

Branch #123 Waterford

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“We Will Remember Them!”

**News Bulletin and Calendar
September/October 2024**

President's Report

Summer is coming to an end and with that our regular events start to return. I would like to wish good luck to those who organize and run these events.

Events over the summer have been well attended and everyone had a great time. Thanks to everyone who volunteered to run these events. Without these volunteers, we would not be able to offer these opportunities. The funds raised by them aid in keeping our Legion viable

President, Ian Simpson

Senior's Report

It's Seniors' Party Time again! The annual Seniors' Fall Hoedown will be held on Thursday, September 19th, from 2:00PM-4:00PM. The agenda is in place and the day will be a bushel of fun. It will be a great way for Seniors to kick off the fall season. Call Sharon at 519-443-7567 to make a reservation if you plan to attend.

If you require foot care assistance, please call me at 519-443-7567. Happy Feet are Healthy Feet!!

Senior's Chair, Sharon Anderson

Nevada Report

We are currently on our 2nd. box of tickets, from the license, which began on July 7th..

After a brief meeting with my committee, donations from this license will be as follows: -

-\$500- Seniors' Fall Hoedown

-\$500 –Seniors' Christmas

-\$500 – Kids' Christmas

Nevada Chair, Ruth Anne Masecar .

General Meeting

The next General Meeting for Br. 123 members will be on Thursday, October 24th at 6:30PM. Please sign in before the meeting.

Come and share in the governance of your Legion.

Sport's Report

Youth darts starting mid September.

Corn hole still going on in the pavilion.

Check Bulletin Board in Club Room Foyer for updates on Zone Sports.

Sport's Chair, Brad Walker

Membership Report

YEARLY DUES are payable by December 31st, 2024

The Early Bird Campaign runs from September 1st TO November 30th Members who pay their dues during the Early Bird will be entered in a draw for a free membership for the following year. Two draws will be made at the December General Meeting.

Yearly dues are \$50.00

Membership Chair. Barb Taylor-Gagne



Sunday Brunch is Back!

Who's hungry? The answer is everyone.

The Brunch will kick off on Sunday, September 8th at 9:00AM. The usual selection of eggs, bacon, sausage, home fries, pancakes and delectable desserts will be front and centre.

Get together a group and enjoy this morning feast.
Don't forget the complimentary coffee and tea.

Poppy Report

The balance in the Poppy account is \$5,552.02.

All legion members are welcome to attend a Poppy Seminar at Waterford Legion, on Sunday September 22nd at 9.30AM until noon.

October 25th marks the start of the 2024 Poppy Campaign.

The sign up sheets for volunteers to canvas at locations around Waterford, will be on the bar in September.

Volunteers will also be needed to prepare the poppy boxes ahead of time, and count the collection boxes during the campaign.

Also, for sale on the bar this year will be poppy centres, to hold your poppy in place painlessly.

Thank you in advance for helping with the Poppy Campaign!

30 lawn signs and 30 poppy ornament signs for the poppy campaign have been ordered.

Poppy Chair, Pat Freeman

Branch Events For:

September

1	4:00PM	Sunday Matinee
4	5:30PM	Wednesday Night Dinner (Cabbage Rolls)
5	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
5	7:00PM	Corn Hole
8	9:00PM	Sunday Brunch
11	4:00PM	Cruise Night
12	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
12	7:00PM	Corn Hole
13	5:00PM	Fish and Chips
14	3:00PM	Parking Lot Fundraiser/Entertainment
18	4:00PM	Cruise Night
19	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
19	7:00PM	Corn Hole
20	7:00PM	Quiz Night
26	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
26	7:00PM	Corn Hole
27	5:00PM	Wing Night
27	7:00PM	Karaoke
29	10:00AM	Veteran's Coffee Hour

October

2	5:30PM	Wednesday Night Dinner (Roast Beef)
3	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
3	7:00PM	Corn Hole
10	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
10	7:00PM	Corn Hole
11	5:00PM	Fish and Chips
13	9:00PM	Sunday Brunch
17	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
17	7:00PM	Corn Hole
18	5:00PM	Wing Night
18	7:00PM	Quiz Night
24	12:00PM	Sit and Fit
24	7:00PM	Corn Hole
25	5:00PM	Wing Night
25	7:00PM	Karaoke
27	10:00AM	Veteran's Coffee Hour



Waterford Legion's Parking Lot Fundraiser on Saturday September 14th

It will be a day of music and fabulous food in the Pavilion. Brisket, ribs, wings, smash burgers, sausages, mac and cheese, nacho fries, poutine, garden salads and more. These will be available for purchase from 4:00PM to 7:00PM. There will

also be a silent auction and a cavalcade of local music.

3:00PM to 3:30PM ... Fried Spam and the Grilled Cheesies

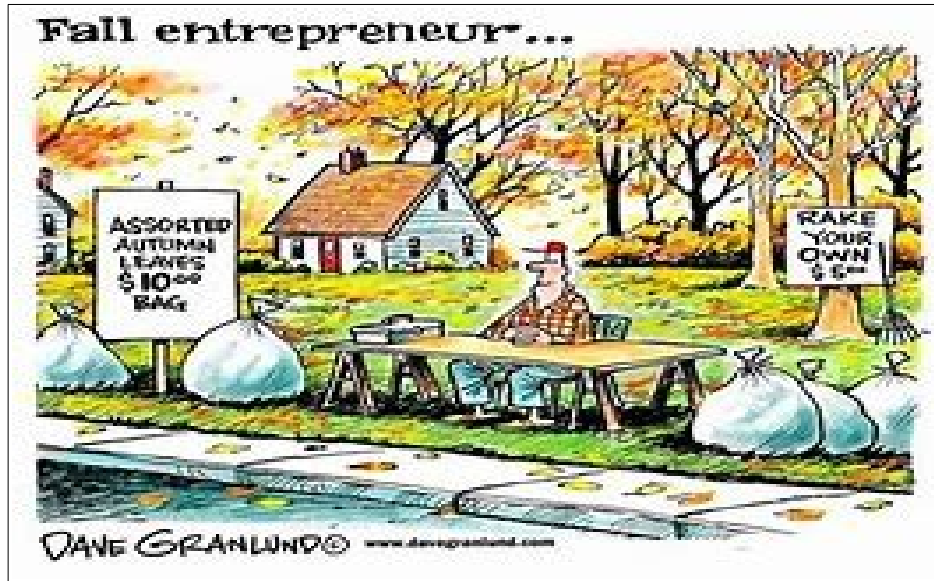
3:30PM to 5:30PM ... The Atkinson Brothers Band

5:30PM to 7:30PM ... Steady Red

7:30PM to 9:30PM ... Knucklehead

Admission Only is \$10.00

Autumn Humour



Finance Report

	August	July
General Account	\$ 126,665.93	\$ 116,989.35
Nevada Account	\$ 4,907.83	\$ 4,263.33
Building Account	\$ 12,373.57	\$ 12,373.52
Lottery Account	\$ 6,711.52	\$ 6,716.47
GIC - General Surplus	\$ 49,072.74	\$ 49,072.74
GIC - Capital Reserve	\$ 42,976.28	\$ 42,976.28
Combined (All Accts)	\$ 242,701.87	\$ 232,391.69

Treasurer, Jamie Gunn

Pumpkinfest at the Legion

Events will be running all Pumpkinfest Weekend
 Kick it off with delicious Chicken Wings on Friday at 5:00PM
 Stretch your brain with Spooky, Fall themed Pub Quiz
 On Saturday there will be a Costume Dance in the front Hall in the evening.

House Chair Major Repairs

- 1) Video surveillance warning signs posted on outside gates and main door in fence going into pavilion area. Signs also placed on entrance doors to hall and club room and on doors exiting from hall and club room to the pavilion.
- 2) July 26th, 2024 - Glass washer at bar had a bleach line leak. Repaired. Dishwasher in kitchen had a check up as well..
- 3) July 31 had another problem with not enough bleach coming through with glass washer at bar. The bleach tube was replaced with a larger diameter tube and all ok now.
- 4) Aug 11, 2024 – replaced damaged plexiglass in message cabinet outside club room entrance
- 5) Aug 13, 2024 – false alarm on leaking urinal in men’s hall washroom. Tried and used multiple time with no leaks found anywhere. Suspect over flushing by someone.
- 6) Aug 13 - Outside parking lot light by hall entrance burned out. Had to order another from Westburn’s. Awaiting delivery.
- 7) Investigating tying in the outside pot lights at the hall entrance to provide more light at night.
- 8) Aug 14 - Grease trap clean out done as required in 12 wk cycle
- 9) Still awaiting quote from Smart-Tek on assuming management of alarm system. Email request sent Aug 14
- 10) Still awaiting quotes from Fox refrigeration on cooler doors.

House Chair, Mike Jarvis

Friday Night Fish and Chips

Your delicious indulgence will be taking a new spin. It will be under New Management but the old crew is in place and the food will be awesome.

Friday September 13th

Sales at 4:30PM and service at 5:00PM

