

Tree Dedication for Afghanistan Veterans



On Tuesday June 23, 2015, ASM Abbotsford Branch 15 kicked off their Legion week with a Tree Dedication to honour our Afghanistan Veteran. This was made possible by our Legion Week grant.

After the dedication everyone was invited back to the Branch for an Afghanistan Veterans' dinner. The turnout for the event was moderate but everyone who did come stated that they really enjoyed themselves. The dinner was prepared by Wendy Schmidt and hosted by Robert Rohrer, President.

Reverend Art Turnbull, Legion Chaplain, acted as Master of Ceremonies.

The Branch would like to thank everyone who stepped up to volunteer and help make this a successful evening.

In this second photo, President Robert Rohrer on the left and Councillor Les Barkman on the right, are putting the first shovel of soil and mulch on the Royal Red Maple Tree that Branch 15 donated to the City of Abbotsford to honour our Afghanistan veterans.

This was a great kick-off for our Legion Week and we invite anyone who is interested, to join us down at the Legion on Sunday, for our Open House. We are encouraging families to come on Sunday, which is Family Day, which starts with our Sunday Breakfast at 8:30 until 11:30 am. We will be having a BBQ starting at 2:00 pm. We will have movies for the kids and adult conversation for the adults.



We would love to share with you what the Legion does for your community. The Legion is proud to be a part of the community and will continue to serve the needs of all Veterans past and present as well as their dependents.



Group photo from Tree Dedication Ceremony