

NEWSLETTER

Royal Canadian Legion Selkirk Branch #42

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President's Report

Comrades

Only one more month of this weather to get through, so hang in there,

February was a great month for the Branch, Our Chase the Ace made it all the way up to \$42687. Our congratulation to Marlene Cook who drew the Ace of Spades on February 22nd.

The Branch has been putting out incentives for our membership as a little thank you for retaining their dues.

Our Snowball draw is going over well. The trip to Regent Casino for a concert and a night stay was won by our own house chair, Harold Anderson. Congrats Andy, hope you and Izzy enjoy.

The Ladies Auxiliary are hosting the District Meeting on Saturday, March 9th, so there will be no Bingo downstairs.

I'll close by saying I can't remember so many people affected with colds and flus as there has been the case this Winter. I hope everyone is feeling better.

Respectfully submitted John Austin President

Members Note:

Join us at our next General Meeting March 27, 2019

Share your ideas Voice your Concerns!!



Service Officer

Any member that needs to borrow, or wants to return equipment, may do so by calling the office

Monday – Friday 11am – 5pm.

The office will set up an appointment with you.

Neil Zebinski has volunteered to fill the position of Service Officer for Branch 42.

Respectfully submitted Neil Zebinski

Bingo Report

Nothing to report at this time.

Respectively submitted Heather Austin

Sergeant at Arms

At the last General Meeting, January 30th, the Colour Party was short two members. Carl Chanas and Alice Thompson were unable to participate. At this meeting, Neil Zebinski and Dexter Harvey carried the Colours. Maureen Johnson played the Last Post.

Since the sudden passing of Ken Lowther, who was an experienced team member, we are at least one member short. We could use another member to complement our team.

Respectfully Submitted Len Johnson

Cadets

On Tuesday February 5, 2019, I attended the AGM and Elections for the Board of the Selkirk Navy League.

The newly elected President Is Tyler Matthies. Bill Oliver is the past President, having served 6 years in the position. A full Executive Board was elected at this time.

Acting C/O of NCLL #96 Lord Selkirk Cadets, Kendra Martin, reported they have 12 cadets – 6 males, 6 females and 3 more cadets pending. They have 3 officers, 2 males, 1 female and 1 male civilian instructor.

77 RCSCC Daerwood C/O Matthew Blanchcar reported they have 29 Cadets – 15 males, 14 females in their corp. There are 4 Officers, 3 males and 1 female; 1 female civilian instructor and 3 volunteers.

Both Cadet Corps are very active with many events on their agenda.

Respectfully Submitted Lew Johnson Cadet Liaison

Membership

The following application for membership has been received by the Branch. This request was brought to the last General Meeting on February 27th.

Affiliate Voting: Randy Komarnicki, Selkirk

Mary Zebínskí Membership

Poppy Officer Report

No report at this time.

Respectfully Submitted Wayne Bird

Entertainment

March Bands are:

- 1 Trial By Fire
- 8 4 on the Floor
- 15 Proven Guilty
- 22 Bowman Bros.
- 29 Black Water Band

April Bands are:

- 5 Erickson & the Rockets
- 12 Buster Keys
- 19 Ravin
- 26 Rock the House

Kayleen Valley Entertainment

Sick Visiting - Legion/Over 60 Club

I am submitting a report for both January and February as there was no report in January.

In January, I visited with Helen Welham and it will be awhile before she leaves the hospital. No matter what, Helen is always smiling.

I visited with Margaret Mutcher. She is in good spirits and she told me that her Doctor is paneling her for a Nursing Home.

Denise Cannon and I visited with Gil Perease who is in Selkirk Hospital right now for some tests.

I was phoned by one of our Legion members and told that Glenna Wentworth's sister has passed away. I sent Glenna a Sympathy card.

I sent a Sympathy card to Lynne Kowal on the loss of her Mother-in-Law.

In February, Ruth Whall, Dorothy Davy and Jean Kologinski, who were all members of the Legion and the Over 60 Club, have passed away.

Our condolences go out to the families of Ruth Fincaryk who passed away. I sent a Sympathy Card to them.

Noreen McAuley's (Cookie) son-in-law Peter Enns has passed away. Our condolences to her family.

Roberta Chic, one of our newest members, fell and broke her hip. She was or still is in Health Sciences Centre.

Kayleen Valley has had back surgery. She really did suffer with a bad back. She is recovering slowly. Mary and Neil Zebinski visited her and gave her a card and a Legion blanket. Kay has been transferred from Health Sciences to Selkirk Hospital where she is doing great with her Physio.

Gil Perease was transferred to Health Sciences Hospital and has had surgery.

Leslie Adams is back in Pine Falls Hospital. Helen Welham is home now and has Home Care coming in to assist her. She is happy to be home.

Robert Bruce passed away. Condolences go out to his family.

Margaret Mutcher is now in Red River Nursing home.

Rick Smith had an accident at work. We wish him well and a speedy recovery.

Pauline Todd (204)482-6527 Legion and Over 60 Sick & Visiting

Ways and Means

Chase the Ace was won by Marlene Cook on February 22nd, 2019.

Now that everything has gone back to normal, we have started a new Chase the Ace starting at \$5000.00 on March 1^{st.}

The scheduling will return to the original way. Anyone interested in volunteering, please contact me in person or by phone.

Your help makes our Club successful.

	March Meat Draw					
	Caller	Seller	Pick-up	Cashier		
1	Linda Adams	Terry Foster Mae Gulewich	Jerry Oliver	Margo Oliver		
8	Tim Byers	Petra Byers	Ken Marynewich Gail Marynewich	Bernice & Michael Tassano		
15		Mae Gulewich Heather Austin	Isabel Anderson	TBA		
22	Brian Wilson	Cheryl Newman Terry Foster	TBA	Lynn Kowal		
29		Fay Drummond Alice Thompson	Mary Zebinski	Eileen Belanger		

Chase the Ace

	Cashier	Seller
1	Ron Snider	TBA
8	Ron Snider	TBA
15	TBA	TBA
22	Neil Zebinski	TBA
29	Noella Belanger	TBA

Cribbage report

February			Score
4	1st	Closed due to weather	
	2 nd		
	3 rd		
11	1st	Verna & Maralyn	886
	2 nd	Milie & Mary	872
	3 rd	Fred & Dane	869
18	1 st	Willi & Peewee	867
	2 nd	Eve & Edie	864
	3 rd	Chris & Tom	854
25	1 st	Dian & John	872
	2 nd	Allan & Earl	859
	3 rd	Tom & Chris	840

Ladies Auxiliary

We will be hosting Spring Rally on March 9. We will be meeting at 10:00 am on March 8 to make Chili and set the tables. We are asking for donations of baking for coffee breaks at the Rally. Muffins, loaves or cookies would be greatly appreciated.

Congratulations to the recipients of our Mature Women's Bursary. Vanessa Van Caeseele is working toward her vocational teaching degree and Kylie Setter is taking nursing. We wish these ladies well in the endeavours.

The Auxiliary ladies are beginning to prepare for our annual Spring Tea. This year our tea will be held on April 7. We are once again hoping to make and sell grab bags. We are desperately looking for items to put in these bags. Please keep us in mind when everyone is spring cleaning.

Respectfully submitted Debbie Rose First Vice/Publicity

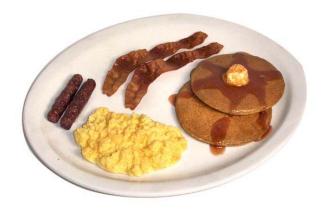
Special Events

Daily Bread Soup Kitchen Report

The Branch hosted a Sunday breakfast on February 10th. We served 67 plates. Thank you to Netley Colony who again donated a crate of eggs. Thank you to Lynn for the granola donation. Thank you to the crew of volunteers who did a great job with setup, prep, serving and clean up.

We are going to do this again Sunday, March 24th. Please let me know if you would like to volunteer.

Respectively submitted Heather Austin



Annual Snow Golf Tournament

On February 24th the Snow Golf Tournament was held. It was a cold day, -19 temp with a wind chill to -39.

First of all, thank you to all our wonderful volunteers, Ladies Auxillary for making Chili, Garth and Barb who organized the event, Tex and Jerry who built the course, Margaret for selling 50-50 tickets. Olive Inman for the bannock, Randy for the smoked meats, Jan Chanas for the score cards, Terry and Janie for the desserts. Janie baked the traditional lemon cake in honour of Myrtle Helgason.

A car with Minnesota plates stopped and took pictures of our die-hard golfers.

Only in Canada you say?!!

Sno-golf winners - score 161



Terry, Cathy, Marilyn, Tex

Sno-golf runners up - score 170



Richard, Nancy Gil, Glen

Most Honest Golfers - score 224



Alanna, Liz Karen, Candy

50-50 was won by Nancy Wasylnuk and Richard Bear See you next year

Respectfully submitted Barbara Clemons

Chase the Ace Winner - Marlene Cook



Neil Zebinski presents cheque to Marlene Cook

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Heather Austin

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 42 Over 60 Club

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Over 60 Club

The results of the Over 60 Club audit were presented at our February general meeting. The audit was conducted by Fern Kirton and her report was very positive. Thank you, Fern, for your excellent report.

The Over 60 Club launched its semi-annual (spring) raffle draw at the general meeting. This draw is a key source of revenue that is used to support our donations. Members, please make every effort to sell your two books of tickets. Thank you to Neil and Mary Zebinski for your work and leadership in this raffle.

Respectfully submitted

Dexter Harvey

President Over 60 Club

Over 60's Volunteer Report

Thanks to the volunteers for the month of February who helped with the lunch; Reverend Stephen Sharman, Janette Thompson, Mae Harcus, Joyce Plamondon and Jeanne Harvey.

Respectfully submitted

Lowise Goodbrandson

2nd Vice President Over 60 Club

Over 60's Membership

No Report at this time.

Respectfully submitted Ruth Stewart

Over 60's Entertainment

Pride and Joy Band was outstanding as always. Lucy served a delicious lunch of scalloped potatoes and meat balls, which all lead to a great afternoon.

February was red for St Valentines' day. So, March 21st will be green for St Patricks' Day. I'm sure **Stark and Company** will keep everyone's toes tapping

Thank you to Ken and Betty Nickel and Evelyn Milner for selling tickets. Thanks to Liz Flett for selling squares for the Easter Wreath. For those who missed their chance to win the wreath, we will continue the draw at March Dinner

Door prize – Cookie McAuley
Bottle draw - Pauline Todd
Judy Brooks
Meat draw – Ron Inman
Amy Swinton

Janette Thompson Fern Kirton

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See you in **GREEN** March 21st

Respectfully submitted Faye Drummond

HAPPY ST PATRICK'S DAY!



Friday Bottle Draw February 2019

50/50 Draw						
FEB	Seller	Winner				
2	Dexter & Jeanne Harvey	Valarie Hiebert				
4	Neil Zebinski	Kim Owen				
9	Louise Goodbrandson	Helen Hiebert				
11	Fern Kirton	Barb Clemons				
16	Dexter & Jeanne Harvey	Janette Thompson				
18	Andy Anderson	Morgan Bear				
23	Ruth Stewart	Pat Lynch				
26	Fern Kirton	Lorraine McDonald				
	Bottle Draw					
1	Jerry Oliver	Roy Val Leven				
1	Mae Fidler-Fast	Lorne Monkman				
1	May Fidler-Fast	Jerry Whiteway				
8	Cookie McAuley	Lisa Johnson				
8	Jack Kelly	Shauna Austin				
15	Jack Kelly	Jerry Standryk				
15	Jerry Oliver	Nola Fiddler				
22	Cookie McAuley	Colleen Rychz				
22	Cookie McAuley	Cindy Smith				
22	Liz Flett	Shelly Weidmier				
22	Liz Flett	Dan Benson				

Respectfully submitted Dennis Stewart

50/50 Bingo Over 60's Ways and Means

Tickets for the Spring Raffle will be available at the March General Meeting. I will bring them, please do not forget to pick up yours.

Let's have a good turnout so we do not have any "leftover's" (tickets that is).

Respectfully submitted Neil Zebinski



MARCH

CHECK OUR DAILY MEMBER SPECIALS!!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30	2 Bingo 1:00 pm
3	4	5	6	7	Band - Trial By Fire	9
Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm	Cribbage 1:30	Tuesday Night Darts League 7:30	0		Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30	Bingo 1:00 pm
·	Bingo 7:00 pm			Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm	Band – 4 on the Floor	NO BINGO DOWNSTAIRS
10 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm	11 Cribbage 1:30	12 Tuesday Night Darts League 7:30	13	0/60 Club Exec Meeting: 1:00 pm	15 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30	16 Bingo 1:00 pm
	Bingo 7:00 pm	250905 1.00		Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm	Band – Proven Guilty	
17 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm	18 Cribbage 1:30	19 Executive Meeting 2:00pm	20	O/60 Club Gen meeting 12:00	22 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30	23 Bingo 1:00 pm
	Bingo 7:00 pm	Tuesday Night Darts League 7:30		Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm	Band – Bowman Bros	
24 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm Soup Kitchen	25 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	26 Tuesday Night Darts League 7:30	General Meeting 7:30 pm	28 Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00pm	29 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30 Band - Blackwater	30 Bingo 1:00 pm
Breakfast						
Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm						

APRIL

CHECK OUR DAILY MEMBER SPECIALS!!

2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	2	3	4 Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm	5 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30 Band – Erickson & The Rockets	6 Bingo 1:00 pm
7 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm LA Spring Tea	8 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	9	10	11 O/60 Club Exec Meeting: 1:00 pm Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm	12 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30 Band – Buster Keys	13 Bingo 1:00 pm
14 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm	15 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	16 Executive Meeting 2:00pm	17	O/60 Club Gen meeting 12:00 -Chase the Ace -Meat Draw sales start 4:30 -Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm -Band – Ravin	CLOSED Good Friday	20 Bingo 1:00 pm
21 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm	22 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	23	General Meeting 7:30 pm	25 Texas Hold'em Poker 7:00 pm	26 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw sales start 4:30 Band – Rock the House	27 Bingo 1:00 pm
28 Open 12:00 - 7:00 pm	29 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	30				