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Official Newsletter of Cobourg Legion Br#133

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Presidents Report

Hello Comrades, we're getting busier every day with new events and hall booking continuing to go very well.

Hopefully the parking lot will be finished soon and we can park a little closer to the door.

We are doing very well with the meat draws on Fridays and Saturdays, thank you to all of the volunteers that are helping with the draws.

We are very pleased with the large number of new members joining. We are closing in on 800 members. Please try to attend our General meetings on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30. As a member of the Legion you can have your say at the meeting with any concerns, questions or issues.

Remember your promise to participate in the poppy campaign, we only ask for one or two hours of your time to help tag. The sign up boards at the right of the club room doors. We need taggers and drivers, please consider volunteering.

We are having a Remembrance Day dinner in the banquet hall on the 11th . Veterans are free and other members and guests are 20.00. Tickets are available at the bar.

I hope to see a great turnout on Remembrance Day at the cenotaph. Any members that would like to march in the parade are more than welcome.

In comradeship,

Rod Ingersoll

President

Club Room Hours:

Monday to Thursday 11:00am - 7:00pm Friday and Saturday 11:00am - 9:00pm Sundays 12:00pm - 6:00pm *Monday, Wednesday and Friday the clubroom is open late for sports leagues

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The Poppy campaign has begun, with many donations to the Poppy Fund coming in. The wreath orders are a little slow this year but I am hopeful that the orders will pick up. The Tagging sign up boards are up in the main entrance to the club room, please find some time to help tag. The Armistice Day Dinner tickets are available at the bar or from myself, they are \$ 20.00 per person. Veterans are free, the

Veteran must show his / her Legion card or Veterans card and sign for the ticket.

Wayne McKinnon Poppy Chair

Veteran's Service Officer

Hello Comrades,

I'm pleased to say that we have been able to help out several Veterans every month with everything from hearing aids, dentures, glasses, VIP service and walkers to potential benefits and possible pensions.

If you served with the military in the reserves or regular forces, you may be eligible for assistance. The Legion has several programs, like Leave the Streets Behind, Service Dog, VIP Service, and many more.

If you feel that the Legion and or Veteran Affairs may have something for you, please do not hesitate to

contact me at 416-618-6266.

In comradeship,

Rod Ingersoll

Veterans Service Office

Cobourg Branch 133

RENT OUR HALL

CATERING AVAILABLE THROUGH LADIES AUXILIARY

TO BOOK THE HALL CONTACT: NANCY TURPIN 905-372-0493 FOR CATERING CONTACT: SUE POELSTRA 905-342-2087



Padre

"You never know"

In my daily ramble along the Cobourg Beach Walkway, I met a couple who moved to our town about seven years ago. I asked , "what made you decide to move here?" I was pleasantly surprised at their answer. They explained, they were driving across the 401 on Nov. 11th. It was close to 11am. They decided to duck down into the town, to see if there was a remembrance service . They found themselves at The Victoria park Cenotaph where a huge crowd were attending . This impacted the couple in deciding, to make Cobourg their new home, because " This is a town where things happen". we just never know what impact we have on other people, do we?

I hope you WIL plan to attend the Cenotaph service this year. "LEST WE FORGET"

Chaplain Art.

Sick and Visiting

To all those who have lost a loved one or are feeling down our thoughts & prayers go out to all our shut-ins and to those who have lost a loved one.

Yours in Comradeship Judy Elliott 905-372-9666

Nevada

You will notice the Nevada tickets have a new look! Only 3 pull tabs instead of 5 and smaller version. There are some extra prize levels as well. There is apparently a paper shortage and all 5 tab tickets have been discontinued everywhere. We decided not to complete the old license and immediately apply for the new style. Hope you enjoy as much as in the past.

Yolande McKinnon, Secretary/Nevada



Meat Draws

EVERY FRIDAY @ 5PM AND Saturday @ 3PM

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP WITH THE DRAWS. SIGN UP CALENDARS ARE IN THE CLUB ROOM



MISSILE

LA President

Dear Commrades,

Wow, as I write this report I guess it has been our last week of summer like weather. Hope you were all able to get some of that nice warm sunshine.

At the October 3rd General Meeting, Chris Wilson was installed as Convenor. Inadd ition, seven (7) new applicants were voted on & amp; accepted to join our organization. Installation scheduled for November 6 General Meeting. Please come to meet and welcome them.

Our Zone Commander (Glenda Trottman) & Deputy Zone Commander (Aldene Cooper) attended our October meeting and review various documents for compliance. A small token of appreciation were presented to the ladies.

Our Ladies Auxiliary team has been very busy for the month of October with several catering functions along with hosting Singles/Double Dart tournament. The October convenor, Carole Strong, had a very busy month & I wish to extend a big thank you to all those who answered the call to assist Carole and Carole for managing it so well on her first experience.

I attended a tour & cheque presentation at Ed's House on behalf of RCL Legion District F Hospital Trust. What a lovely place for those needing palliative care.

Yolande McKinnon, Aldene Cooper & I will be attending the Zone Council meeting on October 30 th in Trenton and will provide updates at the upcoming Executive & General Meeting.

Poppy Campaign Tagging Boards are in the Legion foyer, please be sure to schedule your spots for Tagging as this is part of the Ladies Auxiliary oath. Your assistance is also appreciated in the kitchen during the Tagging Dates.

November will be a very busy month for the Ladies Auxiliary and your help is needed to support our organization. If you are able to help in any way please reach out to Novembers convenor, Judy Elliott at 905-372-9666. Bring a friend and catch up!

A **Craft Sale** has been scheduled for November 19 th . Please let any vendor you know that would be interested in setting up a table to contact Shelly Thompson at 905-372-6554 or Judy Elliott at 905-372-9666 for details. There will be a LA Craft & Baked Goods Table and your donations are appreciated to aid & support in this Ladies Auxiliary fundraiser endeavour.

l encourage your participation in sports, helping out with fundraising duties, kitchen

work, funerals & amp; to encourage your friends & amp; family to join our team.

Happy Halloween and best wishes to remain healthy and hope to see you at our October General Meeting, November 7 @ 7:00PM.

Yours in Commradeship, Ladies Auxiliary Br # 133 President-Normalee Teskey normaleemitchell@hotmail.com 905-396-3372

MISSILE

LA Secretary

Calling all Ladies Auxiliary! Your dues are now payable for 2023 in the amount of \$25.00. Please send your cheque to my attention at the Branch, (New address is 135B Orr St., Cobourg, On K9A 0J6) or better yet - come to the November 7th meeting where you can get your Christmas Dinner ticket as well!

If you wish me to mail your card please include \$1.00 for postage or enclose a prepaid self-addressed envelope. Look forward to seeing you during the Poppy Campaign when you fulfill your duties in tagging.

Yolande McKinnon Secretary.

LA Monthly Convener for November Judy Elliott

Nov 3rd, 4th and 5th Kitchen Help for Tagging Days Nov 11th Armistice Dinner Nov 19th Craft Sale 10:00 - 3:00 Nov 26th MS Christmas Luncheon 11:00 - 3:00 Judy's phone number is 905-267-6057 Email judelliott51@icloud.com

Missile Report

Anyone wishing to advertise in our monthly missile please contact Jennifer Robison @ jrobison@dalewood.ca for more information.

Meat Draw Report (September)

FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2nd	3rd
\$657.00	\$670.00
9th	10th
\$602.75	\$1305.00
16th	17th
No Draw	No Draw
23rd	24th
\$616.00	\$587.00
30th \$1327.75	
Total	Total
\$3203.50	\$2562.00

Grand Total \$5765.50

		Nover	mber S	2022		
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<mark>1</mark> Canasta 1pm	<mark>2</mark> Poppy Tagging	3 Poppy Tagging	4 Poppy Tagging Meat Draw 5pm Friday Night Darts	Meat Draw 3p
6	Men's League Darts LA General Meeting 7pm	<mark>8</mark> Canasta 1pm	9	10	11	1 Meat Draw 3pr
13 Mixed Fun Darts	14 Men's League Darts	15 Canasta 1pm	16	17 Br. General Meeting 7:30pm	Meat Draw 5pm Friday Night Darts	1 LA Craft Sale Meat Draw 3pi
20	21 Men's League Darts	<mark>22</mark> Canasta 1pm	23	24	25 Meat Draw 5pm Friday Night Darts	2 Meat Draw 3pt
27 Mixed Fun Darts	28 Men's League Darts	<mark>29</mark> Canasta 1pm	30			

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