



NEWSLETTER

Royal Canadian Legion Selkirk Branch #42
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Thank You

To each and everyone who volunteered and got us through the recent Chase the Ace and Meat Draws. I thank you very much for your dedication to Branch 42. It was a stressful, but fun time to be involved. Thanks to the Hamburger Crew for feeding the masses and taking some pressure off the Bar Food Staff.

Our Bar Staff and Security did a great job. Once again to every single person that helped, the Executive and Membership say

Thanks

John Austin, President

President's Report

September, what a busy month. Legion week started with the Volunteer Supper which is our Appreciation Night for all the Volunteers who helped Branch 42 throughout the year.

Next up was the Veterans and Spouses' Dinner which has a new day of the week (Sunday) and new time (4 o'clock). The turn out was around 50 people.

We also had our Fall Supper on the 24th. It was a great success, not quite a sellout but everything went well. Thanks to everyone who helped make our events a success.

Regular meetings resumed in September. Nominations will begin in October so if you are interested in running for Executive, let someone know.

Respectfully Submitted
John Austin, President

Sergeant at Arms & Cadets

Anyone interested in becoming Sergeant at Arms please advise President Austin.

Respectively Submitted
Neil Zebinski, 1st Vice-President

Honours and Awards

The Initiation Ceremony and Awards are being rescheduled to next spring. Date and time will be posted in the Branch newsletter before the date.

Respectfully Submitted
Wayne Bird

Membership

Affiliate: Myles Brandson – Selkirk
Dennis Sanderson – Selkirk

Transfer in:
Albino Ostroman from Lac du Bonnet 164

Respectfully Submitted
Glenn Kozan

Poppy Report

The Poppy Fund primarily serves the necessities of Veterans and their dependents, as well as approved services within our community. This includes donations to the Selkirk Regional Health Centre for medical services and Personal Care homes to help care for Veteran residents and others. In doing so, the community at large benefits greatly from the Poppy Fund. This is achieved by the tremendous support from the community for the Selkirk Royal Canadian Legion Branch 42 Poppy Campaign. With your continued assistance we will carry on the tradition to honour our pledge to our Veterans and those who need our help.

The Poppy Campaign for 2023 starts on October 27th, 2023, and will run until November 11th. At this time the poppy supplies are ordered, and the Poppy routes are covered by a group of the Branch's wonderful Volunteers. The route supplies will be ready for pick up at the Branch 12:00 p:m October 26th, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted
Wayne Bird

Service Officer

Any member that needs to borrow, or wants to return equipment, may do so by calling the office (204-482-4319) Monday – Friday 11am – 3:30 pm. The office will set up an appointment.

Respectively Submitted
Neil Zebinski, 1st Vice-President



Ways and Means – Chase the Ace

October – Chase the Ace		
	Cashier	Seller
6		Vivian Paul
13	Noella Belanger	Louise Chuhie
20	Lori Robson	Sandra Skiba
27	Vivian Whiteway	Vivian Paul



Shannon, Chase the Ace Winner
September 27, 2023

Respectfully Submitted
Betty Nichol

Entertainment

October Bands are:

- 6th The Marvell's
- 13th Ramblin Fever
- 20th Karaoke w/Wayne
- 27th Vinyl Revival

(Randy from Rock the House with a new band)

November Bands are:

- 3rd Geoffrey & the Rockets
- 10th Ravin
- 17th Five O'Clock Somewhere
- 24th Up in Flames

Respectively Submitted
Kayleen Valley, Entertainment

Walmart Poppy

Now that Poppy season is fast approaching Volunteers are needed to fill shifts. There are three shifts per day 10 to 1, 1 to 4, 4 to 7 starting on October Friday, October 27th. Some shifts are filled but there are more to be done. Any help is greatly appreciated. Call Neil (204-785-1427) if you can help. Leave a message if no answer and I will call back.

Respectfully submitted,
Neil Zebinski

Ways and Means – Meat Draw

October– Meat Draw				
	Caller	Seller	Pickup	Cashier
6	Neil Zebinski	Faye Drummond Tracy Cyncora	Graham Mathers	Michael Tassano
13	TBA	Faye Drummond Terri Foster	Bob Leah	Eileen Belanger
20	Wayne Bird	Kathy Bird Heather Austin	Andy Anderson	Michael Tassano
27	Tim Byers	Petra Byers Karen Coumont	Ken Marynewich Gail Marynewich	Lori Robson

Due to unforeseen circumstances the names on any particular date may change without notice.

We are now canvassing for volunteers for October, November and December. We need new faces to help the ones we presently have. Many hands make light work. (Getting ready for the next Ace, lol.)

Respectfully Submitted
Mary Zebinski



Bingo

The big bingo pots are attracting more people. As a result, more Volunteers could be used. If you are interested in the occasional Bingo call back and paper clean up, please get in touch with me, Heather Austin, at 204-785-1665 or see me at the Branch.

No experience needed, on the job training.



Congratulations, Loonie Pot Winner, Shirley

Respectfully Submitted

Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President

Sick and Visiting

Condolence cards were sent to the families of George Fedoruk and Ed Jackman.

A blanket and card was sent to Gilbert Belanger who recently was in hospital. A fruit basket was sent to Janie Smith who was recently in Hospital. A card, fruit basket and blanket were taken to Veteran, Brian Wilson.



Brian Wilson with Kayleen Valley

Respectfully Submitted

Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President

Sports



Sunday, November 12, 2023

Registration 12 noon-1pm

\$10 entry

100% payout (top 3)

Respectfully Submitted

Ian Brooks, Sports

Special Events

Because we were unable to secure fish, we cancelled the fish fry for September 9th. We are looking to possibly reschedule at a later date.

On September 17th, the Veteran and Spouses Dinner was scheduled. The invitation letters had already been sent when we were informed that the Ladies Auxiliary was unable to prepare the meal. Thank you for stepping up to the plate in preparing the standard meal of roast beef, potatoes, turnips, peas and carrots: Glen, Ian, Barb, Kim, Wayne, Kayleen, Ken and Betty. It is always nice to honour and serve our Veterans. Left over food was taken to Nova House Woman's Shelter

The Fall Supper on September 24th was well attended. Only positive feedback and if anyone had a complaint, we didn't hear. Thank you to the prep and set up crew on the Saturday: Bobbi, Joyce, Ken and Betty, Vivian 1 and 2, Danielle, Barb, Kim, John and Kayleen.

Thanks to all who helped on Sunday: Greeter-Michael, Bar-Lance, M/C-Wayne, Pies-Karen, Mary and Neil, Beverages-Corrinaa, Clean up-Chrystal, Andy and Isabel, Servers-Dennis, Eve, Faye, Bobbi, Betty, Ruth, Ken, Danielle, Kayleen, John, Rob, Vivian, Craig, Sharon, Ilse, Rick. The kitchen crew: Wayne, Kathy, Kim, Barb and Vivian.

It takes many to put on a successful event and Branch 42 is very fortunate to have such wonderful Volunteers. A big thank you to the Culinary Dept at LSSD for preparing the turkeys and the gravy, and the SFD for the loan of their food warmers. Donations have been made to both on behalf of the Legion. There will also be a donation made to the Savannah Support Fund from the sale of the extra pies. All food leftovers were taken to Our Daily Bread soup kitchen.

December cash calendars are available now.

Respectively Submitted

Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President

Upcoming Events

But first, for October, we have "At the Hop" October 21 at 7 pm. Tickets \$20 available at the bar.

AT THE HOP



MANITOBA'S FAVOURITE 50'S AND 60'S PARTY BAND
FEATURING MUSIC FROM BILL HALEY, JERRY LEE LEWIS,
JOHNNY CASH, BUDDY HOLLY, THE BEATLES, CHUBBY CHECKER,
THE BEACH BOYS, ELVIS AND MORE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 7PM
TICKETS \$20 AVAILABLE AT THE BAR

Cold Hard Cash coming November 25th.
Tickets on sale soon.

Respectively Submitted

Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President





There will be no poker on October 12th and October 19th. Poker will resume on October 26th.

**100 players maximum
e-transfer cut off at 3:30pm
Current Royal Flush pot +\$12,000**

**Cashiers and Callers needed.
You do not have to know how to play**

Cribbage

September		Name	Score
7	1	Adam & Peter	876
	2	Linden & Chris	876
	3	Stan & Alexa	874
11	1	Bert & Doug	887
	2	Willie & Barb	866
	3	Reed and Graham	858
18	1	George & Dave	876
	2	Chuck & Gord	872
	3	Alice & Marilyn	848
25	1	Linden & Chris	887
	2	Liz & Karen	846
	3	Helen & Phyllis	837

Respectfully Submitted
Adam Hunnie

Grey Cup tickets **Please return all tickets back to Barb at the Bar.**

Respectfully Submitted
Barb Clemons

Ladies Auxiliary

We had 15 ladies at our September meeting. Grey cup tickets are now available. Call Kim or Susan if anyone is looking for some.

Do not forget our Craft Sale on November 5th from 10.00 am till 3 00 pm. Table rentals are still available if anyone is looking. If you want a table message Sandy Chiborak at sandychiborak@hotmail.com.

Please bring lotto tickets to our next meeting. We will be doing our lotto tree fundraiser again.

Membership fees are due at the next meeting. The price is still \$20.00.

Our next meeting is October 29th at 1.30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted
Debbie Rose, Publicity/First Vice



Royal Canadian Legion Branch 42

Over 60 Club

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Over 60 Club

Looks like Fall is in the air, the trees are all turning beautiful colours and the nights are getting cooler.

October is our 2nd month for nominations to our new Executive. Please take time to think about whom you would like to see fill the Chairs.

We always say our Club cannot run without its volunteers, but we cannot have a Club to run without an Executive.

Nominations this month: VOTE in November.

It is all up to you, so give it some serious thought.

Do not forget about our Wine and Cheese Party on Sunday October 15th at 1:00 pm. It is always a fun day, good food, a little gift exchange and for those who do not like wine there will be a punch bowl.

Keep smiling and stay safe.

Respectfully Submitted

Faye Drummond, President

Over 60 Volunteer Report

Thank you to the volunteers for September who helped with the luncheon: calling numbers Alice Thompson; clean-up Louise Goodbrandson and Grace Hordyski. We would also like to thank Reverend Sharman for saying Grace.

Respectfully Submitted

Louise Goodbrandson

2nd Vice President Over 60 Club

Ways and Means

Volunteers are always needed to sell 50/50 well as the Bottle Draw on Fridays. If you can spare an hour and a half on any of these days. please call **Neil (204-785-1427)**.

Respectfully Submitted

Neil Zebinski, Ways and Means

Membership

In September we had 82 members in attendance. That is the most we have had in a longtime!

Thanks to the gals who volunteer at the registration table: Billie Ratkowski, Fern Kirton and Bev Bruce.

At our October meeting we will be taking membership renewals for 2024. This will continue in November and December.

Hope to see a good turn-out on October 19th.

Respectfully Submitted

Ruth Stewart, Membership

Sick and Visiting

Ed Jackman passed away and a card was sent to his wife Doreen on the loss of her husband. Judy Brooks passed away and a card was sent to her children Leslie and Scott on the loss of their mother. A card was sent to Sue Brunelle on the loss of her partner.

Donations were made to the Poppy Fund on the passing of Dorothy Pruden, Ed Jackman Judy Brooks. Flowers and a thinking of you card was sent to Marlene Sahulka letting her know that the members thoughts are with her.

Respectfully Submitted

Kim Hutton-Smith

<i>October</i>	
<i>Upcoming 50/50 Draw</i>	
	Seller
Mon 2	Neil Zebinski
Sat 7	
Mon 9	
Sat 14	Melvina Grant
Mon 16	
Sat 21	
Mon 23	
Sat 28	Melvina Grant
Mon 30	
Friday	<i>Upcoming Bottle Draw</i>
6	Ron & Jackie Brooks
13	Mae Fidler-Fast
20	
27	

<i>September 50/50 Draw Winners</i>		
	Seller	Winner
4	Neil Zebinski	Cheryl Woods
9	Melvin Grant	Lance Kenya
11	Lorraine & Eugene Leniuk	Kimberly Dejarlais
16	Lorraine & Eugene Leniuk	Shirley Smith
18	Karen Coumont	Lori Thorstienson
23	Linda Paluck Wendy Bisiak	Karley Andrusko
25	No Seller	
30	Melvina Gant	Janet Stevenson
<i>Bottle Draw Winners</i>		
1	Bonnie Cuthbert	Lloyd Brewster
1	Bonnie Cuthbert	Susie Bolton
8	Evelyn Milner	Pat Coffin
8	Evelyn Milner	Daphne Beren
15	Bonnie Cuthbert	Ken Marynewich
15	Ruth Stewart	Tom Waterman
22	Mae Fidler-Fast	Barb Rathgaber
22	Mae Fidler-Fast	Tammy Dicks
29	Linda Paluck, Fern Kirton	Belle Dowan
29	Linda Paluck, Fern Kirton	Dwayne Kowalko

Respectfully Submitted
Dennis Stewart

Over 60 Entertainment

Fall was just around the corner for our September meeting. We had a great turn-out. The dance floor was filled for both our spot dances as we danced to Mark Boman's Top Secret Band.

September 17th to 23rd was Legion Week. We also had a nice turn-out for the Pot Luck Lunch. Everyone brought a variety of goodies or sandwiches. We even had some Chile. Coffee and tea were served and it was a fun afternoon.

Sunday, October 15th 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm will be our Annual Wine and Cheese Party. Members who want to participate in the gift exchange can bring a small gift valued between \$5 to \$10. Come on out and join in the fun with a glass of your favorite wine. Some laughs are sure to follow.

September winners were:

Meat Draw: Bobbi Georget
Eugene Leniuk
Rose Kereliuk
Clarence Mutcher
Bottle Draw Clarence Mutcher
Margaret Mutcher
Door Prize Faye Drummond

Thank You to the ticket sellers, Sue Brunelle and Alice Thompson for selling meat draw tickets and Amy Swinton and Don Zalusky for the bottle draw. Thanks to Randy Adair and Billie Ratkowski for the table set-up. As always, our volunteers are greatly appreciated. Thank you to all.

In October we will be entertained by a new band called "Desert Sky". Hope to see you all October 19th at our next meeting.

Respectfully Submitted
Karen Coumont/Sandy Skiba



October

Check out our Daily Member Specials!!

2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	5 7:00 pm Poker	6 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: The Marvell's	7 Bingo 1:00 pm
8 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm	9 Thanksgiving Day Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	10 Darts 6:30 pm	11 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	12 O/60 Club Executive Meeting 1:00 pm	13 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Ramblin Fever	14 Bingo 1:00 pm
15 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm Over 60's Wine & Cheese	16 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	17 Executive Meeting 2:00 pm Darts 6:30 pm	18 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	19 O/60 Club General Meeting	20 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Karaoke w/Wayne	21 Bingo 1:00 pm <i>At the Hop with Adam T Elvis 7:30 pm</i>
22 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm Hockey Draft 1pm	23 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	24 Darts 6:30 pm	25 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm General Meeting 7:30 pm	26 7:00 pm Poker	27 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Vinyl Revival	86 Bingo 1:00 pm
29 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm	30 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	31 Halloween Darts 6:30 pm				

November

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2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	2 7:00 pm Poker	3 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Geoffrey & the Rockets	4 Bingo 1:00 pm
5 Daylight Saving Ends Clocks Back Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm	6 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	7 Darts 6:30 pm	8 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	9 O/60 Club Executive Meeting 1:00 pm 7:00 pm Poker	10 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band:Ravin	11 No Bingo Remembrance Day
12 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm Branch Crib Tournament 1pm	13 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	14 Darts 6:30 pm	15 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	16 O/60 Club General Meeting 7:00 pm Poker	17 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: 5 o'clock Somewhere	18 Bingo 1:00 pm
19 Open 11:00 am – TBA Grey Cup Party	20 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	21 Executive Meeting 2:00 pm Darts 6:30 pm	22 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	23 7:00 pm Poker	24 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Up in Flames:	25 Bingo 1:00 pm
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