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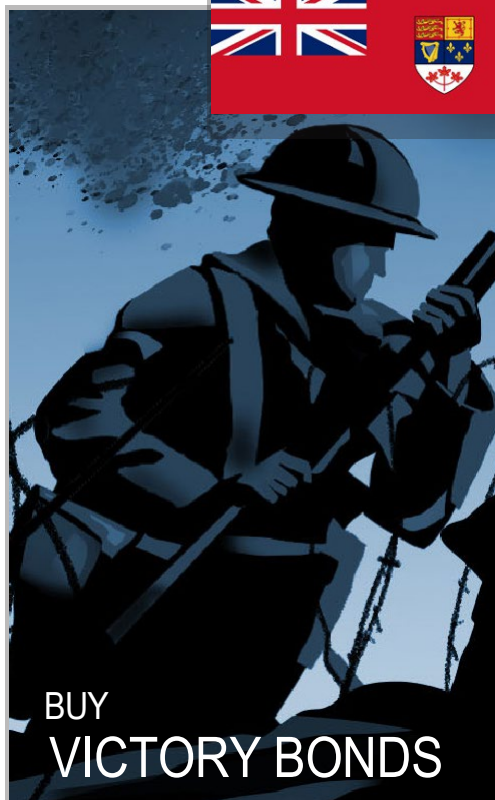
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PASSCHENDAELE



**MEETINGS, EVENTS
& TOURS- 2025**



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SPEAKER HIGHLIGHTS

Norman Leach a man with multiple talents. He is a historian, author, speaker and consultant.

As a historian, he brings history to life with clarity, passion, and precision. He combines deep academic knowledge with decades of hands-on work in film, television, publishing, and public speaking.

We were privileged to have Norm speak to us, he is a professional keynote speaker for which he gets paid real money.

Norman earned a degree in Strategic Studies and History from the University of Manitoba. He built his career on a foundation of rigorous research and a commitment to making history accessible and engaging. Norm also has a successful career as a consultant in 'chaos management'. A fascinating topic, it may have to wait to another day.



Norm is an author, having written 12 bestselling books on Canadian military history, including

Passchendaele Canada's Triumph and Tragedy on the Fields of Flanders,

Norman is passionate about giving back. His contributions to history and community including the Queen's platinum Jubilee Medal.

As a historian, Norm consults to the film and documentary industry. He brings historical accuracy and creative collaboration to screen productions.

Norman served as the historian on Passchendaele, the WWI epic produced by Paul Gross. He worked across departments, appeared as a special-skills extra, and represented the film in media interviews.



-Bruce Clark