

CANADIAN NAVAL DIVERS ASSOCIATION

ORGANIZATION

The Canadian Naval Divers Association (CNDA) was founded by a group of Royal Canadian Navy Divers in 1981 at Halifax, Nova Scotia, to provide a social forum and a fraternal organization for all Naval Trained Divers and Associates. As such it promotes social interaction and Reunions to bring its members together to enjoy the camaraderie of like-minded people who remember their Service careers in the unparalleled world of the Navy Diver. The Ottawa Chapter commenced their affiliation with CNDA in 1988, with the Western Chapter being founded shortly thereafter in 1990.

MEMBERSHIP

Regular Membership is open to all Navy Trained Divers such as: Hardhat Divers; Clearance Divers; Clearance Diving Officers; Ships Divers; Ships Diving Officers; Search & Rescue Divers; Combat Divers; Reserve and Militia Divers; Coast Guard Divers; Fisheries Divers and Police Divers. Foreign Armed Forces Divers may also join as Regular Members if approved by the Chapter they wish to join. All other interested parties may become Associated Members without voting privileges. Current Chapter membership fees are \$10.00 per year, for which you will receive a subscription to the Association's newsletter, the DIPPERS DIGEST, and a plasticized membership card. You may also purchase the CNDA's beautiful Blazer Jacket Crest (a silver hardhat superimposed over a red Maple Leaf) and the very attractive gold coloured hardhat Lapel Pin.

COMMUNICATION

The Association publishes a Quarterly newsletter, the DIPPERS DIGEST, which is forwarded to all members. Articles in the DIGEST include: present happenings; items of interest from days long past; news of events taking place in the 3 Chapters; National Reunions; individual diver's history in the Service; cartoons; requests to locate long lost friends, etc.



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