

Branch 256 Stony Plain Alberta





What Happened At the Meat Draw

Thank you to Jeff Doyle who Conducted the Meat Draw

Thank You to Buck Coutts who Conducted the 50/50 and Congratulations to Janet Assinger who had the winning ticket and took home 160.00

\$40.00 Meat Pack- Audrey Funge

Oct Toonie Draw – Dan and Sandy who took home \$189.00

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This Week

Mike Williams

- Gordon Carlson
- **Robert Reschke**
- **Randell Dewling**
- No Winners



Executive Meeting

2nd Tuesday of each Month @ 7:00pm

General Meetings

3rd Tuesday of each Month at 7:00 pm except for July August and December.

General Meeting and Election Nov 16 President- Jim Stover

Past President -Pat Hale

1st Vice-

2nd Vice - Buck Coutts

Secretary- Sherri Milne

Treasurer- Lanny McConnell

Sgt-At-Arms- Curt Budden

Service Officer- Ed Siteman

Pastor- Rev Trevor Swanson MTS

Hall Rental- Cindy Jacobs

Executive-, Andrew Benkovich



Watch for sign up sheets in lounge for Volunteers. Thanks to all our Volunteers. Also, the Board to sign to join our executive or become an officer in your Legion is in the Foyer. Thank You in Advance

Thanks to Andrew Benkovich, Bob Jones, Jim Stover, and Gord Morrison for checking people in.

Place Your Order before Nov 14

<u>NEW!!!</u>

Now you can order your own Stony Plain Legion Wear online!

(You no longer need to find somebody at the Legion to take your order) JUST TAKE A LOOK! IT'S EASY!

Clik on the link below...

*Choose your item, size, color, submit payment, and we'll call you when your order arrives.

*All items have our own Stony Plain Legion Logo... and make unique Christmas gifts! Deadline date for this order is Nov 14, 2021

https://splegion2021.itemorder.com/shop/sale/

Royal Canadian LEGION

EFFECTIVE MONDAY SEPTEMBER 20th, 2021

The Stony Plain Legion will implement the new Exemption Program as outlined by the Alberta Government. Must show proof of double vaccination (note that for a transitional period between Sept. 20 and Oct. 25, proof of a single dose would be considered acceptable as long as the dose was given two weeks or more before the time of service) Or a proof of a privately paid negative rapid test taken within the previous 72 hrs Or have documentation of a medical exemption. MASKS MAY BE REMOVED WHEN SITTING AT YOUR TABLE.



Friday Nov. 26th

Bidding starts at 5, Supper at 6, bidding ends at 8 with final live auction items to follow.

All proceeds to The Meridian Housing Foundation towards our goa to support Veterans Housing in Stony Plain @ Folkstone Manor.



What's Happening at Your Legion

-Wed 7:00 pm Darts starting Nov 17

-Crib Thursday 7:00 pm

-Meat Draw Sat 3 to 5 pm

Nov 26 Silent Auction and Spaghetti Supper

-Dec 12 Kids Christmas Party

- I asked my 91-year-old father, "Dad, what were your good old days?" His thoughtful reply: "When I wasn't good, and I wasn't old." —F. M., via rd.com

-On the phone with my 93-year-old brother in Wisconsin, and I told him I thought it was time he paid someone to shovel snow for him. He suddenly grew indignant. "Why should I pay someone to shovel?" he demanded. "I can get my son to do it. He's only 70!" —David Groesche

-"Everything's starting to click for me!" said my father-in-law at dinner. "My knees, my elbows, my neck ... "



To Our Members.

The Membership Committee is excited to announce the launch of the Veteran Family Welcome Program to welcome family of Veterans to the Legion! The Dominion Executive Council approved the new 1-year free membership program for eligible family members in recognition of the commitment and support immediate family members provide to our Veterans on a daily basis.

This free first year of membership is available to spouses and children (18+ years of age) of serving, retired or passed CAF or RCMP Veterans who have not yet joined the Legion.

The membership includes a subscription to Legion Magazine and full access to our Member Benefit PNew! Veteran Family Welcome Program

The free first year of Legion membership program has expanded eligibility to include family of Veterans and their partners and MemberPerks[®] program, offering savings at thousands of restaurants and retailers across Canada.

Eligibility for Veteran Family Welcome Program

Applicant must be new to the Legion

Applicant must be 18 years of age or older, and a spouse or child of a serving, retired or passed CAF or RCMP Veteran

Membership Administration

All new Veteran Family Welcome Program members will initially be registered in Dominion Branch 16-016 to process the free 1-year membership

Once registered, a member can transfer at any time to a local Branch (local Branch to initiate the transfer)

New members will receive a welcome email when their application is processed through Member Services.

The membership card will be sent from Dominion Command to the member's address on file. Should the member transfer to a local Branch, the local Branch will receive their membership card.

How to apply to the Veteran Family Welcome Program and the Veteran Welcome Program

Eligible applicants can fill out an application form online:

https://www.legion.ca/welcome

https://legion.ca/fr/bienvenue

Printed Application Forms are available at the Branch.

Service Officer Edward Siteman





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Support for Veterans and Family's

The Legion provides a range of service and supports for Veterans, their families and dependents. In addition to directly assisting Veterans and their Families wirh the disability process through Veterans Affairs Canada (VAC). the Legion Offers a variety of programs, resources, and Referrals to Support Veteran Health, transition to civilian life, financial assistance and well-being.

Gathering Of Veterans

The Last Sunday of the Month Starting @ 1400 hours has been set aside for a gathering of Veterans of the Canadian Armed Forces & RCMP and all those serving on active duty to come together in Fellowship and to be introduced to the Legion. Coffee and Donuts will be Served. All Veterans Welcome

At The Local Legion Branch, a Veteran or Family can;

 meet with a volunteer Legion Service Officer to help identify unmet health or support needs and review possible benefits through (VAC) as well as other supports available
get assistance with completing the Legion Claims Form and receive a referral to Legion Command Service Officers for individual assistance

- request benevolent financial through the Poppy Fund

- request visits to Veterans in Retirement and Long-Term Care Facilities

- access Veteran support and care programs as offered through the Branch

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Sunday		Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Veterans Coffee 2:00				Open 3:00 pm Crib		Open 2:00pm Meat
pm		Executive Meeting	Open 3:00 pm	7:00 pm	Open 3:00 pm	Draw 50/50 3:00 pm
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