

## CHESHIRE MILITARY MUSEUM The Castle CHESTER CH1 2DN

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## THE MUSEUM NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

The Cheshire Military Museum at Chester Castle exhibits a vibrant collection of military displays reminding us of our county's long and glorious military connections. As well as informing visitors and educating the younger generation about our military heritage, it also provides a hub where serving soldiers and veterans can meet

Over the next few years, the Ministry of Defence's (MOD) central funding will cease and the Museum must be prepared to be stand financially independent. Securing the future of the Museum will depend, to a large extent, on the efforts of Friends of the Military Museum.

An updated Museum website has been launched with a streamlined membership and donation section making it easier to introduce new Friends and supporters as well as simplifying the process to make donations. <a href="https://www.cheshiremilitarymuseum.org.uk">www.cheshiremilitarymuseum.org.uk</a>

Being a Friend, either as an Individual or a Family, comes with benefits which the website explains. Corporate membership and sponsorship should provide a useful source of income with a dedicated member of the Friends committee overseeing this area. It's the intention to organise more Friends events at the Museum over the coming months.

The Cheshire Military Museum needs more Friends and supporters to provide the financial underpinning needed to ensure its future. Your help would be invaluable by contributing what you can, reaching out to others including former comrades, veteran's groups, the wider military family and the public, encouraging them to look at the website and consider financially supporting the Museum, all for as little as the price of a coffee or a glass of wine a month!

Your support is much appreciated,

Brigadier (Ret'd) John Thomson OBE QVRM TD MSc DL

**CHAIRMAN - FRIENDS OF THE CHESHIRE MILITARY MUSEUM** 



