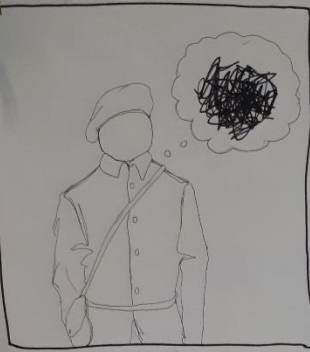


To commemorate the efforts that Indigenous veterans and soldiers have given to Canada, Gleneagle Secondary students created an exhibit where students and teachers could learn more about these veterans' sacrifices. Along with panels in the centre of the exhibit providing information, grade 12 student Deon Feng also created two sets of sketches about the unfair and racist treatment the veterans received after they returned from war. The exhibit is lined with cedar branches and poppies. Thanks to our Indigenous Resource Teacher Ms. Galligos and our Indigenous Youth Worker Mrs. Clark for the support!

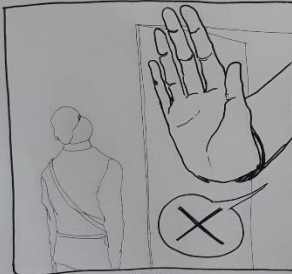




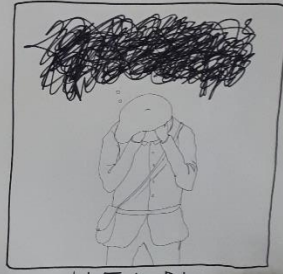
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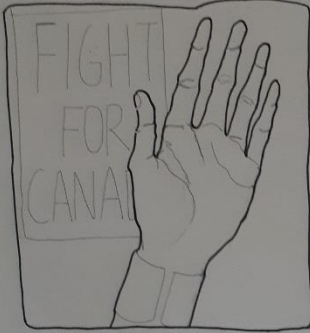
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WWII: 1939-1945
Military age
War service
1946-1955
1956-1965
1966-1975
1976-1985
1986-1995
1996-2005

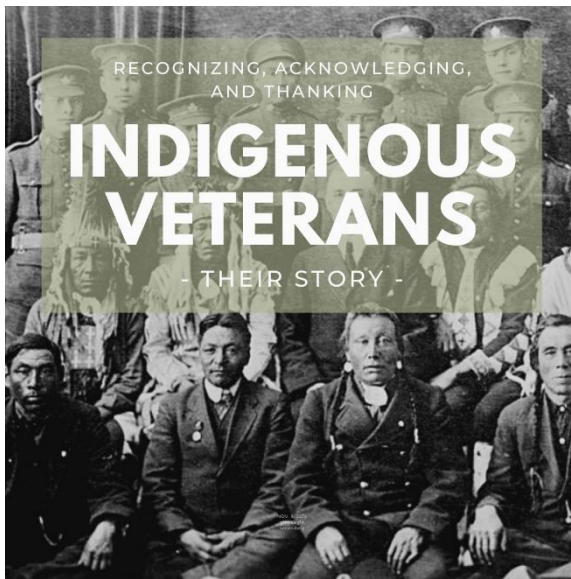


2nd World War

Even after
returning to
Canada, the
Canadian War
Veterans
Association
continued
to provide
services to
its members
in 1945.

Thank you for
your service!

WWII
Contributions



1st World War



In WWI, 35% of all military age residents on reserves voluntarily enlisted. Of the 6000 volunteers, 300 never returned home.

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WWI - WWII

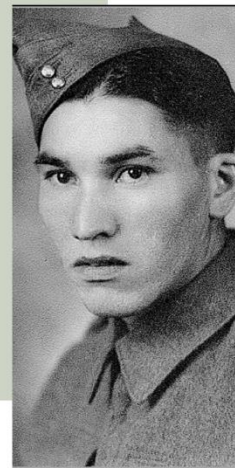


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When the veterans came home in 1918, they were refused the same service and benefits as other veterans by the Canadian Government of the time.

Soldiers of Indigenous heritage took part in every major battle and campaign, including the Normandy Invasion and the Battle of Hong Kong. Over 200 soldiers lost their lives in WWII.

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2nd World War

Indigenous communities raised and donated \$44,000 by the end of WWI and \$23,000 in WWII to various war funds.

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Contributions

National War Memorial



Even after serving in WWI, WWII, the Korean War, and other battles, Indigenous Peoples were only permitted to lay wreaths at the memorial in 1995.

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