



The Museum rebranded into a museum of flight in November 2016, thus unlocking unlimited opportunities for increased audience participation, education programs, outreach, community partnerships, exhibitions and events.





Events continue to grow. Father's Day Weekend brought in over 2000 visitors, while our Remembrance Day Service connected the Museum with over 1700 attendees who commemorated and honoured Canada's military personnel. We partnered with a diverse group of companies, community and heritage organizations.



The annual RCAF Mess dinner hosted over 150 veterans and active military personnel. Guest speaker was Lieutenant-General Hood, Commander of the RCAF.



A key component of Museum operations is providing opportunities for volunteering to over 100 people. This diverse and passionate group comes to us from all walks of life and includes seniors, young adults, professionals and disabled persons.



Volunteers lend their support, passion and expertise in hundreds of ways. We could not continue to operate and grow without them.

They volunteer for various reasons including work experience, socialization and the chance to engage and inspire young minds, and share their wealth of experience and knowledge.





Schools continued  
to use the museum  
to extend  
classroom learning  
with over 6,777  
programs delivered  
to 5,685 students.

Our school  
programs have  
become so  
successful, we now  
have a wait list.



We offer the casual visitor opportunities to learn about flight through informal dialogue with museum docents and staff. Guided tours and hands-on activities provide extended educational and entertainment value.







The Museum accepted two new aircraft into the collection, and a number of archival and artifact collections which support the Museum's vision and mission, and enhance our ability to tell the on-going story of the City of Calgary.



2016 saw the conclusion of a complex 2 year infrastructure renovation and repair project. It included a new roof, an HVAC system, windows, siding repairs and renovations to the public areas, offices and the main and secondary gallery spaces.



# Moving forward...

- ❖ Development of a comprehensive fund development strategy.
  - ❖ Facility advancement.
  - ❖ Continuing development of school and outreach programs.
  - ❖ Ensuring sustainability and building capacity.
  - ❖ Continuing to improve collections management processes.
  - ❖ Connecting with our communities.
  - ❖ Development of new and existing exhibitions.
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