

#### **The Royal Canadian Legion**

#### **Kingsway Branch No. 175**

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"The Home of Hospitality"

#### February 2025

#### **BRANCH HOURS**

- Mon 5:00 pm 11:00 pm
- Tue Wed 11:00 am 11:00 pm
- Thu Sat 11:00 am 12:00 pm

Sun - Closed

#### **BRANCH OFFICE**

Mon - 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Tue - Wed 11:00 am - 11:00 pm

Thu - Sat 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Sun - Closed

#### CANTEEN BAR

Mon - 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Tue - 11:00 am - 11:00 pm

- Thu- Sat 11:00 am 12:00
- Sun 11 am 2:30 pm

#### **KITCHEN**

Mon - 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Tue - Wed 11:00 am - 8:00 pm

Thu - Sat 11:00 am - 9:00 pm

Sun - 11:00 am - 2:30 pm

#### BRANCH GENERAL MEETING

The last Tuesday of every month except July, August, and December.

#### HAPPY VALENTINES DAY

#### **ATTENTION!!**

**NEXT GENERAL MEETING** 

Feb 25,, 2025

#### Membership

#### **Fallen Comrades**

It is with deep regret that we announce the following members have passed on since we last gathered together.

Name	Age	Date	Service
John Barlett	63	Dec 12/24	Army
Alex Di Blasio	44	Dec 7/24	Army



Members in Good Standing			
as of Jan 01, 2025			
Affiliate	290		
Associate	477		
Life Members	25		
Ordinary	480		
Total:	1271		

We are offering a **free first year of membership** to all serving and retired CAF and RCMP members who have not yet joined the Legion.

The **free first year membership** is also open to all parents or guardians, spouses and children age 18+ of serving, retired or passed CAF and RCMP members who have not yet joined the Legion.

#### Membership

#### **Our Newest Members**

If you see our new members in the Legion please take a moment out and welcome them.

Ordinary	Associate	Affiliate
Allen Nigel Allen	Phillip Maron	Fern Adams
Deborah Friesen	Cheryl Popp	Julie Juhlin
Jennifer Frey	Gregory Popp	Olivia Megley
	Margaret Schatrowski	Ron Johnstone
	Faye. E Taylor	
	Tony Tucci	
	Ilene McLeod	
	Darrell Burns	
	Jami Johansson	
	Patricia Keary	
	Kieran Regan	
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Transfers:		
Cameron McMorran,	Terry Wilson,	
New Westminster BC Br 02	Dominion Br 015	Rick Barbazuk, Norwood Br 178
Robert Bard,	Amy Lee London,	
Dominion Br 015	Dominion Br 015	
Rosemary, Nipshank,	Jessie Johnson,	
Dominion Br 15	Ryley Br 192	
	Gerald Dmytruk,	
	Norwood Br 178	
	Norman Laboucane,	
	Dominion Br 015	
	Joseph Wasylynchuk,	
	Norwood Br 178	
	Paul Bowering,	
	Malahat, Br 134	
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#### Membership

#### **Next General Meeting**

#### Tuesday Feb 25, 2025 at 7:00 pm

The general meeting gives you a chance to let us know how we are doing and what we can do to make it better for you the members. Please attend the General Meetings and help to keep the Legion running.

#### **New Digital Membership Card Now Available!**



Get More Details

The Dominion Command Membership Committee is pleased to announce the launch of the Digital Membership Card! A Member can now choose a traditional plastic card <u>or</u> a Digital Card.

The Digital Card meets the needs of Members who prefer the option to store and carry their card on their mobile device. Additionally, the Digital Card offers considerable administration savings for the Legion

#### This is a special message to all veteran grandparents

There is a new bursary form on the Kingsway Legion #175 Website. Your grandchildren can benefit from this bursary for further funding their education.

https://kingswaylegion.ca/bursary-application-form

With the cost of living going up this might be an added benefit for their schooling.

#### **Membership** Recognition



Brian Carlson received his 40 years of Service Pin from 1st Vice President Carol Wills and President Rick Etmanski



Ben Dart received his 50 years of Service Pin from 1st Vice President Carol Wills and President Rick Etmanski KINGSWAY LEGION PRESENTS A TRIBUTE TO CREEDENCE CLEARWATER REVIVAL



#### SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8th

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM DINNER AT 5:30 PM 14439 - 50th St. NW, Edmonton, Alberta DINNER AND SHOW - \$65.00 SHOW ONLY - \$35.00 Plus GST

SHOWTIME 7:00 PM

#### W W W . K I N G S W A Y L E G I O N . C A

Ticket available at the Legion

Call: 780.425.8654

or at

Eventbrite.ca



Menu Baked Smoked Ham Scallop Potatoes Mixed Peas & Carrots Pickles , Buns, Salads & Dessert



## Murder Mystery &

#### Dinner Evening

#### Saturday Feb 15, 2025

### Entrance Fee \$50.00 (+got)

includes an all you can eat Pasta Dinner

#### The Night Chicago Died

#### Crime Scene

October 24, 1931 Al Capone is on trial for tax-evasion. But what if Capone beats the rap?

Step into a world of relentless lawmen, greedy rivals, and illegal liquor



#### Ticket available at

Doors Open: 5:00 pm Dinner & Show 6:00 pm

the Branch

or

Eventbrite.ca



way Legion 14339 50th St. Edmonton 780-425-8654

## Valentine's Day Dinner & Dance Special

#### February 14 & 15, 2025



\$40.00 per guest (+gst)

includes free admission to the dance

Music Provided by:

Dinner

5:00 - 6:30 pm



#### Menu

AAA Steak 6 oz Shrimp Skewer Baked Potato Greek Salad Garlic Bread Dessert Ticket available at

the Branch

or

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Tradicional Irish Weal Corned Beef & Cabbage Irish Soda Bread Apple Crumble unth Irish Whiskey Sauce



Dinner & Dance

\$30.00 (+gat)

Dance Only

- Non-members \$15.00

- Members \$10.00

Doors Open 5:00 pm CDeal 5:30-6:30 pm Dance 7:00 - 11:00 pm

Ticket available at the Branch or

Eventbrite.ca



Reserve Seating / Non-Refundable

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( Ikrainian Dinner & Dance

Saturday April 5, 2025

Dance the Night Away with

#### "The Sparking Tones"

and enjoy a Ukrainian Performance by the

#### <u>Vatra Ukrainian Dance Ensemble</u>

Doors ()pen 5:00 pm Dinner 5:00 - 6:30 pm Music 7:00—8:00 pm Performance 8:00 - 8:15 pm Music 8:30 - 11:00 pm Dinner & Dance \$50.00 (+gal)

**Dance Only** 

- Non-members \$15.00

- Members \$10.00



*Menu* Perogies Kobbassa Cabbage Rolls Nachynka Salads Makivnyk

Ticket available at the Branch or Eventbrite.ca



Non Refundable Reserve Sealing Only

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2 Sittings: Noon & 2:00 pm

\$35.00 (+gst) per guest

Children Menu (under 12)-\$20.00 Gluten Free Menu Available (menu subject to change)

Sunday

Kingsway Branch #175

May II, 2025

Savory: Freshly Baked English Cran Raisin Scones with House Made Clotted Cream & Jam - Traditional English Cucumber - Cold Smoked Salmon - Coronation Curried Chicken Salad - Egg Salad Fingers.

Sweets: Maple Shortbread, Key Lime Tart, Prestige Macarons, Panna Cotta, Mini Raspberry Cake.

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#### Kingsway Legion Ladies Auxiliary



Ladies Auxiliary Kingsway Legion Br 175 February Newsletter 2025

Hi Ladies,

We had our first meeting with our new President and all went great. Our new Executive is as follows : Blondie Charlet -President, Mary Good - 1<sup>st</sup> Vice, Phyllis Moldowan - Secretary, Sharon Clemens - Treasurer and then other executive Members are Alice Graham, Eldean Baskerville, Reba Baskerville, Charlotte Bueckert, Mary Good, Geri Britton, Janice Langston, Marilen Pytel.

We are planning on the Spring Raffle and Bake Sale, April 12, so we are in need of things for the white elephant table and crafts. Plus we could use small items for the bingo prizes, because they have been a big hit. Don't forget to come out to our meat draws on Saturday.

From Your Ladies Auxiliary

Free daily admission to all Parks Canada administered locations for active members and Veterans of the Canadian Armed Forces and their immediate families



The Government of Canada acknowledges and respects the extraordinary contributions and sacrifices made by Veterans of the Canadian Armed Forces, Canadian Armed Forces members and their families. Parks Canada is supporting the health and wellness of members and Veterans of the Canadian Armed Forces and their families

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By presenting the <u>CF One Platinum</u> card, which is administered through the Canadian Forces Morale and Welfare Services Agency, or the <u>Veteran's Service Card</u>, active Canadian Armed Forces members, Veterans of the Canadian Armed Forces and their immediate families receive free daily admission to all Parks Canada administered locations.

## Ladies' Auxiliary Saturday Afternoon Meat Draw

Ticket on Sale 1:00 pm Draw 1:30 pm 12 Regular & 1 Bonus Draw Tickets \$1.00 each

> 50 / 50 Raffle Ticket on sale following the Meat Draw 10 Tickets for \$5.00

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#### **Join us Every Wednesday!**

# Neat Draw

#### Ticket on Sale 6:00 pm

Draw 6:30pm 12 Regular & 1 Bonus Draw Tickets \$1.00 each

**50 / 50 Raffle** 

Ticket on sale following the Meat Draw 10 Tickets for \$5.00

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#### **SPECIAL NOTICE**

# MILLER CROSSING FARMERS' MARKES' EDMONTON, AB

For updates on this event checkout our website:

millercrossingfm

or on Facebook

facebook.com/millercrossingfarmersmarket

Over 45-50 Vendors,

Farmers market will be held indoors **Sunday, Feb 9th, 2025** From 11:00 am to 3:00 pm







#### Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of every month 1100 hrs



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Veterans of the Canadian Armed Forces, RCMP and Allied Forces are welcome. You do not need to be a Legion member to attend.

**Open to all Veterans. Your local legion is here supporting our area.** 

Come meet fellow Veterans in a safe, non-judgemental atmosphere of comradeship. There will be free coffee, tea and soft drinks.

For more information contact Louise Abdou at <u>Edm175bud-</u> <u>dycheckcoffee@hotmail.com</u> or call 780-868-8917

#### **Special Notice**

#### Command Sports Euchre

Phill O'Quinn and Carol Simon placed 3rd in Drumheller, Alberta on January 24 and 25, 2025.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

#### **Kensington Bingo**

Kingsway Legion Bingo Schedule for 2025

Wednesday, Jan 29

Thursday, Feb 13

Tuesday, Feb 25

Tuesday, Mar 4

Wednesday, Mar 12

Monday, April 7

Tuesday, April 29

Anyone wishing to volunteer please contact Lisa LaBossiere 780 438-5472 or 780-238-6401 or leave a message at Kingsway Legion Branch 175 at 780 425-8654



Drop in canasta will continue over the summer on Tue and Thurs with a start time at 12:30 pm.

Same rules apply, feel free to come and join us.



# **OP VETBUILD**

Operation VetBuild is a Royal Canadian Legion initiative run by the RCL's OSI Special Section (BSO Legion OSI). This is a peer to peer program by veterans, for veterans and includes RCMP and allied veterans. The objective is to help improve mental health through hobby and in this case, table top / minature games, model building and board games 100% free to veteran's.

Will be held every 3rd Saturday of the month. From 1pm -4pm

#### **OP VETBUILD**

Contact: Anthony Sewards teutonicknights@shaw.ca

TABLETOP

Contact: James Morris phgang02@hotmail.ca

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	FEBRUARY 2025						
			-	– 10:00 pm, Tue	sday - Saturday	/ 11 am–close	
Closing tim	Closing time varies depending on number of people in the Canteen						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
						1 Pool Tourney noon Meat Raffle & 50/50 1 pm Entertainment: 7 – 11 pm 2 Bad Apples	
2 CLOSED	3 Opens at 5 pm Pool EEE 6pm Crib 6:30 pm Darts 7pm	4 Pool Tourney 11:30 Canasta 12:30 pm Over 60 Darts 1 pm	5 EDM Police Family 12:30 pm Meat Draw 6:00 pm Triple EEE Pool 6pm Peggers 6:00 pm Euchre 7 pm	6 Pool Tourney 11:30 Canasta 1 pm Over 60 Darts 1 pm Jam Doors at 5pm Old Tyme Fiddlers Pool League 6:30 pm Shuffleboard 6:30pm	7 Shuffleboard 6:30 pm Entertainment: 7 – 11 pm Ali Bright & Bright Boys	8 Pool Tourney Noon Meat Raffle & 50/50 1 pm Free Fun Bingo 2pm CCR TRIBUTE 5 PM Entertainment: 7 – 11 pm Ai Bright & Bright Boys	
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23 CLOSED	24 Opens at 5 pm Pool EEE 6pm Crib 7 pm Darts 7 pm	25 Pool Tourney 11:30 Canasta 12:30 pm Over 60 Darts 1 pm Dart League 6:30 pm Gen meeting 7pm	26 EDM Police Family 12:30 pm Legion Buddy Coffee 11 am Meat Draw 6:00 pm Triple EEE Pool 6pm Peggers 6:00 pm Euchre 7 pm	27 Pool Tourney 11:30 Canasta 1 pm Over 60 Darts 1pm Jam Doors at 5pm HiWay 45 Pool League 6:30 pm Shuffleboard 6:30pm	28 Shuffleboard 6:30 pm Entertainment: 7 – 11 pm TIM BECKER	1 March Pool Tourney noon Meat Raffle & 50/50 1 pm Entertainment: 7 – 11 pm TIM BECKER	