

NEWSLETTER

Royal Canadian Legion Selkirk Branch #42

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President's Report

Comrades! Hope everyone is well.

Some of the Executive attended Harlan's food and equipment display. We are thinking of revamping our cooking equipment. We have General Membership approval to acquire a great new fryer which will help us to keep up with demand on Fridays, Saturdays and Mondays.

We have three quotes on stump removal so we will accept one and get the prep done in our plan for a new front fence.

The application for the Provincial Government grant has just opened, so hope we get help with the sound system and the fencing.

Respectively submitted, *John Austin*, President

Honours and Awards

The Initiation Ceremony and Awards are being held May 11th. Looking forward to seeing all the new members and old members receiving their various pins.

Respectfully Submitted John Austin, Past 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 Heather Austin, 1st Vice-President

Entertainment

Mark your calendars! Cinco De Mayo is Sunday May 5th! There will be burritos, corn salad, a variety of Mexican beer margaritas and music!

May Bands are:

3rd ----- J Doe Trio

10th ---- Vintage Groove

17th ---- MUSIC BINGO

24th ---- Bowman Bros

31st ---- Night Train Band

June Bands are:

7th ----- Ravin

14th ---- The All Around Band

21st ---- Had It Coming

28th ---- Vintage Groove

Respectively Submitted

**Kayleen Valley, 2nd Vice President*

Sergeant at Arms

I will be leaving for my Ceremonial Guard posting May 1 and will return in August, hope everyone has a great summer!

Respectively Submitted Josh Boulton, Sqt-At-Arms



Membership

Associate: Rosita Clarke- Selkirk Joseph Sokolosky- Selkirk

Affiliate Voting: Lisa Heron- Selkirk

Louis & Terrie Tavares- Selkirk

Transfer in: Betty Albertson- Branch 81

Always a warm welcome to our Branch and look forward to seeing more of everyone!

Respectfully Submitted

Amanda Hendershot

Cadet Liaison

I attended the meeting on April 2nd. Both the Navy League and Sea Cadets are training for the Battle Atlantic to be held May 5. Discussion was held about fundraiser online 50/50 draw to be held on June 12 at the Branch.

There was a discussion about the Cadets coming to help with our Color Party and finalization of that is in play. The Cadets will be able to help with no full uniform, they will be joining for the next two meetings then they are relieved for the summer and will return in the fall.

Respectfully Submitted *Glenn Kozan*

Sick and Visiting

Eileen Jones was sent a get-well card following her knee surgery. Jeff Johnson received a card. Edna Czorny was visited in hospital and taken a Legion blanket and a card. A sympathy card was sent to the family of Christina Bowman on her passing, included was a thank you card for the donation of a wheelchair and a walker.

Respectfully Submitted

Heather Austin, 1st Vice President

Kayleen Valley, 2nd Vice President

Ways and Means - Chase the Ace

We have had another successful month. Thanks to all my volunteers, you are doing an excellent job. I cannot do this without your help.

April – Chase the Ace						
May Cashier Seller						
3	Vivian Paul	Kathy Bird				
10	Noella Belanger	Louise Chuhie				
17	Vivian Whiteway	Wilma Ratkowski				
24	Terri Chevrefils	Ryan Chevrefils				
31	Vivian Whiteway	Glen Kozan				

Respectfully Submitted Vivian Whiteway

Ways and Means - Meat Draw

	March 2024						
	Caller	Seller	Pickup	Cashier			
3	Doug Braman	Faye Drummond Bonnie Cutbert Cheryl Carum	Bob Leah	Paulina Fatla			
10	Wayne Bird	Kathy Bird Heather Austin	Isabel Anderson	Doug Braman			
17	Linda Adams	Tracey Cyncora Shirley Peters Amanda Hendershot	Graham Mathers Rob Edie	Michael Tassano			
24	lan Brooks	Therese Sandwith Terry Foster	Andy Anderson	Lynn Kowal			
31	Kayleen Valley	Tim Byers Petra Byers	Ken & Gail Marynewich	Michael Tassano			

Respectfully Submitted
Heather Austin & Vivian Whiteway

Bingo

Reviewing the new program and prizes. Need to send to MB Lotteries to be approved, announcements coming soon.

Respectfully Submitted
Ryan Chevrefils

Cribbage

April		Name	Score
1st	1 st	Angie & Erinie	868
	2 nd	Dave & George	862
	3rd	Ann & Henry	859
8 th	1 st	Eve & Dee Dee	881
	2 nd	Russel & Reid	870
	3rd	Adam & Gary	863
15 th	1 st	Sharon & Brad	880
	2 nd	Angie & Ernie	872
	3rd	Janile & Terry	857
22 nd	1 st	lan & Wanda	866
	2 nd	Gord & Ron	832
	3rd	Faye & Rob	831
	3 rd	Burt & Scott	831
29 th	1 st	Chris & Mark	873
	2 nd	Doug & Scott	868
	3 rd	Faye & Bob	867

Respectfully Submitted

Adam Hunníe

Sports

Tuesday Night Dart League has come to an end with the wind-up in May, we look forward to seeing the players return in September for another fun season.

Poker is going well with an average of 60 players coming out and the Royal Flush pot is accumulating nicely.

Support the Troops Golf Tournament is June 15. Posters will be up shortly.

We still need volunteers for weekly Poker Nights – cashiers and callers (no poker knowledge needed)

Respectfully Submitted, Doug Braman, Sports

Ladies Auxilary

A huge thank you to everyone who made our Spring Tea such a huge success! We were also celebrating our 90th year as an Auxiliary! Thank you to our ladies who worked tirelessly setting up, cleaning up, and serving our guests. Thank you to everyone who donated baking. Everything was delicious as usual.

Congratulations to Elsie Magnusson who was honoured with her 35-year membership pin.
Our next meeting will be May 26 at 1:00pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Debbie Rose, 1st Vice/Publicity



BASKET BOUQUET BUMBLEBEE BUTTERFLIES CATERPILLAR FLOWERS FROGS GARDENING LADYBUG MAY DAY MOTHERS DAY PLANTS SPRINGTIME SOIL UMBRELLA WORMS



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Royal Canadian Legion Branch 42 Over 60 Club

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Over 60 Club President

No Report
Alice Thompson, President

Sick and Visiting

A get-well card was sent to Edna Czorny who is in the hospital. A Legion blanket was also given to her by Branch 42. A condolence card has been sent to the family of Christina Bowman on her passing.

The Executive has met with Heather and Kayleen from the Branch's Sick and Visiting committee to discuss our roles to insure we are best meeting the needs of our Members. We also discussed ways to improve our communication between the Over 60's Sick and Visiting committees and the Branch's. Our biggest challenge is being notified by family or friends when a member needs our services. So please, let the Legion know through Jan in the office at 204-482-4319 or contact me directly if you know of anyone that needs to be contacted.

Respectfully Submitted Kim Hutton-Smith

<u>Membership</u>

Even though it wasn't the nicest of days, we had a really good turn out with 79 members and 6 guests in attendance. The guests were Pam Pruden, Mary Boyd, Valerie Foarre, Pat Shewchuk, Eva Neal and Megan Mandryk from Pembrook, Ontario

I'm sure everyone enjoyed the parade of Easter bonnets.

In May we'll be having a Hawaiian Day! Aloha!

Respectfully Submitted Ruth Stewart

Over 60 Entertainment

Since Easter came early this year, we had our Easter Bonnet parade a bit late. We had quite a few beautifully decorated hats with Sue Brunelle winning the prize for best decorated hat -congratulations Sue!

Lunch was served after our General Meeting and we danced to the music of Wayne Wazny.

April winners were:

<u>Meat draw</u>- Liz Kolody, Margaret Mutcher, Don Zalusky and Marlene Karol.

<u>Bottle Draw</u>- Myles Brandson and Billie Ratkowski.

Door prize- Dexter Harvey

Thank you tickets sellers Les and Gloria Linklater for selling the meat draw and Jackie Brooks and Margaret Davidson for selling the bottle draw! Also thank you Carl Chanas and Liz Kolody for setting up the tables. Ticket sellers for next month will be Wendy Bisiak and Linda Paluck for bottle draw and Sharon Obirek and Susan Hyslop for the meat draw.

May is our Hawaiian theme so get your grass skirts, leis, flowered shirts, etc ready. We will dance to the music of Gilbert and Friends. It will sure to be a fun afternoon, so hope to see you all on May 16!

Respectfully Submitted
Mae Fidler-Fast/Sandy Skiba



Ways and Means

Spring Draw raffle tickets are still available. If you do not have yours, please see or contact Neil. If you have sold your tickets, please take them to the Legion. There is a mailbox for the Over 60, just ask the Bartenders, they will get them to the appropriate location. More tickets are available, again, just contact Neil.

ALL TICKETS, SOLD OR NOT, ARE DUE BACK BY MAY 16

Volunteers are always needed to sell 50/50 on Saturday and Monday well as the Bottle Draw on Fridays. If you can spare an hour and a half on either of these days, please call **Neil (204-785-1427)**. If you commit to one of these tasks and find yourself unable to complete this commitment, call me ASAP so a replacement can be found.

Respectfully Submitted Neil Zebinski

April 50/50 Draw Winners						
	Seller	Winner				
1	Lorraine&Eugene Leniuk	Burn Clark				
6	Melvina Grant	Judy Moyer				
8	Linda Paluck & Wendy Bisiak	Vivian Paul				
13	Linda Paluck & Gloria Linklater	Shirley Lakatos				
15	Sandy Skiba	Nadine Bell				
20	Bill Hlady	Vivian Paul				
22	Lorraine & Eugene Leniuk	Lorraine McDonald				
27	Glenna Wentworth & Kim Hutton-Smith	Sue Boulton				
29	Sandy Skiba	Wade Monkman				
	Bottle Draw W	'inners				
5	Mae Fidler-Fast	Linda Adams				
12	Bonnie Cuthbert	Leah Sigurdur				
19	Ron & Jackie Brooks	Petra Byers				
26	Ron & Jackie Brooks	Warren Thorvaldson				
		Bryon Taylor				

May							
May Upcomíng 50/50 Draw							
	Seller						
4	Melvina Grant						
6	Margaret Davidson						
11	TBA						
13	Mae Fidler-Fast						
18	Billie & Mike Ratkowski						
20	TBA						
25	TBA						
27	Melvina Grant						
Friday	Upcoming Bottle Draw						
3	Bobbi Georget						
10	Ron & Jackie Brooks						
17	Mae Fidler-Fast						
24	Bobbi Georget						
31	Ron &Jackie Brooks						

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May 2024

Check Out Our Daily Specials!!!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Mah-jongg 1pm	Poker 7:00pm	Chase the Ace & Meat Draw 4:30 pm	Bingo 1:00 pm
					Band: J Doe Trio	
5 Open 11am-6pm CINCO DE MAYO 1-5PM	6 Cribbage 1pm Bingo 7pm	7 Member's Day	8 Mah-jongg 1pm	9 Poker 7:00pm Over 60 Club Executive 1pm	Chase the Ace & Meat Draw 4:30 pm Band: Vintage Groove	Bingo 1:00 pm Awards & Initiations 7pm
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26 Open 11am-6pm	27 Cribbage 1pm Bingo 7pm	28 Member's Day	Mah-jongg 1pm General Meeting 7:30pm	30 Poker 7:00pm	Chase the Ace & Meat Draw 4:30 pm Band: Night Train	

June 2024

Check Out Our Daily Specials!!!

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						Bingo 1:00 pm
Open 11am-6pm	3 Cribbage 1pm Bingo 7pm	4 Member's Day	5 Mah-jongg 1pm	6 Poker 7:00pm	7 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw 4:30 pm Band: Ravin	8 Bingo 1:00 pm
9 Open 11am-6pm Veteran's Dinner	10 Cribbage 1pm Bingo 7pm	11 Member's Day	12 Mah-jongg 1pm	Poker 7:00pm Over 60 Club Executive 1pm	Chase the Ace & Meat Draw 4:30 pm Band: All Around Band	Bingo 1:00 pm Support the Troops Golf Tournament
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