Date of birth Day Month Year		Address			City	Province	
Postal code	Telephone		Telephone (other)			E-mail address			
Environment <input type="checkbox"/> Navy <input type="checkbox"/> Land <input type="checkbox"/> Air		Date of enrolment Day Month Year		Date of release Day Month Year		Type of release (item)			
Decorations		Date of death (if applicable) Day Month Year		Preferred badge for headstone					
Preferred religious symbol for headstone		Applicant comments							

Section B - Family member

Service / Regimental number		Rank	Last name			First name			Initial
Maiden name		Date of birth Day Month Year		Address			City	Province	
Postal code	Telephone		Telephone (other)			E-mail address			
Environment <input type="checkbox"/> Navy <input type="checkbox"/> Land <input type="checkbox"/> Air		Date of enrolment Day Month Year		Date of release Day Month Year		Type of release (item)			
Decorations		Date of death (if applicable) Day Month Year		Preferred badge for headstone					
Preferred religious symbol for headstone		If family member meets eligibility criteria outlined in para 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Same plot as applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Separate plot					Relationship to member applicant		

Section C - Funeral information

All applicants and family members who meet the eligibility criteria outlined in para 1, except in service deaths, are entitled to a military presence guard, chaplain, bugler and piper, if they so wish at no extra cost. However, the provision of this support is dependant upon availability and may not always be possible due to military activities in the NCR or short notice interment. Five working days are normally required to provide this support. This entitlement applies to Section 103 only and is not provided for anyone wishing to be interred in section 27.

Do you wish to have: Military presence Bugler Piper None

Signature of applicant or legal representative

Date of applicant (dd-mm-yyyy)

Return completed application to:

Director Casualty Support Management
National Defence Headquarters
Majors-General George R. Pearkes Building
101 Colonel By Drive
Ottawa ON K1A 0K2
Telephone: 1-800-883-6094 / Fax: 1-613-995-9175

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