

## RCAA Honorary Life Member

### Honorary Colonel (ret'd) Donald James Wilkin CD

- Member 56<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Regiment 17 years.
- Skilled Toolmaker, Industrialist, Manufacturing Manager.
- Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel/Colonel 18 years.
- Established 56<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Regiment community fund.
- Member of Reserves 2000.
- Key Director Canadian Military Heritage Museum.
- Brant Community Foundation, James Hillier Foundation, Grand River Conservation Authority.





# Doctor Janice Lee (Nicholls) Goerzen BSc MSc MD FRCSC FRCOG FRANZOG FACOG

- Daughter of Captain G.R.E. Nicholls CD, former Regimental Sergeant Major, 3rd Regiment, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.
- A genuine Shilo barrack brat.
- First home in Canada in 1947 Camp Shilo Hut A-1 (by the golf course).
- Received RCAA bursary for Master of Science degree.
- Established Captain G.R.E. Nicholls Memorial Award; two \$4,000 scholarships made available annually.





### Honorary Colonel (ret'd) Steve Gregory CD

- Past Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel/Colonel 2<sup>nd</sup> Fd Regt RCA.
- Co-founded the 3rd Battery of Montreal Artillery (3BAM).
- Organized commemorations in 2013, 2018 and 2023 of the Canadians in battle for Sicily in 1943 – OP Husky.
- Organized the 2015 Garrison Ball in Montreal with 732 guests.
- Assisted in the refurbishment of the 25 Pounder at Pontecorvo and the Guns at the Juno Beach Centre.
- Launched International Forum for Peace, Security & Prosperity in 2019.
- Launched Walk for Remembrance & Peace, 325 KM walking trail and guidebook following the 1st Canadian Infantry Division in Sicily.





#### **Colonel Charles Simonds OMM CD**

- Entered Royal Military College in the fall of 1952.
- Lieutenant in 2nd Regiment, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.
- US Army Air Defense Artillery School in Fort Bliss, Texas.
- Royal Military College Assistant Professor of Chemistry.
- Major in 1st Regiment, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.
- Commanding Officer, 3rd Regiment, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.
- CFHQ Directorate of Equipment Requirements (Land).
- Six-month tour in Vietnam in early 1973.
- Colonel National Defence College in Kingston.
- Base Commander, CFB Shilo.
- Retirement at one time President and Chair of the Board of three charitable corporations plus Chair of the regional Board of Health.

