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# SPEAKERS 2024 SERIES

## Early Aircraft at the Battle of Vimy Ridge

# Natalie McHaffie

7pm, Thursday

Doors open at 6:30pm

# November 21

Annesley United Church, Markdale

82 Toronto Street South, Markdale

*The Great War, the world's first air war, was a revolution being created up above the horror of the trenches. Airplanes, a new and still experimental technology, were developing quickly to change battle strategies. Legendary First World War pilot, Billy Bishop wrote about his experiences at Vimy, "Flying into a wall of sleet and steel was an exercise in shear horror." Natalie McHaffie, curator of the Great War Flying Museum in Brampton, delves into the complex role airplanes played at Vimy Ridge.*

Coffee & tea available.



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