



## APPEAL TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE GUNNERS' ASSOCIATION – SUPPORT TO THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL IN POTCHEFSTROOM

### INTRODUCTION

Over the past few years, a lot has been done to develop the Memorial site. Major projects include:

- The erection of the surrounding wall.
- Installation of a sprinkler system.
- The inclusion of electric security wires.
- The acquisition of a GV1 (25 pounder) and a GV2 (5.5 inch) gun.
- Installation of lighting.
- The respraying of the 13pdr and 18pdr guns.

Numerous other smaller projects, were also finalised.

Sponsors were found for some of these initiatives but the Gunners' Association also made a significant financial contribution.

Over the next few months the Sexton and the 3.7 inch Howitzer will be resprayed. Sponsorship has been found to pay for this. This will complete the respraying project.

### RE-INSCRIBING OF THE NAMES ON THE MEMORIAL

It has become evident that a limited number of names are missing from the Memorial. In addition the spelling of some of the names is incorrect and the dates are not always in the correct chronological sequence. The Trustees of the Gunners' Memorial Trust would like to have the panels containing the names post WWII corrected. The anticipated cost will be between R15 000 and R20 000. We would like to complete the work ahead of next year's Memorial Service.

### APPEAL

We appeal to all members of the Gunners' Association to make a contribution of R50 or more to this project. The bank details are:

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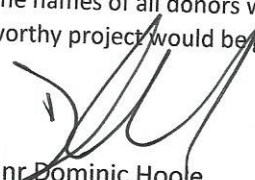
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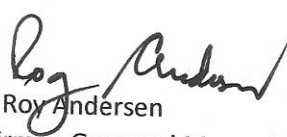
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REFERENCE: YOUR NAME PLUS MEMORIAL

The names of all donors will be recorded on the website without any amount being reflected. Your support of this worthy project would be greatly appreciated.

  
Gnr Dominic Hoole  
National Chairman

  
Gnr Roy Andersen  
Chairman Gunners' Memorial Trust