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September 2024



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Bill Sadler

The summer months have flown by, and I would like to thank all of you who were able to support us through July and August. As you know these are our slow months and with your help we did well.

The sports-a-Rama sign up night did very well with most leagues increasing the signing up of their athletes and more memberships.

The fund-raising group has had many meetings over the summer months planning several exciting events for this fall, just watch that chart grow. They have a goal, and they are going to reach it.

The fund-raising plaque board has also been doing well with people wanting their or their family names on a plaque or just wanting to support their club.

Speaking of remembrance, our Remembrance Day committee spear headed by David Barham and Sven Leppik, have had several meetings and have sent many emails in their planning of our most important day of the year, November 11th, our day of Remembrance. We will be expecting about 400 people in attendance, see you there.

Sept 7, 2024, to Sept. 12, 2024 eight of our members

will be attending the Dominion Convention in Sherbrooke, Quebec, but will be back for September General meeting, Sept 19th. We are looking forward to having you attend.

Elections will be coming up in January 2025 and in order for you to qualify you must have attended at least three general meetings in the year.

This club must have an executive to help keep this an active and healthy club and I would hope that out of almost eight hundred members, there would be ten willing to help.

The fall club room hours are being posted and October 1, 2024, there is to be a slight increase in our beer and liquor pricings. The reason for this

1. Federal tax increase
2. Our cost for beer and liquor
3. Minimum wage increasing Oct. 1, 2024

We will be trying to keep this increase as low as possible.

Looking forward to having everyone back this fall. How about bringing in a friend or neighbor.



NEW FALL AND WINTER BAR HOURS EFFECTIVE STARTING SEPTEMBER 3rd, 2024

MONDAY: 11am-10:30pm

TUESDAY: 11am-10:30pm

WEDNESDAY: 11am-10:30pm

THURSDAY: 11am-10:30pm

FRIDAY: 11am-12 MIDNIGHT

SATURDAY: 11am- 8pm

FRIDAY MEAT DRAW START AT 6:30pm

SATURDAY MEAT DRAWS START AT 3pm

**CLOSING HOURS FOR SATURDAY ARE DEPENDENT ON
FUNCTIONS IN THE CLUB**



FALL AND WINTER CANTEEN HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday,

9:30am-2pm

5pm-8pm

Tuesday CLOSED

Thursday 9:30am-2pm

Sat 8:30am-4pm



OVER 55 & RETIRED

Roger Briand

Greetings from the Over 55 Executive.

I hope everyone is enjoying their summer.



Our Wednesday morning golf group is having a pretty good season. Each Wednesday we have had the threat of rain, but so far, we have been lucky and managed to get our round in before it starts. Our last game and wind-up luncheon will be on Sept 11th, after that we will continue to use our time allotment on a more casual basis as long as weather permits.

I am working on getting the bowling roster ready. We hope to start our Friday morning league on Sept 13th. I will contact all last year's bowlers, but if anyone wants to join us, please call me. We will have room for a few regular bowlers and can always use spares. We bowl at Westwood Lanes every Friday morning from 9:30 to approximately 11:30 AM. We are a very casual league and each year our scores get a little lower, but we still have fun and enjoy the camaraderie.

The Folklorama bus tour on Aug 7th was a great success. Everything went without a hitch. All three pavilions provided us great entertainment and food and of course the VIP treatment makes the evening a very enjoyable experience. Thanks to Mary Lou for organizing the event.

Thank you to everyone who supported our Meat Draw on Aug 2nd, especially those who worked that evening. Our next Meat Draw is Oct 4th.

Our first General Meeting is on Sept 10th. Members are reminded that a complimentary lunch will be served at 12:30 followed by the meeting at 1:30pm. We ask that all members planning to attend inform their callers when they receive their reminder call.

Mary Lou has arranged a day bus tour to South Beach for Sept 24th. Details are posted on the bulletin board.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone back at the club as activities resume.

Good and Welfare:

3 Sept: Executive Meeting Board Room 10:00 am

10 Sept: General Meeting John Thompson Room

12:30 pm Lunch 1:30 pm Meeting

1 Oct: Executive Meeting Board Room 10:00 am

4 Oct: Over 55 Sports Meat Draw

BOWLING

Friday mornings 9:30am

September to May

**Must be a member of
Over 55's to play**



BINGO

Thursday, 1-4pm

LGA 2028-B1

All welcome

Over 55 & Retired Executive

President	Roger Briand
Past President	Gord Ayotte
Vice-President	Lisette Madsen
Treasurer	Terry Hickman
Secretary	Marilyn Krebs
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Donations Coordinator	Lisette Madsen
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Sports Coordinator	Roger Briand
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BEER & BITES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2024

6:00 PM TO 9:00 PM
JOHN THOMPSON ROOM, ANAF283



TRANS CANADA BREWING CO. IS SPONSORING A BEER-TASTING EVENING, FEATURING A WIDE SELECTION OF THEIR PRODUCTS. FOOD SAMPLERS TO BE PAIRED WITH A FEW OF THE BEERS WILL OFFER A NEW TASTING EXPERIENCE.

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LIMITED SEATING

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OR AT CANTEEN WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY

MEMBERSHIP

Shirley Lyon

Our membership is currently at 804! My goal was 800 for 2024 so I'm pleased that we have reached that goal! Our Anniversary and Awards night was held July 13th with approximately 70 in attendance. Awards winners were Certificate of Appreciation: Matt Sandham, Cheri Chowen, Art Cabel, Munther Zeid and Bruce McBeth. Certificate of Appreciation with Medal: Faye Davidson, Rick Thain and Diane Lenchuk. Certificate of Appreciation with Clasp: Gord Watt and Shirley Lyon. Sports Person of the Year: Chuck Black, and Members of the Year were Mary Lou Talmage and Roger Briand. Congratulations to all and thank you for your continued support to ANAF Unit 283.

61 Long Service pins were acknowledged and if you have not yet picked up your pin it is available at the bar. List of pins to be picked up are

DOUG AGNEW	GEORGE PATTERSON
MAXINE BEATTY	RUPERT ROBINSON
JOE DOOLEY	ELLY ST. PIERRE
GEORGE GLATZ	LORNE STANLEY
TOM HIGHHAM	DON & STUART
DON JACKSON	SUTHERLAND
GAIL KARMAN	ROBERT TERRY
HAROLD KORNE	ED WALKER
PATRICK LAND	
ROBERT LAZELL	
JANICE MORIN	



If you see these people in the club, please remind them to get their pins, or if they live close to you perhaps you could drop them off.

Deb and I will be at the Dominion Convention from Sept 7-12 so if anything URGENT comes up regarding Membership, Linda O'Brien will be available to assist. I'll be in on Sept 13th.



WAYS AND MEANS

Bill Sadler

The Ways and Means portfolio consisting of the Saturday afternoon meat draw, pastry table, 50/50 and hamper baskets have continued over the summer months continuing to do well both attracting members and their guests out for a fun afternoon. This accomplishment only happens with you, the members and our dedicated group of volunteers.

We have some exciting things planned for the fall. Starting off in the Fall, first Barb Sadler filled two large hamper baskets with goodies. Also, with the baskets there will be a turkey and a bag of potatoes. Tickets will be going on sale Sept 2, 2024, with the draw being held October 5, 2024. Also, on October 5, 2024, with our regular meat draw there will be a seventh draw of all turkeys. So, save up your money and come out to support the club and have a chance to win a Thanksgiving turkey.

At this time, I would like to thank the people who have donated the turkeys for the baskets and the people who have donated the baskets.

If you would like to help, we are looking for ticket sellers, especially for the first part of September as Barb and I will be away at the convention.

If you would like to volunteer for regular Saturday afternoons, please let Barb or myself know.

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CRIBBAGE

Darlene McWilliams & Weldon Hiebert

**CRIBBAGE
MAKES THE WORLD
A HAPPY PLACE**



As summer winds down, we are happy to report a successful season of cribbage. "Weather" it was the hot humid conditions that lit the spirit of the players (more than likely the air conditioning!), or the thrill of competition, our numbers

have not been this high since before Covid. We even signed up some new members! Despite the sizzling numbers, there were no "29" hands, but we did come close with a couple of "28" hands. We hope our numbers continue to improve throughout the fall and winter. What better way to spend a cool evening than in a room full of hot competition!

We welcome all Anavets members to join us on Thursdays for an evening of friendship, fun, and a chance to win some money. There are cash prizes for the top four winners, "24" hands, "28" hands, and of course the "29" pot (which is at \$725.00 and growing!).

SENIOR MEN'S SNOOKER

Bruce McBeth

Sports Registration Night was held August 14th, and we experienced an excellent turnout of 51 applicants, several of whom are new to Senior Men's. We anticipate a few more in the next while.

Cliff Pearen was the winner of our Free Membership draw.

Following Dunc Manson's retirement as our Coordinator at the end of last season, a decision was made to share his duties amongst a Leadership Team comprised of Allan Jones (Bookkeeper), Hart Kapitoler (Draw Master), Perry Whitesell (Spares coordinator) and Dunc (Meat Draw coordinator). Dunc will be a mentor to this team. Please join us in thanking Dunc for many years of dedicated service in successfully running the league.

Our next Sports Meat Draw is Friday, August 30th with volunteers: Gord Watt, Cliff Pearen, Mike Fennessy, Mike Ottenbreit and Bill Kellas.

We plan on settling our rosters and creating Round 1 schedules for Singles (Mondays) and Doubles (Tuesdays and Thursdays) early in September.



Weekly Cribbage

Thursday 7:30pm-10pm

\$5/person (partner cribbage)

Weekly:

50/50 draw

Cash prizes for top 4 winners

"24" hand, "28" hand

And a "29" hand gives you the pot

29 pot grows nightly until it reaches \$1000

1st Thursday: various draws

Note: Rescheduled to Wednesday night before the Unit 283 General Meeting.



LOTTERIES

John Blair

Lotteries continues to function well, as of August 15, 2024, Bingo maintains a Jackpot of \$55,975.00. As a result, Break Open ticket sales remain brisk.

On September 10, 2024, Chase the Queen and 50/50 return to Tuesday nights in conjunction with the CVMS meat draw. Tickets for Chase the Queen are \$1.00 each, tickets for the 50/50 are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. Ticket sales start at 7pm to 8pm with the draw at approximately 8:15pm. The current jackpot for Chase the Queen is \$1574.50. Come out and support us both.



All necessary lottery licenses are up to date.

CANADIAN VETERANS MANITOBA & SUPPORTERS

Sven Leppik

Welcome back, Brothers and Sisters!

We trust you had a safe and relaxing summer! Our summer involved relaxing activities, such as motorcycle riding, spending time at the cottage, camping, and continuing to do what we love, supporting veterans and veteran causes!

To that end, CVMS members participated in a fund-raiser for the Red Rose Ranch Veteran Horse Camp (R3VHC) and did our part by presenting the organizers with a \$2,000.00 cheque for their upcoming horse camps this fall! Red Rose Ranch Veterans Horse Camp delivers horsemanship training and ranch life experiences to Military, First Responders, and veterans who strive for improvement; physically, mentally, and spiritually.

CVMS members also took a donation to the local RCMP office in Headingley and presented them with a \$2,000.00 cheque for their Slain Members Fund, so that members of D Division can travel to honour their fallen comrades when the need arises.

CVMS members also participated in this year's Highway of Heroes Ride, an event coordinated by the Manitoba UN/NATO veterans' group, and while at the Artillery Museum in Shilo, presented a representative from the Shilo MFRC with a \$2,000.00 cheque for their "Hold Me Tight" couples program. This program helps military and veteran couples learn how to cope with the stress of being a military family, and how to reconnect with your partner.

Riders from CVMS also participated in this year's Rolling Barrage, an event various members of our group have participated in since its inception! This coast-to-coast ride features some participants riding the entire way from Newfoundland to British Columbia, and others able to join local legs as the ride moves through their locale. The ride aims to raise PTSD awareness, and their mantra is "it is not a disorder or a disease, it is an injury sustained from the traumas of one's duty to protect Canada and her citizens."

We also have additional donations yet to be made. We will be donating to Forging Ahead, which "Is dedicated to helping veterans and first responders with operational stress injuries manage and cope with their emotions through the use of artistic blacksmithing and metalworking.", and we will also

be donating to Sleep in Heavenly Peace, an organization whose motto is "No kid sleeps on the floor in our town!"

But back to you, dear 283 Members...when can we expect to see you again? Our regular Tuesday night meat draws begin again on Tuesday the 10th of September, at 7pm, in concert with the clubs' Chase the Queen game. We're looking forward to hearing how your summer was! See you soon!

On a sad note, condolences go out to the family of Daniel "Hoss" Trelbuk, a Brother and member of the 3rd Canadian Army Veterans (CAV). He passed away suddenly while on a ride with the CAV in Alberta in July. Hoss was a huge supporter of all things veteran, and his loss will be felt for some time to come. Stand down soldier, your mission is done. RIP Hoss.



Sven presenting the donation cheque to Bobby Wuskynyk



Poster listing what the camp strives to do



CVMS members Bryan, Rick, Sven, Joan and Lisa in attendance at the Red Rose Ranch Veterans Horse Ranch fundraiser



billboard showing many of the sponsors of the R3VHC



Group photo of the Manitoba participants in The Rolling Barrage



CVMS member John presenting the cheque to the RCMP representative in Headingley



CVMS member Bryan looking up at the CC-130 Hercules that did a fly-over of The Rolling barrage participants in Steinbach



CVMS members Lesley, Diane, Cheyenne, Dan, RG, Randall, Andy, Rick, Terry, Deb, John and Scott



TUESDAY NIGHTS

CHASE THE QUEEN OF SPADES

&

CVMS

MEAT DRAW



Every Tuesday 7:00 TO 8:00
Chase the Queen Accumulating
Jackpot
50/50 Draw

ANNIVERSARY & AWARDS NIGHT



A.N.A.F. #283



Thanksgiving Hamper

Tickets price ---3 for \$2.00

Date of draw --Oct. 5, 2024

There are two hampers.
Each hamper contains a
turkey, potatoes and many other
goodies.



Also on Oct. 5 there will be a seventh
draw of all turkeys.



September 2024

Saturday Meat Draw Starts at 3:00pm

Date	September 7	September 14	September 21	September 28
MC	Susan Paggett	Bill Sadler	Linda Oleschuk	R G Hemlow
Cashier	Linda O'Brien	Barb Sadler	Mary Lou Talmage	Deb Dodd Hemlow
Ticket Seller	Linda Messervey	Judy Reed	Maxine Beatty	Bernice Kwasnicki
Runner	Lisette Madsen	Darlene McWilliams	Birgitta McKay	Jean Moor
Runner	Kandia Sarides	Rowan McWilliams	Bea Aymont	Cheri Chowen
50/50 Seller	Jean Moor	Shirley Lyon	Shirley Lyon	Shirley Lyon
Pastry Table	Millie Blair	Louise Russell	Jean Moor	Diane Lenchuk
Pastry Table	Sandra Seal	Eileen Pollock	Brenda McLeod	Adele Betts
Drum	Dunc Manson	Pall Ramsay	Les Boyce	Roger Briand
Drum	Rob Vosters	Wilf Betts	Roger Briand	Rob Vosters


THANK YOU TO OUR FABULOUS VOLUNTEERS


SHUFFLEBOARD

Nicole Young

Welcome Back to the Shuffleboard League for Season 24/25!

I hope everyone had a fantastic summer and is ready for an exciting new season of shuffleboard! I'm thrilled to announce that our registration day was a tremendous success. We had 19 teams sign up, along with 2 spare players, bringing a great mix of familiar faces and new players to the league. A warm welcome to the six new members joining us this year: Caroline Duheme, Ron Grist, Linda and Jerry Oleschuk, Matt Sandham, and Christine Murray. We're excited to have you as part of our shuffleboard community!

Mark your calendars—our league kicks off on September 4, 2024. I can hardly wait to see all the action and camaraderie that the new season will bring. I want to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who has helped with the meat draws and the registration process. Your support and enthusiasm make everything run smoothly and make this league such a special experience.

A big shoutout and congratulations are in order for our very own Ken Jorowski and Mark Buchan! They have achieved a remarkable feat by becoming the Manitoba Shuffleboard Association Men's Doubles Shuffleboard Champions. Ken and Mark will proudly represent Manitoba at the Canadian Championships, which will be held right here at ANAF #283 from October 7-12, 2024. Let's all come out and support Team Manitoba as they compete at the national level!

Thank you again to everyone who contributes to the success of our league. Here's to a fantastic season of shuffleboard and community spirit!



Congratulations to Ken Joworski and Mark Buchan on winning the MSA Provincial Doubles Shuffleboard Championships. The two members of our club will represent Manitoba at the Canadian Championships. The Canadian National

Shuffleboard Championship will be held at ANAVET 283 from October 7 to 12, 2024. Everyone is welcome to come out and cheer on Team Manitoba.



Bee Wellness

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Bee Wellness for older adults and people with rehab needs.

Who are we? We are a "shop" that offers wellness programs tailored to the older adult and for those who have chronic conditions who might not be able to go to a standard facility.

What do we offer? We offer various Functional Fitness classes* (advance, intermediate and beginner), Tai Chi, Chair and Mat yoga* and Massage Therapy.

If you say "ANAF 2024" you will receive 10% off one of the wellness classes that are started*.

Our Rehab:

Candace Swick is an older adult rehab practitioner with over 25 years of experience. She works with the older adult population as well with people who have various chronic conditions looking for "outside the box" Functional Rehab.

- Stroke and Parkinson's Practitioners
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SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
1 	2  UNIT CLOSED	3 Wpg West Cribbage 1-4pm 55+ Executive Mtg 10:30am	4 Bingo 7pm
8	9 Wizard 1-4pm Bingo 7pm	10 55+ General Mtg 1:30pm Lunch 12:30 CVMS Meat Draw 7:00pm Chase the Queen & 50/50 7pm	11 Bingo 7pm
15	16 Wizard 1-4pm Bingo 7pm	17 CVMS Meat Draw 7:00pm Chase the Queen & 50/50 7pm	18 Bingo 7pm Cribbage 7:30pm
22	23 Wizard 1-4pm Bingo 7pm	24 CVMS Meat Draw 7:00pm Chase the Queen & 50/50 7pm	25 Bingo 7pm
29	30  Wizard 1-4pm Bingo 7pm		

2024

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>5</p> <p>55+ Bingo 1:15pm</p> <p>Cribbage 7:30pm</p>	<p>6 RED SHIRT FRIDAY</p> <p>Sports Meat Draw (Men's Snooker)</p> <p>& Pipe Band 50/50 6:30pm</p> <p>Bingo 7pm</p> <p>Band 8pm: Repeat Offenders</p>	<p>7 </p> <p>Meat Draw & 50/50 3pm</p>
<p>12</p> <p>Unit Executive Meeting</p> <p>55+ Bingo 1:15pm</p> <p>Cribbage 7:30pm</p>	<p>13 RED SHIRT FRIDAY</p> <p>Sports Meat Draw (Curling)</p> <p>& Pipe Band 50/50 6:30pm</p> <p>Bingo 7pm</p> <p>Band 8pm: Marvells</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Meat Draw & 50/50 3pm</p>
<p>19</p> <p>55+ Bingo 1:15pm</p> <p>Unit General Meeting 7:00pm</p>	<p>20 RED SHIRT FRIDAY</p> <p>Sports Meat Draw (Masters)</p> <p>& Pipe Band 50/50 6:30pm</p> <p>Bingo 7pm</p> <p>Band 8pm: Tanis T & Diamondbacks</p>	<p>21 </p> <div data-bbox="1084 966 1422 1234" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>BEER & BITES</p> <p>6:00pm—9:00pm</p> <p>Limited Seating</p> <p>Tickets \$25.00</p> </div> <p>Meat Draw & 50/50 3pm</p>
<p>26</p> <p>55+ Bingo 1:15pm</p> <p>Cribbage 7:30pm</p>	<p>27 RED SHIRT FRIDAY </p> <p>Sports Meat Draw (Ladies Snooker)</p> <p>& Pipe Band 50/50 6:30pm</p> <p>Bingo 7pm</p> <p>Band 8pm: Deputy</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Meat Draw & 50/50 3pm</p>



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SUPER CRAFT & VENDOR SALE

Saturday, October 12, 2024

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Stillwell Hall, ANAF 283

Guaranteed, there will be something for everyone.

A nominal donation of \$2 will be suggested at the door
another small way for you to support your "Friendly Club"

For more information, please contact Barb at
204-430-0096 or adamsbarbaralynn@gmail.com



Calling all Baking and Craft Enthusiasts!

ANAF283 is hosting a ***Super Craft and Vendor Sale*** on **Saturday, October 12, 2024**. This has the potential of being one of the Unit's most successful fundraisers this year ...
with your help.

We hope you will support our Unit's fundraising efforts by:

1. Donating baked good, preserves and crafts, to be sold at the Unit 283 table. **All proceeds will go directly to Unit 283.**
2. Renting your own table and marketing your own unique craft items only. All baking will be sold at the Unit's table.
3. Spreading the word! Please share this information with family, friends and your personal social networks. The Craft Sale's PDF can be obtained for this purpose by contacting Barb at adamsbarbaralynn@gmail.com.

Watch for event posters around the club, in our newsletter and on our website ... anaf283.com.

For more information, please contact Barb Adams at 204-430-0096 or adamsbarbara566@gmail.com.

Thank you for your support!

ANAF283 Fundraising Group



"FOREVER YOUNG CLUB PRESENTS"

"SHAKIN' ALL OVER"

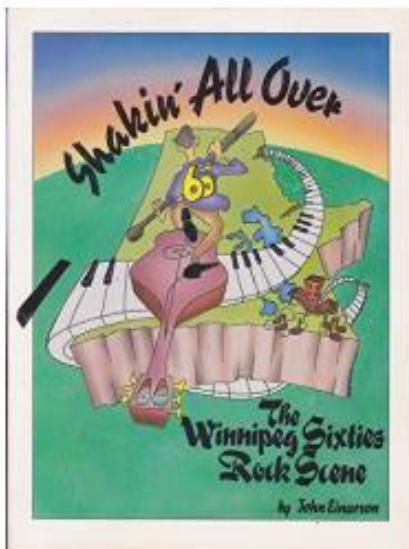
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"LEGENDS OF WINNIPEG"

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2024

7:30 PM - 11:30 PM

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MEMBERS \$10 NON-MEMBERS \$15

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Hello everyone, it has been a very busy Summer for us Peacekeepers...we had our 50th Anniversary of the shooting down of the Buffalo Aircraft over the Border of Lebanon and Syria on 09 August 2024, in attendance were the Special Envoy for Military Affairs, David Pankratz, MLA for Waverley; Lieutenant General Ray Crabbe, whom our Chapter is named after, and Brigadier General Paul Doyle, 1 Canadian Air Division Deputy Commander who spoke about the United Nations over the years.

By the way, the same United Nations Flag that flew over Ismailia, Egypt on 09 Aug 1974 was flying at the Legislature Building on 09 August 2024.

At this time, I would like to thank Linda Jardine for arranging everything with Veterans Affairs Canada; Lynda Bartel for picking up the Podium and arranging food and refreshments with the Caterer, ensuring all was ready for after our Service. George Morrison for a 56-passenger bus to ferry dignitaries and guests from the Legislative grounds to our Cairn and back. Gerry MacFarlane for picking up, setting up and returning all the chairs from the Party Stuff. David Serduk for getting in touch with Long and McQuaid for the Media Box and Microphone.

Through the help of the Special Envoy, the South

Curb Bus Lane was closed from St Mary Avenue to York Avenue during the Service.

Len Barnsley and I attended the Hong Kong Veteran Memorial Service at Brookside Cemetery on 11 August 2024.

On 18 September 2024, The Fallen Heroes video 'Their Journey Home' will be shown at the Grant Park Theatre. Come one, come all. If you are a member of the RMIM, you may wish to contact Linda Jardine for a free ticket. We have 30 tickets.

The Homes for Heroes Golf Tournament will be on 26 September 2024 at the Breezy Bend Golf Course. Thanks to the Royal Military Institute of Manitoba and our Chapter for going half each in sponsoring a hole for the tournament.

Our first meeting will be on 07 September 2024 at 09:30 hours in the Board room of ANAVETS.

The Portuguese War Veterans will be having a plaque dedication for Bonnie Korzeniowski, B.S.W., MSc.A, at 11:30 hours on 07 September 2024 at the Portuguese Memorial in Chapel Lawn Cemetery.

Dress of the Day: Summer Dress.



This UN Flag flew over Ismailia, Egypt on 09 August 1974



UNIT 283 ANAVETS FUNDRAISING GROUP



The fundraising group would like to say Thank You to all the volunteers and members for taking part in our Winnipeg 150 Celebration. Many thanks to our City Councilor for all the wonderful donations and for attending that day. We had wonderful attendance and participation for all the draws and the lunch served. We are proud to say the lunch and silent auction netted a profit of just over \$1100.00. We do hope all

will attend again on August 31 to participate in the corn roast and chicken BBQ as well as all the meat draws, 50/50 and cake draws for the unit.

Our Fundraising group couldn't do it without the wonderful attendance of the members and guests. Our money thermometer is now nearly at \$8000.00 dollars. We are planning much more for the fall so please keep an eye on the newsletter and website.

PIPE BAND

Rob Gillespie



The Unit Pipe Band had a quiet summer. We had a performance at Holy Family Home on Tuesday August 27, 2024.

We had a reduced band practice schedule. We will be back to our weekly practices starting September 5, 2024.

The Unit Pipe Band would like to thank the Unit membership for its continuous support of the 50/50 draws on Friday evenings.

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE

Rick (Stewie) Jones

Well welcome back to our members, hope you had a great summer. In regard to House and Building we have done an upgrade to all TV boxes, working on getting our Alarm system upgraded and at the time of this report the deck should be completed. Everything in the club mechanical wise is working good touch wood lol.

Again, if you see any problems in the clubroom that need attention, please call me anytime and they will be addressed immediately, my number is 204-894-2521 or let Terry know and he will call me.

Also, I would like to thank Terry and Matt for repairing the chairs in the Stillwell Hall and clubroom and upgrading our light bulbs when needed. I really appreciate the work you do on my committee.



Weekly Bingo Games

**Monday, Wednesday,
and Friday: 7:00pm**

LGA 784-B1

Thursday: 1:00pm

LGA 2028-BI



Come join the fun!

VEGAS

Friday 1-3pm Lounge Area



BAR MANAGER

Bren Nichols

Hello everyone,

I hope your summer has gone swimmingly.... lol. I did not get a hole in one this year during Golfing with my family, but I did have tons of fun. Sept is here and so are fall/winter hours. Also, I hope everyone enjoyed the summer specials at the bar. We won't stop there! Specials will continue through the week and on weekends ask your server or bartender for more details.

Beginning Oct 2024, the staff will get a min wage increase. Thanks to all my staff for their hard work and dedication this summer. We are looking forward to seeing you all back for our unit sports league specials.

LADIES SNOOKER

Linda O'Brien

Season Winners

Grand Aggregate

Bea Aymont and Dorothy Hollins

A Division

1st Place Linda Greenwood and Gail Karman

2nd Place Bea Aymont and Dorothy Hollins

B Division

1st Place – Bev Cronin and Cheryl Samson-Seimans

2nd Place – Linda O'Brien and Jan Trach

Draw winners

Food Fare Certificates

Linda O'Brien and Diane Lenchuk

Door Prize \$25.00

Jan Trach and Linda Greenwood

Election Results:

2024-2025 Ladies Snooker Committee:

Chair & Past Chair - Barb Sadler

Draw Master Linda Greenwood

Linda Oleschuk - Secretary/Treasurer

Eight teams registered for the 2024-2025 season which includes three returning past members.

Welcome back Adele Betts, Gertie Barron and Barb Wingert!

Unfortunately we have lost three valued members, Diane Lenchuk, Gail Karmen, Jane Langtry. All the best to each of you and hope to see you around the club occasionally.

This will be my last newsletter report as I too am stepping down from Ladies Snooker.

Wishing everyone a fun and productive games season.!!

Upcoming Bands

September	6	Repeat Offenders
September	13	Marvells
September	20	Tanis T & Diamondbacks
September	27	Deputy
October	4	Marvells
October	11	D.M.G
October	18	Hometown
October	25	Destiny

Friday nights from 8pm—12am

Cover charge for non-members is \$7.00

Wizard

Played every Monday

in the Games Room at 1:00pm

Canada Day Celebration



The Canada Day festivities at your Unit 283 included the traditional BBQ, with the grill sizzling hot with burgers, smokies and kielbasa. The Meat Draw and Raffle offered a variety of products to lucky ticket holders. Our long-time member Rick Enns provided fantastic "music for all ages." Our Special Emcee Don Young added a special flare to the role. Well done, Don!

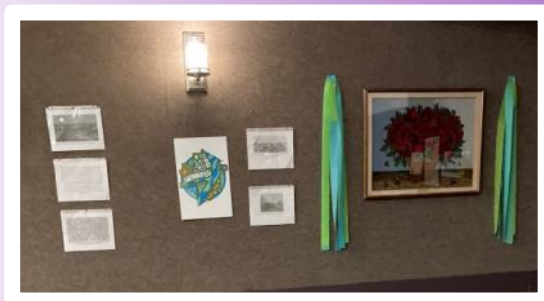
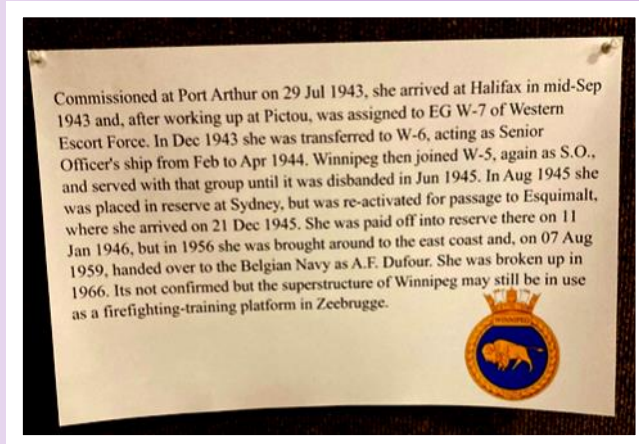
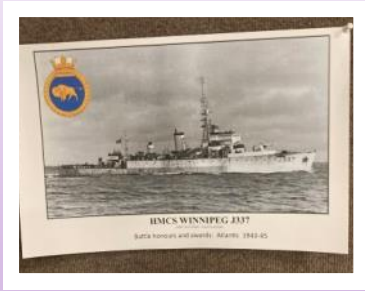
Marty Morantz, MP for Charleswood, St. James, Assiniboia and Headingley, popped by to share in the festivities, and offered souvenirs to mark the occasion.

A big THANK YOU to all the members who volunteered to make the day a fun Canada Day celebration. Special THANKS goes to those who donated to the day's events --

Sandra and Don Seel, Millie Blair, MaryAnne Jones, Len Cook and Trans Canada Brewing Co.



Winnipeg's 150 Celebration



Your Unit 283 celebrated Winnipeg's 150 on August 3. In addition to the usual afternoon Meat Draw, 50/50 and Bake Sale, your Fundraising Group hosted a Silent Auction and a delicious Hot Beef on a Bun with sides. We would like to thank the City of Winnipeg for supporting this event with promotional merchandise seen on the tables and in the Silent Auction. Shawn Dobson, our City Councillor for the St. James Ward, joined us during our Labour Day activities.

SPECIAL THANKS to our Emcee Mike Ottenbreit, Sergeant-at-Arms, as well as the many members who volunteered their time and effort leading up to and at this event and those who generously donated to our fundraiser efforts ... The City of Winnipeg, Wendy Hodgins, Gary Fiddler, Donna and Gord Watt, MaryAnne Jones, Ken Cade, and Debbie Dodd Hemlow.

People in attendance checked out the many photographs on the walls around the lounge and the sports room ... a trip down memory lane. These snapshots of Winnipeg go back to the 1800s. Also, did you know that Winnipeg has a navy vessel named after it? Yes, there was, as displayed in a photo and write-up of the HMCS Winnipeg while in service between 1943 and 1945. Thanks to Wendy Hodgins and Bren Nichols for their research.

SHORT STACK'S GALLEY

Maryanne Jones



Welcome back hope everyone had a had a good summer.



Fall Hours (starting September 4th)

Monday: 9:30am-2:00pm / 5:00pm-8:00pm

Tuesday Closed

Wednesday: 9:30am-2:00pm / 5:00pm-8:00pm

Thursday: 9:30am-2:00pm

Friday: 9:30am-2:00pm / 5:00pm-8:00pm

Saturday: 8:30am-4:00pm

Earlier morning hours are available to bookings of 10 or more.

Catering available every day—luncheons, birthdays, business meetings, celebrations of life, weddings etc. just book with our bar manager then call Maryanne at 204-807-4913. Breakfast available daily till 2pm. The full menu is available for takeout and you may call ahead to order. 204-807-4913.

Friday dinners will begin on September 13th and will be offered every 2 weeks. Serving time will be 5:30 to 6:30. Cost \$15.00.

September 13—Roast beef with gravy —Mashed potato —mixed vegetables —and dessert.

September 27—Perogies — Kubassa or ham— Cabbage roll—dessert.

This year the dinner will be served from the canteen. Place your order-get your buzzer and we will call you. Preordering is still highly recommended. In closing Thank you to all the customers who were here all summer and I'm looking forward to seeing everyone in the fall

 **Weekly Member Draw** 

Join the fun and win some cash with the Weekly Member Draw!

All you need is a loonie and your member number. Write your name in the book and drop your loonie in the wood box. Every Saturday morning, we use a random software to pick a number. If it matches yours, you get the prize! But remember, you have to play to win. If your number comes up and you didn't play, you miss out. Don't forget to check the posting board at the Bar to see who won and how much they got.

FUN SNOOKER

Rick Thain

The Wednesday night Fun Snooker finished on August 7th, and I am pleased to announce that \$455.00 was collected for this 10-week program. All the proceeds were turned over to the bar staff at the end of each evening. A total of 23 individual snooker players took part in the program, however there were a few that only played one or two evenings. Many thanks to Len Cook who arranged for the free use of the tables and lights. All the proceeds collected from this program will all go towards the recovering of the tables later this year.

A variety of skill developing snooker games were played each week and this helped to keep everyone's interest up. Some of the games were: 101, Blue Ball, Six Reds, Reds & Black Ball, Pink/Black Championship, 27 and Reds Only. There was lots of friendly trash talk, loud music, and a round robin format each week. Fun was had by all.

Many thanks go to the bar staff (Taylor & Jason) who served us well each week.

SPORTS

Len Cook

Our Sports sign up evening went very well with most Leagues participating. All winter Leagues will be starting shortly but you might still be able to sign up.

The Corn Hole tournament slated for Aug. 24th had to be cancelled and will be discussed at the next Quarterly Board meeting. The next Command event is the Regular Snooker being played at Unit 283 on Sept. 28th. A sign-up sheet is in the games room. Sign up deadline will be Sept. 14th. All Members are welcome to play. All Members will require a 2024 membership. Please include your membership number on the sign-up sheet.

There will be a Sports Meeting coming up soon so watch for further info.

RED

shirt on
Fridays!



Show your red and win steaks!

Come to our Unit on Fridays wearing a **red shirt** and you could win **five tickets** for the final round of the Meat Draw. Everyone in red will be in a **lucky draw** for this prize. Don't miss this chance to have some fun and enjoy some juicy steaks!

Support our Troops
Wear **RED** on Fridays



**Remember
Everyone
Deployed**



Game Day Buckets



Join us in celebrating the Winnipeg Blue Bombers and Winnipeg Jets at every home and away game with our beer promotion!

Get (4) cans of beer for **\$17.00**. We offer a variety of beers to choose from. Check out our posting board for more information.

Bring your friends and cheer on your favorite teams as they score points and win games!

HOSPITAL AND CARE FACILITIES

Donna Hartie



Simpkin Centre
Gordon Criggar

Golden West
Mary Pryma

Poseidon Place
Brian Smith

Deer Lodge
Barb Gural



Oakview Place
Bill Muir

Riverview Care Home
Jim Thompson

Home



NOTE: If anyone hears of a member who is ill, hospitalized or at home, please let us know.



CHASE THE QUEEN

Tickets go on sale from 7pm to 8pm
Accumulating Jackpot:
Payout is 100% of the Pot plus
50% of Gross Ticket Sale

Tickets are \$1.00 each
Draw at 8 pm
Come on out and try your luck on
TUESDAYS
LGA 784-RF

Planning an event?
Call us at 204-831-8268
or email us at barmgr@anaf283.com for availability & rates.

Support Veterans — Support ANAVETS #283

Visit our Club, bring your friends, and make new friends!

In Remembrance

James Fredrick Lynch

Active

D.O.D.: July 28, 2024

Service September 14 11am-3pm John Thompson Room

Gerry Wharton

Honorary Dominion Command President

D.O.D.: August 12, 2024

Linda Clare

Associate

January 14, 2024

Sandra Wilson

Associate

April 17, 2024

Dorothy Jean Rondeau

Active

July 1, 2024

Curtis Elston

Active

July 15, 2024

Frank McLean

Active

July 14, 2024



They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old, Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn, At the going down of the sun, and in the morning

WE WILL REMEMBER THEM

Silver Heights



FOODFARE

2285 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3J 0L9

Your Supplier of Meat for Unit 283

Friday & Saturday Meat Draws

We would like to serve YOU



Meat Department

(204) 885-2387



Grocery Department

Ph: (204) 885-2381

Fax: (204) 831-9787

— WE DELIVER —

Silver Heights' Foodfare has been part of our team to offer quality meats to our Unit Meat Draw events for many years. We hope you will drop by their store and patronize this community serving store.