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The Marion Cumming Lecture Series

P R E S E N T S

*Two Documentary Films*

“TREES OF REMEMBRANCE” AND “WAR MEMORIALS  
AND THEIR MAKERS: MESSENGERS OF MEANING”

These short films were written, directed and produced by Dr. Geoffrey Bird, Professor, Royal Roads University. The film “Trees of Remembrance: Shelbourne Memorial Avenue” tells the story of the London Plane Trees planted in the 1920s to commemorate Victoria’s fallen in the First World War. Nearly forgotten, the efforts of individuals are highlighted in protecting this heritage, along with reflections on the power of trees as war memorials. The film “War Memorials and Their Makers” focuses on three sculptors and the power of their work in conveying the human experience in the First World War. These films collectively explore the commemorative power of stone and bronze memorials, as well as the role of Nature in preserving memory.

*There will be a Q&A and refreshments*



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2024 7:00PM

*Windsor Park Pavilion*

2451 Windsor Road, Oak Bay

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