

CHESTERMERE WHITECAPPERS NEWSLETTER March 2021



MEMBERSHIPS 2021-2022

Memberships have expired April 30, 2020 and must now be renewed for the 2021-2022 year.

New membership forms must be filled out and submitted to Pat Shaw. Copy of the form has been sent out.

Payment can be made by Email form to patshaw242@gmail.com and she will then accept an Interac e-transfer

- **or** deliver form and payment to Pat
- · or mail form and payment to Pat
- or call and we will arrange pickup for form and payment

Membership form will also be available on the Whitecappers website <u>Chestermere Whitecappers Association</u> - <u>Home</u> and <u>chestermere whitecappers Facebook page</u>.

#NOTE: Membership dues for the 2021/2022 year (effective May 1, 2020) **have been raised to \$35** as discussed at the last AGM in September 2019.

ACTIVITIES PRESENTLY AVAILABLE AT WHITECAPPERS

COFFEE ZOOM MEETINGS

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY MORNINGS 10:00 am

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84055946796?pwd=Z01hNGZpK1loYVBTaFlpOUlyanNZQT09
If necessary here is the Meeting ID: 840 5594 6796 and Passcode: 642225

EXERCISE CLASS WITH JULIE

FRIDAY MORNING 11:00 am

Join Exercise Class https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87096881347?pwd=MElMaHpvUUh5RGIzcmhab05namttdz09 If necessary here is the Meeting ID: 870 9688 1347 and Passcode: 994383.

RE-OPENING DATE: While we do not have a date to re-open yet, rest assured your Board is working toward a smooth re-opening as soon as we have the go ahead. To start, activities will run as they were before the last lock-down with new activities being added as regulations allow.



Birthday Wishes:

Birthday wishes to go out to: Ron Deibert, Anne Bender, Mila Brezina, Elaine Cassidy, Caroline Chaudhuri, Don Clarke, Ann-Marie Greik, Dawn Gresl, Deanne Hadlington, Pat Harper, Joyce Hayes, Stephan Hayes, Lynne Jarvis, Jim Jerome, John Kerr, Bob Kliner, Roland Lussier, Dianne Lussier, Jamie Marriott, Vivian McKenzie, Irene Meier, Mary Miller, Ajmal Mirza, Ron Moulin, Joyce Ott, Josie Peterson, Richard

Plummer, Darlene Rosin, Ron Rosine, Narinder Sahota, Carter Schacher, Dawn Sequin, Karen Weyman. Get Well Wishes: Wishing Carollyne Collier and Susie Pelletier a speedy recovery after their surgeries. (If you know of Whitecappers who have been ill, in hospital or lost a loved one please email our office.)

Condolences: the Whitecappers send out their sincere condolences to the Hegi Family. https://calgaryherald.remembering.ca/obituary/jane-hegi-1081371306

We would love to hear from you. Please let us know of anything you would like put in the newsletter.

Column Writers Needed for SENIORS CONNECT!

Writing for a newspaper may have always been a dream for you! Whitecappers can now contribute to a weekly column in the Chestermere Anchor. You can write on any topic that connects to seniors. Your imagination is the limit-growing up, great memories, life stories, hobbies, etc. Length is a minimum of 400 words and can include photos. Email your column content or if you have questions, email Don at cassidyd@telus.net. He will send you column specifications and answer your questions.

Your On-Line Media Sources

If you may not already know, the Whitecappers have a website at **whitecappers.ca** and a Facebook page. If you have content or ideas that you feel can be shared with members and the public, mail Don at cassidyd@telus.net.

One night, Mrs McMillen answers the door to see her husband's best friend, Paddy, standing on the doorstep.

"Hello Paddy, where is my husband? He went with you to the beer factory."

Paddy shakes his head. "Ah, Mrs McMillen, there was a terrible accident at the beer factory, your husband fell into a vat of Guinness and drowned."

Mrs McMillen starts crying. "Oh don't tell me that, did he at least go quickly?"

Paddy shakes his head. "Not really – he got out three times to pee!"



Two elderly friends, Colleen and Maureen, hadn't seen each other in a while, but met while shopping. Colleen inquired, "And how is your husband?"

"Oh! Paddy died last week."

He went out to the garden to dig up a cabbage for dinner, had a heart attack and dropped down dead, right there in the middle of the vegetable patch!"

Colleen was shocked by the news and said, "Oh dear! I am so very sorry. What did you do?"

Maureen replied, "I opened a can of peas instead."

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