

NEWSLETTER

Royal Canadian Legion Selkirk Branch #42

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President's Report

The Dog Days of summer are here, hope everyone is enjoying summer.

The usual activities are going on at the Branch; Chase the Ace is still going strong; half of the Poker Flush was won but it still sits at \$11,000.

The 30th of August was the Homes for Heros Golf Tournament. The Branch set up a booth at hole #3, which was the hole we sponsored. We were set up all day and received many comments about our participation. Also, we were represented by three golf teams. Thanks to Heather, Jan and Chrystal for manning the fort.



September will see the return of the General Meeting, mark the date on your calendar, September 27th. We encourage you to come and be informed of the general business of the Branch.

We are always looking for member input.

Respectfully Submitted

John Austin, President

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Sergeant at Arms & Cadets

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

Respectively Submitted Neil Zebinski, 1st Vice-President

<u>Bingo</u>

Thanks, Neil, for helping with the bingo machine.

Thank you to Bill Marsh for his time as a caller. He is moving to Niverville but will be available in a pinch. We wish him well.

Respectfully Submitted Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President

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

September – Chase the Ace				
	Cashier	Seller		
	Upstairs	Upstairs		
1	Betty Nichol	Ken Nichol		
	Doris Bennett	Kellie Minucci		
8	Noella Belanger	Louise Chuhie		
	Doris Bennett	Kayleen Valley		
15	Marlene Wright	Diane Prychun		
	Sandra Skiba	Alice Thompson		
22	Vivian Whiteway	Betty Nichol		
29	Karen Coumont	Sandra Skiba		

September – Chase the Ace					
	Cashier	Seller			
	Downstairs	Downstairs			
1	Glenn Kozan	Richard Bear			
8	Robert Edie	Shirley Peters			
15	Daniel Minucci	Kellie Minucci			
22	Vivian Whiteway	Andy Anderson			
29	Karen Coumont	Sandy Skiba			

Respectfully Submitted

Ken Nichol

Cribbage

August		Name	Score
7	1	George & Dave	887
	2	Adam & Peter	861
	3	Angie & Ernie	855
14	1	George & Dave	881
	2	Chris & Mark	855
	3	Steve & Aden	853
21	1	Reid & Russel	872
	2	Karen & Burt	864
	3	Aden & Decklin	842
28	1	Adam & Doug	857
	2	Helen & Phyllis	851
	3	Ernie & Angie	845

Respectfully Submitted Adam Hunnie

Ways and Means - Meat Draw

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September- Meat Draw (upstairs)							
	Caller	Seller	Pickup	Cashier			
1	Tim Byers	Neil Zebinski Tracy Cyncora Kathy Bird	Amy Swinton Ken Marynewich Graham Mathers	Michael Tassano			
8	Linda Adams	Tracy Cyncora Tim Byers Vivian Paul	Graham Mathers Mary Zebinski	Eileen Belanger			
15	lan Brooks	Therese Sandwith Terri Foster	Mary Zebinski	Michael Tassano			
22	Wayne Bird	Kathy Bird Heather Austin	Isabel Anderson	Michael Tassano			
29	Tim Byers	Petra Byers	Ken Marnewich Gail Marynewich	Lorrie Robson			
	September - Meat Draw (downstairs)						
	Call back	Seller	Pickup				
1	Faye Drummond	Karen Coumont	Faye Drummond				
8	Wayne Bird	Karen Coumont Kathy Bird	Faye Drummond				
15	TBA	TBA	TBA				
22	TBA	TBA	TBA				
29	TBA	TBA	TBA				

If Chase the Ace does not go on the 8th, then more volunteers will be required.

As Chase the Ace has not been won, we have opened the basement and need more people to help.

The Legion runs on volunteers and you, as patrons, have relied on these volunteers. They are always willing to step up on every occasion. We owe them our thanks and appreciation.

We now need callers, sellers, pick-up and cashiers to help fill the gap. It is a 3-hour commitment.

It is time for others to come forward and volunteer, even if only once a month. The positions are not difficult to do, so come forward and help. Your assistance will be appreciated.

Please contact Mary, at 204-785-1427.

Respectfully Submitted Mary Zebínskí

Upcoming & Special Events

Mark Menei's Unhinged comedy tour came to the Legion on August 9th. The attendance was small. There were some laughs, but I think it was a tough crowd.

Aaron Halliday's, Allan Jackson and Friends, on August 16th was well attended. He put on an impressive performance. He called up local Doug Eames to do a guest performance which



Some dancing was involved but everyone just enjoyed the music. The donation Allan and his wife made to Support the Troops was



From the Steak and Lobster event the 50/50 profits of \$350 have been donated to the Savannah Thompson fund, who is the Special Olympic speed skater that the Branch is sponsoring.

The fish fry has been cancelled. We were not able to get the fish in time to have the event on September 9th. It may be possible to have the fish fry at a later date.

September 24th Fall Supper tickets are available at the bar. There are two seatings, 4:30 and 6:00 with a maximum of 150 per seating.

Respectively Submitted

Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President

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Honours and Awards

Initiation and Awards tentatively scheduled for October 7th.

Respectfully Submitted Wayne Bird

Sick and Visiting

Arthur Shimonek passed away and a Sympathy Card was sent to his family.

A fruit basket and card were given to Eileen Belanger who had knee replacement. She is doing well.

Respectfully Submitted Heather Austin, 2nd Vice-President

Membership

Associate: Douglas Firth - Selkirk

Lynne Firth – Selkirk

Affiliate: Elizabeth Kolody - Selkirk

Respectfully Submitted *Glenn Kozan*

Entertainment

September Bands are:

1st Geoff Erickson and Rockets

8th Laurie Sutherland

15th Ravin 22nd J-Doe Trio

29th Vintage Groove

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)

Respectively Submitted Kayleen Valley, Entertainment

Sports

The J Hardwick Horseshoe Tournament was held on August 20th. The weather was great with 19 teams entering. The timers for the event were John and Heather Austin. Our 50/50/50 draw had 3 winners each taking home \$110.00.

The A side winners were Heather and Ryan Bell taking home \$240.00 and on the B side we had Matt Monkman and Giz Viznaugh with a purse of \$140.00.

A big Thank You to Garth for running the show and to Wendy and Garry Carter for the sand to refurbish the pits. Everyone had a super time and most of all it was nice to have a Hardwick present.

Respectfully Submitted

Barbara Clemons



Heather Bell, Barb Clemons, Ryan Bell, Garth Kurbis



Barb Clemons, Matt Monkman, Garth Kurbis, Giz Viznaugh



Evelyn Sínclaír

and





Barbara Clemons

100 players maximum e-transfer cut off at 3:30pm Current Royal Flush pot +\$11,000

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



September 24th

Fall Supper tickets are available at the bar. There are two seatings, 4:30 pm and 6:00 pm with a maximum of 150 per seating.



Ladies Auxiliary

Welcome back ladies. I hope everyone had a great summer. Personally, I think it went way too fast. We will slowly be getting back into the swing of things.

Sandy is taking bookings for our Annual Craft Sale. It will be on November 5th. Please call or message Sandy Chiborak if anyone would like to rent a table. We will be having tables upstairs and downstairs.

Susan is looking for new or gently used items for grab bags. Please keep her in mind and bring items to our September meeting.

Our September meeting will be on Wednesday the 27th at 6:30 pm. Executives will meet at 6:00 pm.

Hope to see everyone on the 27th.

Respectfully Submitted Debbie Rose, Publicity/First Vice



Royal Canadian Legion Branch 42 Over 60 Club

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Over 60 Club

August was our Fun and Games month and it appeared everyone enjoyed themselves. Some played bean bag toss, some played cribbage, bowling or ball bounce while others just had a good visit with friends.

A good day was had by all who attended.

September is the month for nominations for Executive. Please think about who you would like to see as your Executive or perhaps you would like to hold a position yourself.

A full Executive is needed to keep our Club going. We all enjoy our one Thursday a month, so let's fill the chairs.

Until September 21st, stay safe and Healthy.

Respectively Submitted Faye Drummond, President

Over 60 Volunteer Report

Thank you to the volunteers for July who helped with the luncheon: calling numbers Bobbi Georget; clean-up Kim Hutton-Smith and Glenna Wentworth. 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

At our August 17th Meeting and Luncheon there were 70 members and 2 guests in attendance. The guests were Gary Ericson and Elizabeth Kolody.

Thank you to the gals at the registration table; Billie Ratkowski, Fern Kirton and Bev Bruce. Helen Starodub volunteered at the registration table for many years and has now "retired". Thanks to the gals who call our members every month; Sheila Snider, Pauline Okun, Doris Bennett, Liz Storoschuk, Janette Thompson and Mary Zebinski.

Mary and Neil recognized the 10 members who had birthdays in August.

Hope to see everyone at our September 21st meeting. September 17th to 23rd is Legion Week and there will be different activities going on all week!!

Respectfully Submitted Ruth Stewart, Membership

Sick and Visiting

During the month of August. Dorothy Pruden passed away and a donation was made to the Poppy Fund in her honor. Art Shimonek also passed away and a donation was made to the Poppy Fund in his honor. A sympathy card was sent to Sue Brunelle for her loss. Marlene Sahulka is dealing with a serious illness and a card as well as flowers were sent to Marlene. I have been speaking with Marlene, she is in good spirits and has her family surrounding her.

Respectfully Submitted Kim Hutton-Smith

September						
Upcoming 50/50 Draw						
	Seller					
Sat 2	Kim Hutton-Smith					
Mon 4	Neil Zebinski					
Sat 9	Melvina Grant					
Mon 11	Lorraine & Eugene Leniuk					
Sat 16	Karen Coumont					
Mon 18	Karen Coumont					
Sat 23	Linda Paluck & Wendy Busiak					
Mon 25	Neil Zebinski					
Sat 30	Melvina Grant					
Friday	Upcoming Bottle Draw					
1	Bonnie Cuthbert					
8	Evelyn Milner					
15	Ruth Stewart					
22	Mae Fidler-Fast					
29	Linda Paluck & Wendy Busiak					

August 50/50 Draw Winners					
	Seller	Winner			
5	Wendy Busiak Louise Goodbrandson	Brenda Gray			
7	Karen Coumont	Diana Ruthwell			
12	Wendy Busiak Linda Paluck	Heather Longbottom			
14	No Seller				
19	Karen Coumont	April Sanderson			
21	Lorraine & Eugene Leniuk	Daniel Minucci			
26	Neil Zebinski	M. Onsowich			
28	Evelyn Milner	Margaret Pelteir			
	Bottle Draw Wi	nners			
4	Mae Fidler-fast	Dennis Stewart			
4	Mae Fidler-fast	Lisa Herron			
11	Evelyn Milner	John Mason			
18	Jackie & Ron Brooks	Richard Bear			
18	Jackie & Ron Brooks	Kathy Krut			
25	Linda Paluck & Fern Kirton	Joyce Plamondon			
25	Linda Paluck & Fern Kirton	Dan Benson			

Respectfully Submitted Dennís Stewart

Over 60 Entertainment

It was Games Day for our August General Meeting. After a bit of chaos and confusion, we finally got the games underway. We had five teams playing assorted games. Those who did not play games chose to play cribbage. The winners received a drink ticket as a prize. Congratulations to all the winners.

August winners were:

Meat Draw: Karen Coumont

Jeanne Harvey Judy Hoydalo Sharon Obirek

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Bottle Draw Bobbi Georget

Claire Christianson

Door Prize Faye Drummond

Thank You to the ticket sellers, Helen Heidman and Liz Upton for selling meat tickets and Linda Paluck and Wendy Busiak for the bottle draw. Thanks to Randy Adair and Eugene Leniuk for the table set-up. As always, our volunteers are greatly appreciated.

September 17th thru 23rd is Legion Week. We will be having a Potluck on Tuesday, September 19th starting at 1:00 pm. Everyone brings a little something for lunch. So come out and enjoy an afternoon of visiting and friendship.

Also, in September, we welcome Mark Bowman and the Top-Secret Band for our General Meeting as we say Goodbye to Summer and Hello Fall.

Hope to see you all there.

Respectfully Submitted

Karen Coumont/Sandy Skiba

September

Check out our Daily Member Specials!!

2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Geoff Erickson &	2 Bingo 1:00 pm
3 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm	4 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	5	6 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	7 7:00 pm Poker	the Rockets 8 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band Laurie Sutherland	9 Bingo 1:00 pm
10 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm	11 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	12	13 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	14 O/60 Club Executive Meeting 1:00 pm 7:00 pm Poker	15 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band Ravin	16 Bingo 1:00 pm Volunteer Party 6:00 pm
17 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm Veteran/Spouse Dinner 4 pm	18 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	19 Executive Meeting 2:00 pm Over 60 Potluck	20 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm	21 O/60 Club General Meeting 7:00 pm Poker	22 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: J-Doe Trio	23 Bingo 1:00 pm
24 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm Fall Supper	25 Cribbage 1:30 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	26	27 Mah-jongg 1:00 pm General Meeting Summer is over	28 7:00 pm Poker	29 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Vintage Groove	30 Bingo 1:00 pm

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 Initiation & Awards
8 Open 11:00 am – 6:00 pm	9 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 7:00 pm Poker	13 Chase the Ace Meat Draw: 4:30 pm Band: Ramblin Fever	14 Bingo 1:00 pm
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