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**The Royal Canadian Horse Artillery  
Brigade Association**  
*Incorporated 1947*

**An invitation to join the RCHA Brigade Association**

*Founded in 1947, the RCHA Brigade Association is a not-for-profit organization of member volunteers from all walks of life. Many members give of their time and expertise to serve on the Board of Directors, hold key positions, lead projects, maintain the many housekeeping and maintenance needs of the building, organize special events and our great entertainment.*

*Please consider this your personal invitation to join our association.*

*The membership year is November 1 – October 31. Dues are \$100*

***For new applications, dues are prorated based on the date of joining as per the following schedule.***

<b>Date of joining</b>	<b>Dues</b>
Between November 1 - January 31	\$100
Between February 1 - April 30	\$ 75
Between May 1 - July 31	\$ 50
Between August 1 - October 31	\$ 25

*Your application needs a **Life or Active member to sponsor** (please refer to the Membership List posted on the Bulletin Board), or introduce yourself to a Life or Active member at the club and ask for their sponsorship. You may also note the name of a life/active member that you have met at the club and we can contact them.*

*Please mail your completed application with a cheque to the above address (Attn: Membership); or submit it to the Bar Steward where you may pay the dues by cash, cheque, credit or debit card. You will then be issued a receipt and a membership card.*

*New members are Associates (non-voting) for the first 2 years. Active or retired members of the Royal Canadian Artillery (RCA) (Gunners) may join as Active Members immediately with proof of service. Non-RCA Military persons may apply for Active membership after 1 year (12 months) and other Associates after two years (24 months), by completing the Active application form available at the Club. New applications are submitted to the Board of Directors for official approval.*

**Membership Benefits:** (you may need to show your membership card)

- may attend and speak at general meetings, Life and Active members may vote and hold office.
- Member Benefit/Discount program at various businesses (see list on Bulletin Board)
- exempt from the cover charges and receive a discount for most ticketed events.
- discount on venue rentals.
- As well, through volunteering in the Club, participating in the events and your annual dues, you are contributing to the sustainability and future of the Association.

*Reciprocal memberships in out-of-town clubs are welcome; and we currently have this arrangement with the Crows Nest in St John's, Newfoundland.*

*Please consider making a contribution to our Capital Improvement Fund.*

*If you have any questions, please contact us or check our web site: [www.rchaclub.com](http://www.rchaclub.com)*

*Sincerely,*

*Maureen Plunkett ([plunketm@queensu.ca](mailto:plunketm@queensu.ca)) & Carol Whyman ([whyman@kingston.net](mailto:whyman@kingston.net))*

*Co-Chairs, Membership*

***Please keep this letter for your reference***