

# The Raven & The Rock

The Glens' Association Newsletter—October 2022

## JUNO BEACH CENTRE



#### Thanks to the supporters of the Juno Beach Centre

Many of you will have responded to the request to contact your MP in support of the Juno Beach Centre in its dispute to prevent a proposed condo development. The condo development if completed would interfere with the Centre and its place on historic Juno Beach. Thank you. You were successful. It has been announced that our Federal Government will help purchase the land near Juno Beach ending the condo dispute.

The Centre was opened on June 6, 2003. Over 1000 Canadian veterans attended the inauguration in 2003 and the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of D-Day in 2004. Glens and their families were there for those events.

## LCI (L) 299

HOTO: (FONCIM

In its announcement of success, the Royal Canadian Legion included a photo of our LCI(L) 299 and the Glens going ashore on Juno Beach. The photo shown here is of Juno Beach Centre's Nathalie Worthington, Executive Director, receiving the framed photo of LCI(L) 299 conveyed by Canada's Military Attaché to France and his Deputy on behalf of the Unit.



This framed photo is mounted on a wall of the Centre's Board Room. Nathalie described the photo as one of the most emblematic photos of June 6, 1944. It is regularly used by organizations promoting D-Day.

### **Remembering at Juno Beach Centre**

Memorials often have engraved stones around them in memory of people or in support of the memorial. The photos here show the memorial "bricks" structures (kiosks) at the Juno Beach Centre. Here are "bricks" sponsored by our Regiment, the City of Cornwall, and the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry. Many members of our Association have purchased "bricks". The purchase of a "brick" is still possible at a starting price of \$500.









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