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## Pemberton Cemetery Enhancement Project

***Thank you  
for your support!***

In 1935 when the Pemberton Cemetery was founded, brothers Pat and Ed Wilson donated land to the citizens of Pemberton with the intention of creating a non-denominational burial site for all members of Pemberton and surrounding areas. As no suitable organization existed at the time to administer and maintain the site, a committee of community volunteers was formed to assume the role of caretakers. In the early 1950's the question of ownership arose, and as no local governing body existed, the local Royal Canadian Legion Branch #201 agreed to take on the title, providing the community group continue to govern and maintain the site. This unique arrangement has continued through the decades and exists to this day.

In keeping with tradition, our community has just undertaken a major upgrade of our burial site. The list of businesses, organizations, and individuals that have come together to accomplish this massive undertaking is lengthy, including 30 businesses and over 50 volunteers. The willingness of so many to support this project has been astounding. The Pemberton Cemetery Committee would like to sincerely thank the following for their contributions that include financial support, donations of equipment and materials, and volunteer hours. Without their generosity this project would not have been possible!

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We still have a few items on our wish list that we have yet to accomplish, including the purchase of a columbarium, memory board, benches, landscaping, and tools to stock our new tool shed.

Anybody interested in supporting this project as we continue to fundraise can find more information on our website: [pembertoncemetery.ca](http://pembertoncemetery.ca), or contact us at

the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #201, Box 182, Pemberton BC, V0N 2L0.