

# BASS RIVER VETERANS PARK Remembrance Day

Photos by Maurice Rees



Noah Tremblay, right, was the inspiration behind the "Forgotten Heroes" monument in Veterans' Memorial Park. At the age of 11 in 2011, he had designed the monument and appeared before many councils and groups to spearhead fundraising of approximately \$13,000 to have the project completed. In this photo on November 11, 2019 Tremblay is joined by seven year old Truro K-9 member, Onyx. His master, Constable Scott Milbury is shown on the right.



An increasing number of youth are participating in the services. Some parents start early training when they are "babes in arms".



The large number of people who served in the war is so large, most of the monuments are inscribed with names on the front and back. The park is the inspiration of Dr Karen Ewing, who has worked tirelessly to see it become one of a few parks of its type in Canada.



Each year the number of youth participating in Remembrance Day services and laying wreaths continues to increase.



Bass River's Wendy Cox a devoted area volunteer, who has spent many hours with a committee to rehabilitate Victoria Hall lays a wreath.



Councillor Eric Boutilier lays wreath on behalf of Municipality of Colchester.



Bass River resident Jim Campbell lays wreath on behalf of Campbell family members.



Another veteran lays wreath in memory of other family members.



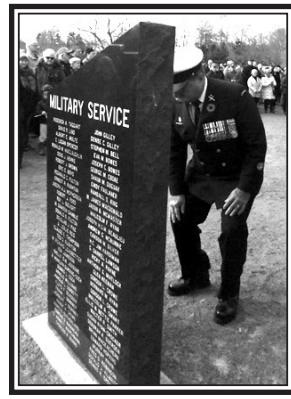
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The turn-out for Remembrance Day Services at Veterans Memorial Park was among the largest since the park was established. Service was held in warm fall weather on partial cloudy day.



Another veteran lays wreath at Veterans' Memorial Park in remembrance of other veterans.



Several monuments recognizing veterans from several wars has been established at Veterans' Memorial Park since its inception.



A large crowd attended the reception at West Colchester Consolidated School following services at Veterans' Memorial Park.



Long tables were lined with sandwiches, sweets and chili at WCCS following Remembrance Day services at Veterans' Memorial Park.

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