

NOVEMBER 4TH, 2023

Act OF REMEMBRANCE

48TH HIGHLANDERS MOUNT PLEASANT MONUMENT

As part of our tradition, the 48th Highlanders have gathered annually at the Mount Pleasant Cemetery monument to remember all who have served and died during peace and war. Please join us as we continue that tradition

Late in the afternoon of Thanksgiving Monday, October 28, 1912 the train bringing 700 troops back to the city from a mock battle that had been held that day near Milton, Ontario, crashed into the "Detroit Flyer," a passenger train bound for that American city. Though the rate of speed of each train at the time of impact at Streetsville Junction was minimal, one of the cars in which many of the 48th Highlanders were travelling was very old and completely demolished in the collision. Two highlanders were killed outright and 30 more

injured. In tribute to the deceased soldiers, Private Mac Murdock and Private John Bannatyne, a special monument was prepared for the regiment's lot. This monument, which has subsequently had the regiment's battle honours inscribed on it, was moved in 1969 to a more prominent location on the main road into the cemetery, a few yards east of Mount Pleasant Road.



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Date: Saturday November 4th 2023

Dress: We welcome all to join us in remembering. Veterans and Active members of the regiment who will be marching are encouraged to wear Blazers, Greys, Glens, Medals, Poppies or CF uniform as applicable.

Orders

[Parking Here](#)

Form Up : 1030hrs [Form Up Here](#)

March Off: 1055hrs

Act of Remembrance (Approximately 20 minutes)

March Off and Dismissal

After the parade join us at The Bull: A Firkin Pub 1835 Yonge St. for a pint and/or a bite to eat. Drinks and Lunch are not provided, but the camaraderie is free! [Located Here](#)