



NEWSLETTER

Royal Canadian Legion Selkirk Branch #42
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President's Report

Comrades

Hope all is well. Summer has finally set in so "no complaining" about the heat, please.

With the chairpeople doing their reports, I really do not have much to report.

The Clubroom is in good hands with Chrystal-Lynn. She finds ways to improve daily.

Jan is now up to 149 memorial banners sold. There seems to be no end to the interest in honouring those loved ones who have served. Comrade Lance Glover has graciously taken on the task of arranging the banners on the streets of Selkirk.

The dedication of the monument for the Dufferin Street Gang is set for Sunday, September 18th. A small parade is scheduled for that day. Everyone who wishes may join the parade from start to finish and at the dedication ceremony at Branch 42 following the parade.

Be safe everyone and we will see you down at the Branch.

Respectfully submitted

John Austin, President

Construction update:

The construction in front of the Branch will be around likely until October. If you find navigating the uneven pavement and gravel challenging, feel free to park in the public lot between Manitoba & Superior Avenues (east of Roxi's and the Red Barn vendor).

Poppy Report

No report.

Respectfully submitted

Wayne Bird, Poppy Chair

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Sergeant at Arms

First, thank you to Ken and Betty Nichol for carrying the Colours at the Dave Baty funeral. Also, I am grateful to the Honour Guard consisting of Peggy Davies, Neil Zebinski, Dennis Stuart, Mike Tassano, John Austin, Don MacDonald, and Wayne Bird. Thanks to Dennis Schindler who played the Bagpipes.

Thank you to our Colour bearers for the Rodeo Parade, Neil Zebinski, Wayne Bird, Ken and Betty Nichol. You guys and gal did an excellent job representing the Branch honourably, with dignity and pride.

Respectively submitted

Brian Wilson



Pre-Rodeo Parade lineup July 2022



Cadets

Cadets are on summer break.

Respectively submitted
Brian Wilson

Membership

No report.

Respectfully submitted
Glenn Kozan

Bingo

The flashboard upstairs needs a new motherboard. One is on order but has not arrived yet. Though inconvenient, bingo can go on. Thank you to Neil and Brian for looking after this problem.

Brian Wilson has retired from calling bingo as of the end of July. Thank you for your many years of service. You will be missed.

Respectively submitted
Heather Austin

Entertainment

August Bands are:

5th Geoff Erikson and The Rockets
12th Derailed
19th Vintage Groove
26th Rock the House

September Bands are:

2nd Karaoke with Wayne
9th Dark Horse
16th Ravin
23rd Geoff Erikson and The Rockets
30th Darren Lavallee

Respectively submitted
Kayleen Valley

Special Events

Steak and Lobster was well attended on July 23rd. Had It Coming played following the meal. It was nice to be able to hold this event after a two-year absence. Everyone enjoyed the evening.

Thank you to the volunteers who worked to make this a success: Andy and Isabel Anderson, Neil and Mary Zebinski, Ken and Betty Nichol, Wayne and Kathy Bird, Lynne Kowal, Cheryl Newman, Brian Wilson, Karen Coumont, Bobbi Swanson, Mae Gulewich, Gaye Karandiuk and John Austin.

Respectively submitted
Heather Austin

Ways and Means – Meat Draw

More volunteers are needed for the meat draw, it is getting remarkably busy. Call me at 204-791-5896.

August – Meat Draw				
Date	Caller	Seller	Pickup	Cashier
Aug 5	Brian Wilson	Cheryl Newman Terry Foster Danielle Kennedy	Andy Anderson	Lynne Kowal
12	Wayne Bird	Kathy Bird Heather Austin	Isabel Anderson	Eileen Belanger
19	Lance Glover	Barb Glover Vivian Whiteway	Noella Belanger	NEED
26	Kayleen Valley	Tim Byers NEED	Ken & Gail Marynewich	Eileen Belanger

Respectfully submitted
Eileen Belanger

Ways and Means – Chase the Ace

August – Chase the Ace		
	Cashier	Seller
5	Shirley Peters	Robert Edie
12	NEED	NEED
19	Shirley Peters	Robert Edie
26	Karen Coumont	Faye Drummond
2 Sep	NEED	NEED

Respectfully submitted
Neil Zebinski

Cribbage

July		Name	Score
4	1	Chuck & Gordon	892
	2	Adam & Shirley	868
	3	Dave & George	832
11	1	Wayne & Mark	868
	2	Helen & Phyllis	856
	3	George & David	851
18	1	Farren & Chris	824
	2	Gord & Chuck	821
	3	Stan & Alexa	816
25	1	Helen & Phyllis	859
	2	Karen & Karen	838
	3	Peter & Wayne	836

Respectfully submitted
Adam Hunnie

Op Vetbuild

First Meeting August 3, 1830 – 2130hrs

This is a new program which Branch 42 is trying to get underway for Veterans including RCMP and Allied Veterans along with their families as per the following two pages of information. This program is also open to first responders, firefighters and local police.

Under the Veteran category, the supplies are supplied free of charge. As for first responders, firefighters and local police that is where monetary donations come into play. They cover the cost of their supplies and donations will be appreciated.

Coffee, tea or soft drinks will be available at no cost to participants.

If anyone knows of someone who might find this program interesting please let them know.

We will be posting this on other communication medias.

Your help is needed to make this a successful program. If anyone has questions about the program, you can call us.

Respectfully submitted
Mary & Neil Zebinski

Sports

Support Your Troops Golf
Rescheduled to August.20th.
Non-Golfer dinner tickets now available.

Wear Red – Support our Troops



Respectfully submitted
Ian Brooks, Sports

Upcoming Events

CCR Tribute Band

Cajun Country Rock

September 3rd

Tickets on sale at the bar
\$20 advance, \$25 at the door.

RUSH SEATING.

Thunder Bay Convention Report

I attended the Thunder Bay Provincial Convention along with Noella Belanger. We used 7 Proxies to change the face of our council. Our own District Commander, Gail Conrad, was elected on the 1st ballot.

Branch 42 donated \$1500 to the RCEL to help our Veterans in the Caribbean.

New Provincial Command Committee

Past President	Jerry Lava
President	Ernie Tester
1 st Vice	Robert Cutbush
2 nd Vice	Gail Conrad Davey
	Wayne Baker
	Joan Wright
	Ronald Fiset
Chairperson	Bette Vance
Sgt at Arms	Jason Lava

Constitution and Law Resolutions

We passed use of electronic communication, so we do not have to do registered mail. It was found outdated and needed updating for today's standard.

Paid employees are not subject to complaints under Article III of the General By-laws. All hiring, conditions of employment and terminations must be in accordance with the Federal and Provincial laws.

The above will now go to Dominion Command Convention.

I left the Proceedings book with the office, if anyone would like to read it.

Respectfully submitted
Eileen Belanger, 2nd Vice President

Ladies Auxiliary

No report.

Respectfully submitted
Debbie Rose, Publicity/First Vice

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Service Officer

Any member that needs to borrow, or wants to return canes, crutches, walkers or wheelchairs, may do so by calling the office
Monday – Friday 11am – 3:30 pm.
The office will set up an appointment.

Rodeo Parade Start July 2022



Rodeo Parade entry



Honours and Awards

No report.

Respectfully submitted
Wayne Bird

(4) August 2022

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 42 Over 60 Club

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Over 60 Club

Once again, I have had a most enjoyable afternoon. Eveline Street construction is ongoing and has caused some members to stay away. Hopefully, that will all be done soon. All being said we still had a good turnout.

Keep in mind that we are still looking for an entertainment Chairperson, so if interested please let us know.

It was decided that the winner of our Friday night Bottle Draw could have the option to pick a \$35.00 gift card from the L.C. or a Co-Op card to purchase gas or food now that the price of gas is so high. Sounds like a good idea

We will be having an indoor games day in August. It should be a fun afternoon. See you all there August 18th.

Respectively Submitted

Faye Drummond, President

Ways and Means

Volunteers are always welcome to sell 50/50 tickets on Saturday and Monday Bingos, as 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)**.

If you find that you cannot do the date and time that you volunteered to do, call me and I will find a replacement.

Thank you in advance and thank you to all our current volunteers. Well done!

Regarding the Spring/Fall Raffle, there is no change.

Respectfully submitted

Neil Zebinski

Over 60 Entertainment

The Trail Riders entertained us after lunch and had many dancers on the floor.

We are planning to have an indoor games day for our August gathering. There will be different games along with crib. The Juke Box will be playing for those who just want to visit or listen to the music. Sounds like a fun afternoon.

Please come and join in!

July winners were:

Meat Draw	Sharon Obirek
	Marlene Koral
	Pauline Okun
	Alice Thompson
Bottle Draw	Margaret Davidson
	Lorraine Leniuk
Door Prize	Jackie Brooks

Our day would not be a success without our Volunteers, Jannette, Doris, Lorraine, Eugene and Chuck for setting up the tables.

Come and play August 18th.

Respectfully Submitted

Faye Drummond, Acting Chair



July 2022

50/50 Draw Winners		
	Seller	Winner
2	No Seller	
4	No Seller	
9	Louise Goodbrandson	Michel Turgley
11	Evelyn Milner	Mackenzie Mowatt
16	No Draw (Rodeo days)	
18	Karen Coumont	Rose McCartney
23	Blodwin Georgette	Robert Lavallee
25	Sandy Skiba	Beverly Begg
Bottle Draw Winners		
1	Evelyn Milner	Richard Bear
1	Evelyn Milner	Robert Kincarid
8	Mae Fiddler-Fast	Danielle Kennedy
10	Karen Coumont	Lisa Johnson
15	Karen Coumont	Vern Heinrichs
22	Lynne Kowal	Vivian Whiteway
22	Lynne Kowal	Nancy Wasylnuk

Respectfully submitted

Dennis Stewart

August 2022

Upcoming 50/50 Draw	
Aug	Seller
Mon 1	Don Zalusky
Sat 6	Karen Coumont
Mon 8	Kim Hutton-Smith & Glenna Wentworth
Sat 13	Louise Goodbrandson
Mon 15	Alice Thompson
Sat 20	Neil Zebinski
Mon 22	Liz Flett
Sat 27	Eileen Jones
Mon 29	Liz Flett
Friday	Upcoming Bottle Draw
5	Mae Fidler-Fast
12	Doris Bennett
19	Karen Coumont
26	Eve Milner (Ruth Stewart – standby)
Sep 2	

Respectfully submitted

Neil Zebinski, Ways and Means

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Membership

There were 77 members and 4 guests in attendance at our July 21st meeting. We welcomed Wayne Francis and Michelle Garvock to our club. We now have 125 members. Our guests were Brenda Black, Gary Erickson, Eva Neil and one of the band members.

Neil and Mary Zebinski recognized 14 members who celebrated a birthday in July.

Thanks to Fern Kirton, Helen Starodub and Bev Bruce who looked after our members at the registration table. We cannot forget the gals who do the phoning, it certainly gives the caterer a heads-up as to how many are coming: Sheila Snider, Pauline Okun. Liz Storoschuk, Pam Linklater, Janette Thompson and Mary Zebinski.

In August we have Games Day--that should be interesting!!

If anyone is interested in becoming a member of the Over 60's Club there are applications available at the Legion.

Respectfully submitted

Ruth Stewart

Over 60 Volunteer Report

Thank you to the volunteers for July who helped with the luncheon: calling numbers Edna Czorny and clean-up Grace Hordyski and Marlene Sahulka. We would also like to thank Reverend Sharman for saying Grace.

Respectfully submitted

Louise Goodbrandson

2nd Vice President Over 60 Club

August

CHECK OUR DAILY MEMBER SPECIALS!!

2022

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	2 Fun Darts 6:30	3 1:00 pm Mahjongg OP VETBUILD Lower Level 6:30 – 9:30 pm	4 7:00 pm Poker	5 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band: G Erikson & the Rockets	6 Bingo 1:00 pm
7 Open 11:00-6:00 pm	8 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	9 Fun Darts 6:30	10 1:00 pm Mahjongg	11 O/60 Exec Meeting 01:00 pm 7:00 pm Poker	12 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band: Derailed	13 Bingo 1:00 pm
14 Open 11:00-6:00 pm	15 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	16 Fun Darts 6:30	17 1:00 pm Mahjong	18 O/60 Club General Meeting 7:00 pm Poker	19 Chase the Ace & 4:30 Meat Draw start Band: Vintage Groove	20 Bingo 1:00 pm Support Troops Golf/MSS
21 Open 11:00-6:00 pm Horseshoe Tourney 1pm	22 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	23 Fun Darts 6:30	24 1:00 pm Mahjongg Executive Meeting Time 7:00 pm	25 7:00 pm Poker	26 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band: Rock the House	27 Bingo 1:00 pm
28 Open 11:00-6:00 pm 1:30 pm Ladies Aux Meeting	29 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	30 Fun Darts 6:30	31 1:00 pm Mahjongg General Meeting Cancelled for July & August			

September

CHECK OUR DAILY MEMBER SPECIALS!!

2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 7:00 pm Poker	2 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band: Karaoke with Wayne	3 Bingo 1:00 pm CCR Tribute Band 8:00 pm
4 Open 11:00-6:00 pm	5 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	6 Fun Darts 6:30	7 1:00 pm Mahjongg OP VETBUILD Lower Level 6:30 – 9:30 pm	8 O/60 Club Executive Meeting 1:00 pm 7:00 pm Poker	9 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band – Dark Horse	10 Bingo 1:00 pm FISH FRY
11 Open 11:00-6:00 pm	12 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	13 Fun Darts 6:30	14 1:00 pm Mahjongg	15 O/60 Club General Meeting 7:00 pm Poker	16 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band – Ravin	17 Bingo 1:00 pm VOLUNTEER PARTY
18 Open 11:00-6:00 pm Dufferin Gang Memorial Dedication 1pm	19 Cribbage 1:30 Bingo 7:00 pm	20 Fun Darts 6:30	21 1:00 pm Mahjongg Executive Meeting Time 7:00 pm	22 7:00 pm Poker	23 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band: Geoff & the Rockets -VET & SPOUSE DINNER	24 Bingo 1:00 pm
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25 Open 11:00-6:00 pm FALL SUPPER	26 Cribbage Bingo 7:00 pm	27 Fun Darts 6:30	28 1:00 pm Mahjongg General Meeting 7:30 pm	29 7:00 pm Poker	30 Chase the Ace & Meat Draw start 4:30 Band – Darren Lavellee	1 Bingo 1:00 pm