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**You're Invited to Attend the Armistice18
 Opening Ceremony this Sunday!**

The Town of Cobourg is pleased to be inviting you to attend the Opening Ceremony of Armistice18, a seven-week festival commemorating the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War.

Date: Sunday, September 30, 2018 | Time: 12 Noon
Location: Concert Hall at Victoria Hall, 55 King St. W., Cobourg, ON.

Opening Weekend Itinerary

- Opening of Entire Program including speeches from the Mayor of Cobourg, The Vimy Foundation, Artist Charles Pachter and Historian and Author Hugh Brewster
- Entertainment - Preview of Play Last Day, Last Hour
- Music - The Wendy Meadows Trio
- Artist Charles Pachter introducing his Paintings Commemorating WWI
- Official Opening of the History & Art Exhibitions *see details below*
- Light lunch and refreshments

Our Opening Ceremony will also showcase two powerfully moving exhibits: The Great War Exhibition: Art, Photography & Artifacts & Lest We Forget: Paintings by Charles Pachter Commemorating the First World War.

The Great War Exhibition: Art, Photography & Artifacts will present the following:

- The Great War in Colour: Archival photographs of Canadians in WWI that have been carefully restored and colourized under the sponsorship of the Vimy Foundation.
- Canada's Hundred Days: Remarkable panoramic photographs by William Rider-Rider document the advance to victory of the Canadian troops in 1918.
- The Battle of Hill 70: A museum display tells the story of this epic 1917 battle and the new monument erected to commemorate it.
- Trench Art • Trench Life: Features objects created by WWI soldiers from the collection of Garnet Barber along with artifacts from the Royal Canadian Military Institute and family archives.
- Short Film: Return to Vimy.

Lest We Forget: Paintings by Charles Pachter Commemorating the First World War will be hosted by the Art Gallery of Northumberland and show Pachter's outstanding series of contemporary Canadian paintings on WWI themes.

For more information on Armistice18 visit www.armistice18.ca



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"Haunting and beautiful." – Margaret Wente, Globe and Mail columnist



The Town of Cobourg Presents:

COBOURG'S GREAT WAR IN WORDS, IMAGES & SONG

For one night only – an unforgettable depiction of the events of 1914-18 and the remarkable part played by the men and women of Cobourg. Historian **Hugh Brewster** and Shaw Festival actress **Brigitte Robinson** narrate the spellbinding history with a multimedia screen show and glorious choral music by the Grammy-winning **Elora Singers** under the direction of **James Bourne**.

Saturday, September 28 at 8 p.m.

Trinity United Church, 284 Division St., Cobourg. Reception to follow.

TICKETS: Adults: \$35.00, Students: \$15.00 (+service fee & HST)



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