



**You are invited to the Annual General Meeting of Ontario Group of the RCAF Association to be held in Trenton, Ontario from the 17 to 19th of May 2024.**

Dear Fellow Member, Like all non-profit associations, the Ontario Group of the RCAF Association looks forward to our general meeting. We do so, because we look forward to seeing you, our members. We write to you, to seek your active participation in shaping your association, as we move toward the 75th anniversary of the RCAF Association in 2025, while this year we celebrate the 100th anniversary of the creation of Canada's Air Force Participating in the affairs of your association is not difficult, nor does it require much of your time. Rather, all we ask is for you to be aware of what other members are thinking and for you to weigh in with your ideas, where you feel the need. We are a diverse organisation - not all of us have served in the air force, for example. Some of our members devote themselves toward important community supporting activities. Others also give of themselves to help local cadet squadrons, devoting countless hours, days, weeks, months and years to young Canadians who one day may pursue an aerospace career - civilian or military - for the betterment of Canada. And, still others contribute a great deal to our efforts to advocate in support of their country's air force.

Our General Meeting this year takes place in Trenton, Ontario. Events will be held at 413(Air Force City) Wing, Trenton. 230 North Murray Street, Trenton On. We are pleased to confirm the support of a group of dedicated volunteers from the local RCAF Association 413 Wing, Trenton will be ready to host the province. The Ramada by Wyndham Trenton will be the host hotel, with all major activities happening at 413 Wing. The Ramada is just minutes from 413 Wing and the 401.

When considering the decision to join us in Trenton, please keep in mind the need to elect one or more members of the Group Board of Directors. Electing fellow members to their association's board is perhaps the single most important decision or vote bestowed upon members like you. Members of the RCAF Association may nominate and elect any other member who agrees to the nomination; any member of the RCAF Association may step forward on their own, in the absence of a nomination. We have room for nine elected board members, and an additional three appointees. Currently, there are at least 4

vacancies on the board of directors. Thank you for considering joining us in Trenton.

**Please Note:** 1. Only Regular members in good standing qualify as delegates. Wing Presidents, certain Group executive members, and past presidents constitute **Accredited Delegates**. All other Regular members in good standing, unless acting as proxy, constitute **Fraternal delegates**. Members-at-Large are Regular members. Only Regular members may vote at the General Meeting. Regular members affiliated with a Wing are expected to vote on General Meeting issues at a meeting of their Wing, before sending their delegate to vote on their behalf at the meeting of the Association. When it comes to Wings, Regular members leverage the Wing's charter as the voting trust, and the duly elected Wing's delegate(s) ( 1 delegate for every 50 members or part thereof), most often the President, is the trustee in question, for the purposes of conveying the majority opinion of the Wing's members at the appropriate time at the general meeting.

2. Members and delegates are not obligated to attend all events. The Opening Ceremonies and Chairs dinner on Friday night and the Gala Banquet on Saturday night The banquet on Saturday night are included in your registration. Anyone, especially Accredited delegates, wishing to attend the Business Sessions is/are required to pay the participation fee, which covers breakfast, mid-morning coffee break, lunch and mid-afternoon coffee break.

3. Registration fees must be paid in advance. We cannot accept any registrations or amendments after May 1st, 2024. Payments will not be accepted at the door. All costs are per person. Registrants must use separate registration forms. If you require an additional form, you may photocopy it locally, or print another form, by visiting: our 413 Wing Facebook page <https://www.413wing.com>

4. Wings unable to send a delegate are encouraged to employ a proxy form ( to be found on the 413 web and facebook pages), and have their Regional Vice-president, other regional president and/or Group President carry their proxy to the meeting, on behalf of their Wing members.

We will be celebrating 100 years, but looking forward to the future. Come join the celebration of Wing's and Our Group, the RCAF and the wonderful work we do!  
**We hope to see you all on May 17th, 2024 in May!**

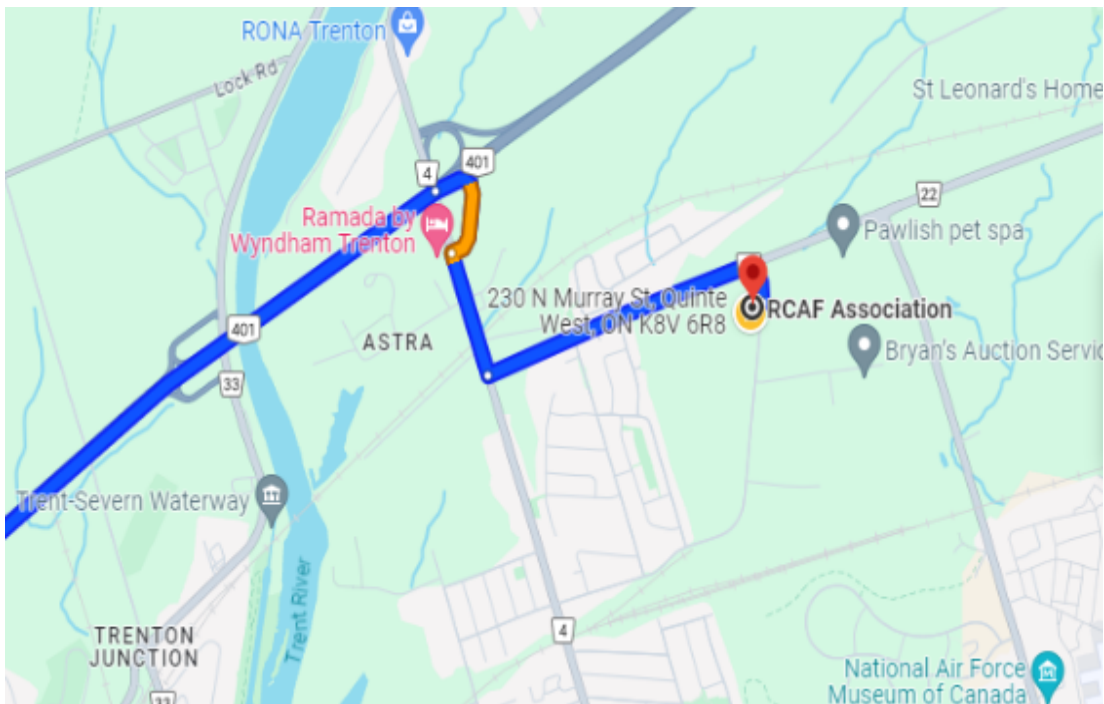
**Judy Rorabeck, Chair  
2024 AGM Committee**

**Jo-Anne Peckham, Chair  
413(Air Force City) Wing**



## Map of Conference Area:

Via Hwy 4010 east or west take the Glenn Miller Exit to Quinte West(Trenton). At the end of your exit ramp turn left from the East, and from the west you will see the Ramada Wyndham,- at the light. If you turn left head south to Hamilton Rd, (left Turn). Follow Hamilton Rd to North Murray St.( If you pass the industrial park you have gone too far) Turn Right. 413 Wing with flags and cairn in front is the 2nd building in your right. Parking in front or in the Back.. You have arrived at your destination.



6 min (3.0 km)



via Glen Miller Rd/County Rd 4 and Hamilton Rd/County Rd 22