

# **Branch 256 Stony Plain Alberta**





Legion Closed till further notice no Meat Draw.

## **Newsletter**

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To Our Members.

Well, it seems like every week things are getting worse rather then better. Hopefully soon we will have some good news.

In the meantime, please stay safe and hopefully we will be able to get together sooner rather then later.

Jim Stover

**Public Relations** 

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## **Executive Meeting**

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each Month @ 7:00pm

## **General Meetings**

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

General Meeting Postponed because we are closed and COVID restrictions

**President- Darren Papish** 

**Past President -Pat Hale** 

1<sup>st</sup> Vice- Jim Stover

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice - Buck Coutts

**Secretary- Ed Siteman** 

**Treasurer- Lanny McConnell** 

Sgt-At-Arms- Curt Budden

**Service Officer- Jerry Milne** 

**Pastor- Rev Trevor Swanson MTS** 

Executive-, Andrew Benkovich, Jerry Milne and Sherri Milne



When we open, we will be looking for volunteers for the bar. Needed will be servers and bartender, so if you have spare time could you please contact me at <a href="mailto:jimstover0@gmail.com">jimstover0@gmail.com</a> or phone or text at 780-974-5742.

Thanks to all Our Volunteers



Today marks the 70th anniversary of the Battle of Kapyong, Canada's most significant action during the Korean War. From April 22 - 25, 1951 our brothers from the 2nd Battalion Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry fought a difficult battle in the hills above the Kapyong Valley. Holding the line at Kapyong was an impressive achievement, but came at a cost. Ten Canadians were killed and 23 were wounded and were among the 516 Canadians who lost their lives during the Korean War. #CanadaRemembers #Kapyong70

Learn more:

https://www.veterans.gc.ca/.../battles.../battleof-kapyong

**Canadian Army** 

Canada Remembers

Canadian War Museum

#### TREE HANDS

Q: What kind of tree has a hand? A: A palm tree.

#### SAVE YOUR CHANGE

Q: Why should you save your pennies? A: It makes good cents.

#### DROPPED OUT

The last year I entered a marathon. The race started and immediately I was the last of the runners. It was embarrassing. The guy who was in front of me, second to last, was making fun of me. He said, "Hey buddy, how does it feel to be last?" I replied, "You really want to know?" Then I dropped out of the race.

#### SOMETHING SMELLS

Q: What did the left eye say to the right eye? A: Between you and me, something smells.



To date Branch #256 Stony Plain has 431 paid up members for 2021, way to go Membership!! If you haven't already and are wondering how you can pay your dues easily, go to www.legion.ca and click on MEMBER LOG-IN on the top right hand corner which will take you to a page to CREATE YOUR ON-LINE PROFILE, click on that, you will need your membership number to do so. Create your on-line profile and you are on your way to being a paid up Legion member. Thank you from Branch #256 Stony Plain for your support during Covid-19. If you would like to contact the Membership Chair you can call or text Pat @ 780-908-5672

# Royal Canadian LEGION

# Best Jokes for Seniors

- Ah, the modern days...
   I just saw <u>a grandpa</u> help a
   youngster who was staring into
   his phone, to cross the street.
- 2. Patient: "Doctor, you have to help me, I think I can see in the future."

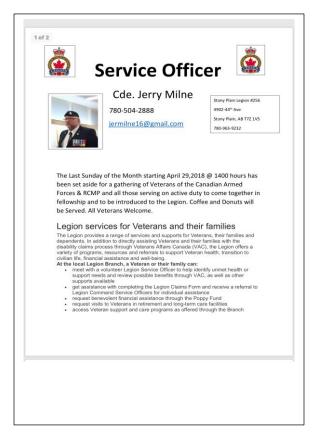
Doctor: "When did it start?" Patient: "Next Friday."

- Why aren't koalas <u>actual bears</u>?
   They don't meet the koalafications.
- What do Alexander the Great and <u>Winnie the Pooh</u> have in common? They have the same <u>middle</u> <u>name</u>.



If Help needed contact our service officer Jerry 780-504-2888.

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#### Quilts of Valour - Canada Quilts of Valour - Canada Group

Special thanks to the The Royal Canadian Legion - National Headquarters for their recent donation of \$20,000.00. Their continued support helps us fulfill our mission to ensure injured Canadian Armed Forces members (past and present) are recognized for their service and commitment to our country. We do this through the presentation of comfort quilts, lovingly made by volunteers from all across Canada!

For more information on Quilts of Valour and how you can support us, please visit our website! <a href="www.quiltsofvalour.ca">www.quiltsofvalour.ca</a> #RCL #quiltsofvalour #canadianveteran #VeteranAdvocacy #canadiancharity #lestweforget