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RMR Foundation Newsletter: June 2014

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Westmount, 05 June 14 - The RMR will be hosting a gala ball to mark its 100th anniversary on Saturday 01 November 2014, to be held at the RMR's Armoury on Ste-Catherine Street West.

Everyone with a connection to the Regiment is encouraged to attend, and investigations are underway to produce a hotel package for out of towners.

Ticket pricing and details will be made available this month, including an online payment option.

Questions? Want to volunteer? Know a potential sponsor? Please email

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THE ROYAL MONTREAL REGIMENT CENTENNIAL GALA BALL 01 NOVEMBER 2014

“ORDINARY CITIZENS DOING THE EXTRAORDINARY”



100 ans au service du Canada 🍁 100 years of service to Canada

To be held at The Royal Montreal Regiment Armoury
4625 Ste-Catherine St. West, Westmount, QC

Ticket sales beginning in July

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RIP: Comrade Nino Lambertucci

Westmount, 17 May 14 - RMR Association (Branch 14) of the Royal Canadian Legion regrets to announce the death of past-president Comrade Nino Lambertucci yesterday afternoon at the Verdun hospital.

Nino was a beloved member of the RMR's extended family and had been a steady hand for numerous functions, none the least as the Curator of the Regimental Museum. Nino served in

the museum, attended Regimental functions, served as an ambassador in the community for the Regiment, and in 2013 was awarded the Queen's Diamond Jubilee medal from Mr L'Italien, from the Directorate of History and Heritage. Nino has also been appointed an Honoray Lieutenant in The Royal Montreal Regiment in the early 2000's to recognize the exceptional support that he provided the Regiment.

Nino's impact in the Branch and the Regiment can not be understated. At his request, his remains will be cremated without ceremony however the Regiment has requested permission from Nino's family to conduct a service of remembrance when appropriate Details will be published as they come available.

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Wedding Bells for RMR Sergeant

Montreal, 01 June 2014 - Congratulations to Sergeant Michael Talarico and his beautiful bride Amanda who were married yesterday in a ceremony held at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral in downtown Montreal. Numerous members of the Regimental family were on hand to join his father (Major Pino Talarico) and brother (Corporal Nicholas Talarico) in wishing them well.

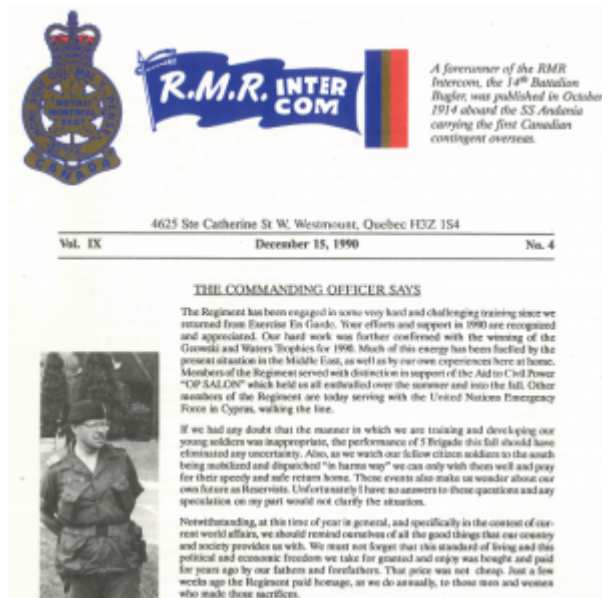
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The Intercom - Blast From the Past: 1990

28 May 2014, Montreal - As part of our Centennial Project to collect as many past editions of the Intercom that we can find, Corporal Frank Laciak, a keen collector of RMR information, forwarded this scan of a copy of the RMR Intercom from December 1990. It has been added to our Intercom section of the website and can be read [here](#).

If you have any more editions that you can scan and send in, please send to info@royalmontrealregiment.com.

Happy reading!


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RMR's Nijmegen Team Going Strong!

Westmount, 20 May 2014 - Over the last two weeks the 12 remaining RMR soldiers and one medic who comprise the [RMR's Nijmegen Team](#) have completed 130 km of marching, including back-to-back 30 kilometer marches this past long weekend alone.

The training is starting to pay off as the soldiers are gelling more as a team and are becoming more accustomed to the long kilometres. Now that the team is training in the 30 to 35 kilometer range, carefully planned lunch stops have been added to the training. This coming weekend will be the teams first 40 kilometer march followed by three back-to-back 20 kilometer marches planned during the weeknights.

So far the RMR Marching Team has conducted over **420 kilometers** worth of training with another 270 kilometer are planned until they are declared "Operationally Ready" in June. Even then the team will still be out training, maintaining their form until the final deployment in July - track them down and encourage them!


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Welcome home, Soldier!

Montreal, 20 May 2014 - The RMR welcomed Master-Corporal Elias Aoun home from Afghanistan last night. He was the last RMR to return from the mission, where he had been deployed in Kabul for the past 11-months. He was received at the airport by his family (a very happy mom is pictured below!) and several representatives of the Regiment.

Close to 50 members of the RMR have served in Afghanistan during the past 12-years, and the **Regiment was recently awarded** the theatre battle honour "AFGHANISTAN".

Welcome home, Master-Corporal Aoun - glad to have you back safe & sound.



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RMR awarded AFGHANISTAN theatre honour

Ottawa, 09 May 14 - The Royal Montreal Regiment was one of 63 units in the Canadian Armed Forces who were awarded the AFGHANISTAN theatre honour yesterday in Ottawa.

Theatre honours, a form of battle honour given to publicly recognize a Canadian Armed Forces unit for successful participation in a theatre armed conflict.

This is the first new battle honour awarded to the Regiment since the end of the Second World War.

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