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TO: NS/NU Branches
ATTENTION: Branch Presidents
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From: Comrade Marion Fryday-Cook
President
NS/NU Command, RCL

Subject: Thomega Entertainment Inc – Canada
Remembers Commemorative School Project

Message: Comrades: Please find attached / enclosed information from
Thomega Entertainment Canada Remembers
Commemorative School Project

All Branches are encouraged to offer this excellent resource through schools and youth programs. Purchase of this valuable educational tool is an allowable Poppy Fund expense.



Subject: Attn: Poppy Chairs/Youth Engagement - Congratulations, Royal Canadian Legion 254 Whitehorse, who partnered with Thomega, to bring its Canada Remembers Education programming into curriculum in 53 schools!

Comrades: On behalf of the Canada Remembers Commemorative school project team, we would like to express our sincere appreciation to the Poppy Committee members (Ron Pond, treasurer), and members of **Royal Canadian Legion Branch 254 - Whitehorse Branch, Yukon**, who recently partnered with Thomega and worked tirelessly to advocate and present the benefits of the Thomega Canada Remembers Commemoration Project to Legion members, school administrators and the Ministry of Education for that Region. Consequently, **securing a total of 53 schools for the programming that will now be curriculum based! There is no greater manner to better honor and respect the men and women who, over the past 22 years, graciously stood in front of our cameras to share their stories!**

Call us to discuss how to get your schools participating before November 11, 2019.

National Command's approval and sanctioning of this youth engagement/educational initiative, via utilization of the Poppy Trust Fund, strongly indicates acknowledgement for the need to generate new ways of helping students recognize and appreciate the service and sacrifice of all Canadian Veterans; past and present. Canada Remembers Commemorative Programs have proven to do just that, both on National Television and in schools.

While many Branches from every Province have already either received or ordered the six-DVD sets and Educational Plans for schools within their individual communities, **those who did not secure copies of the Program at the Convention are encouraged to obtain a quick insight to the Canada Remembers Educational Documentaries through this link:** https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yc_k2Elchso

We encourage you to visit the web site at www.canadaremembers.net to learn more about this project. Although we will do our best to follow-up and contact as many Branches as possible, you are most welcome to call us and ask questions about how 'your' Branch can be a part of this important national initiative. We can be contacted any time at: **Toronto: 647.865.2726 Saskatoon: 306.280.4982 or email: canadaremembersdvd@gmail.com**

Confirm your sets, for upcoming September 2019 School year...

Closing Note: We look forward to partnering with many more Legions and schools, coast to coast. Canada Remembers DVD's and Educational Guides secured by Royal Canadian Legion Branches before September 15th, 2019 will be shipped as quickly as possible to ensure Branches are able to present them to applicable schools in their communities for Remembrance Day classes or group initiatives that your local schools may be planning. Orders placed after October 1st, 2019 will still carry an assurance of packaging and shipment as quickly as possible, however delivery in time for the first week of November would be subject to postal or other delays beyond our control.

We are deeply honoured to partner with the Royal Canadian Legion in this worthy educational initiative.

Remembering Their Stories. Their Achievements. Their Sacrifices. **Lest We Forget.**

Anthony Towstego, Brian Swidrovich, Pat Varga