

WELCOME TO 2022 AND MANDATORY QR CODES

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- to a mobile device, for example a smartphone or tablet
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BRANCH MEETINGS

**EXECUTIVE
TUESDAY
JAN 18TH
10:00 AM**

**MEMBERSHIP
MEETING
TUESDAY
JAN 25th
7pm**

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Tom's Humour Page

'Stella Awards'! For those unfamiliar with these awards, they are named after 81-year-old Stella Liebeck who spilled hot coffee on herself and successfully sued the McDonald's in New Mexico, where she purchased coffee. You remember, she took the lid off the coffee and put it between her knees while she was driving. Who would ever think one could get burned doing that, right? That's right; these are awards for the most outlandish lawsuits and verdicts in the U.S. You know, the kinds of cases that make you scratch your head.

*SEVENTH PLACE *

Kathleen Robertson of Austin, Texas was awarded \$80,000 by a jury of her peers after breaking her ankle tripping over a toddler who was running inside a furniture store. The store owners were understandably surprised by the verdict, considering the running toddler was her own son

* SIXTH PLACE *

Carl Truman, 19, of Los Angeles, California won \$74,000 plus medical expenses when his neighbour ran over his hand with a Honda Accord. Truman apparently didn't notice there was someone at the wheel of the car when he was trying to steal his neighbour's hubcaps.

* FIFTH PLACE *

Terrence Dickson, of Bristol, Pennsylvania, who was leaving a house he had just burglarized by way of the garage. Unfortunately for Dickson, the automatic garage door opener malfunctioned, and he could not get the garage door to open. Worse, he couldn't re-enter the house because the door connecting the garage to the house locked when Dickson pulled it shut. Forced to sit for eight, count 'em, EIGHT days and survive on a case of Pepsi and a large bag of dry dog food, he sued the homeowner's insurance company claiming undue mental anguish. Amazingly, the jury said the insurance company must pay Dickson \$500,000 for his anguish. We should all have this kind of anguish

*FOURTH PLACE *

Jerry Williams, of Little Rock, Arkansas, garnered 4th Place in the Stella's when he was awarded \$14,500 plus medical expenses after being bitten on the butt by his next-door neighbour's beagle - even though the beagle was on a chain in its owner's fenced yard. Williams did not get as much

as he asked for because the jury believed the beagle might have been provoked at the time of the butt bite because Williams had climbed over the fence into the yard and repeatedly shot the dog with a pellet gun.

* THIRD PLACE *

Amber Carson of Lancaster, Pennsylvania because a jury ordered a Philadelphia restaurant to pay her \$113,500 after she slipped on a spilled soft drink and broke her tailbone. The reason the soft drink was on the floor: Ms. Carson had thrown it at her boyfriend 30 seconds earlier during an argument. What ever happened to people being responsible for their own actions?

SECOND PLACE

Kara Walton, of Claymont, Delaware sued the owner of a night club in a nearby city because she fell from the bathroom window to the floor, knocking out her two front teeth. Even though Ms. Walton was trying to sneak through the ladies room window to avoid paying the \$3.50 cover charge, the jury said the night club had to pay her \$12,000....oh, yeah, plus dental expenses. Go figure.

* FIRST PLACE *

This year's runaway First Place Stella Award winner was: Mrs. Merv Grazinski, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, who purchased new 32-foot Winnebago motor home. On her first trip home, from an OU football game, having driven on to the freeway, she set the cruise control at 70 mph and calmly left the driver's seat to go to the back of the Winnebago to make herself a sandwich. Not surprisingly, the motor home left the freeway, crashed, and overturned. Also not surprisingly, Mrs. Grazinski sued Winnebago for not putting in the owner's manual that she couldn't actually leave the driver's seat while the cruise control was set. The Oklahoma jury awarded her, are you sitting down? \$1,750,000 PLUS a new motor home. Winnebago actually changed their manuals as a result of this suit, just in case Mrs. Grazinski has any relatives who might also buy a motor home.

**Wishing everyone a
Healthy & Happy New Year!**

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Happy New Year!

Entering our 3rd year for our Covid experience and I think we have done a good job of keeping our members and guests safe so far.

As you know starting January 4th all patrons entering the building will have to have scan their proof of vaccination QR code scanned, and Government issued photo ID to confirm it's you.

We have purchased 2 tablets, one for the Front entrance and one for the Lounge entrance.

The front cover is from the provincial website and gives some specifics. If you have your vaccinations but do not have your QR code we can help. We just need your OHIP card and postal code (shown on your Drivers licence) to download and print it.

You still must sign in and confirm that you don't have any Covid symptoms. If recently out of the country, you need to confirm that you have not been advised to quarantine.

Hopefully we all get through this alive!

Current COVID Restrictions: The Government has determined that with the current rise in COVID cases due to the Omicron version of the virus, that dancing will not be permitted at any events. We have moved back to 50% use of Halls A and B for specific events like Weddings, Wakes, and private functions. We have reduced capacity within the lounge.

No alcohol can be served after 10pm and all patrons must leave no later than 11pm.

Changing subjects, the new lectern, compliments of LaSalle Millwork, had its initial use at the 60th Anniversary Celebration. Thank you, Gerry Ciurysek, for making this happen!

Our 60th Anniversary turnout was less than 70 so dancing was allowed (before restrictions brought

back in). More details are in the Entertainment report.

Our Christmas Cheer Raffle was quite successful even though we did not sell out of tickets. Thank you to the volunteers and staff who sold over 800 tickets. The winners (shown later in the newsletter) were contacted and had their prizes before Christmas.

A new event for the Legion has been booked for Saturday January 8th. Jeff Doan and friends have organized a "Corn Hole: Tournament. Sixty-Four 2 person teams will be playing in a double knockout tournament in Halls A&B. Proceeds will be given to charity! Our Legion has waived the hall fee and is a sponsor as well.

Com Morris Brause has returned from vacation and is very enthusiastic for the coming year.

Many committee meetings are scheduled for the first week back. Meeting dates are in the committee reports in the newsletter

Honours & Awards committee will be meeting soon to catch up on awards for 2021 and 2022. If you have a person in mind who should be recognized please contact Konrad. The 2021 Remembrance Season and annual Poppy Campaign has come and gone.

Lastly, I wish to thank our Executive team for their work over the last 18 months of service. These months are over and above what we were elected to but as Covid entered our lives and nominations and elections have been postponed by Dominion Command throughout the country

Their dedication and commitment to our Veterans, Serving Members, their Families and our Communities is an inspiration.

THANK YOU!

Tom Friesen
President, Metropolitan Branch 594

MEMBERSHIP

Metropolitan Branch 594 currently has Total Membership of 408.

Consisting of: Life 5, Ordinary 91, Associate 223, Affiliate Voting 87 and Affiliate Non-Voting 1

Members renewed Year 2022 and beyond : **321**

Not yet -Renewed for 2022: **87**

If **not Renewed by December 31, 2021**, expired members will get a Friendly Reminder Letter in January.

Note we have members who are staying home to minimize Covid exposure. We can accept payment by credit card over the phone during normal business hours. (During busy periods we may have to get your number and call you back)

The Legion is pleased to extend our 1-year free membership for Veterans to their families.

The Veteran Family Welcome Program is open to spouses and adult children of CAF or RCMP serving members and Veterans who have not yet joined the Legion. This program is a great way to get to know the organization and share your support for Canada's Veterans.

Being a Legion member offers opportunities to improve the lives of those who served, remember the Fallen, and support your community — and every member makes a difference. To get more involved with Legion activities in your community and to add your voice to our advocacy efforts and the future of the Legion, apply through Dominion Command's Veteran Welcome Program and bring your membership card to any Legion Branch to request a transfer to that Branch.

To apply, please complete the Veteran Welcome Program
Registration Form <http://www.legion.ca/welcome>

Brian Robinson, Membership Chair

Changed your address, phone number, email address?

Please send changes, by email to:

membershipbr594@gmail.com



TREASURER'S REPORT

Business has been very steady at your branch for the months of November and December even with the capacity limits due to Covid-19.

We have once again applied for the "New Horizons for Seniors" grant from the federal government with an announcement of the successful applicants expect in March. We asked for funding for the following five projects:

1. Supply new larger TV monitors in the lounge to the replace smaller ones that are soon coming to the end of their lifecycle (10 years old).

2. Supply a new electric Steam Table so we have a third one for use at multiple functions when we use all three rooms. (note the 2 existing are a long way from new)
3. Upgrade lighting in Halls A&B with dimmable energy efficient units similar to the ones recently installed in the lounge under a previous New Horizons for Seniors Grant.
4. Upgrade security camera system to cameras to new areas.
5. Add window tinting to the windows in Halls A&B to block the strong sunlight.

Letters of support for this funding have been received from our local MP, MPP and Mayor so we are hopeful for a positive outcome of our application.

Please continue to patronize your branch to keep us financially healthy.

Jim McGhie, Treasurer

PROPERTY

Under the leadership of our Third Vice President, Larry Williams, the garage has been cleaned and our lawn equipment and lawn mowers will receive some maintenance over the winter period.

We look forward to Spring and the tulips springing up in the gardens.

On behalf of all our membership, we want to thank our volunteers for their dedication to maintaining a great looking Branch yard and gardens. See you next season!

Report submitted by: Comrades Janet Ciurysek and Morris Brause, Co-Chairs of the Gardening Committee; and our wonderful Third Vice President, Larry Williams (in charge of indoor and outdoor property).

REMINDERS

1. Smoking in the front entrance of the building is still a problem.
The only smoking areas will be on the two patios in the rear of the building.
2. We are on an elaborate septic system that is designed to process your poop, your pee and the biodegradable toilet paper. Anything else causes problems!
IF ITS NOT #1 OR #2 OR TP DON'T FLUSH IT DOWN

Youth Education & Bursaries

2021 - 2022 SCHOLASTIC YEAR NOW OPEN

The 2021/22 Bursary Program opens this September when Students are physically on Campus.

The deadline to apply is the last Friday of March 2022

The Bursary Program is designed to assist those students who are entering or continuing their post secondary education (including courses and training programs of a technical and vocational nature) and pursue the same course throughout their academic years.

Approved bursary assistance is not based upon scholastic standing but rather on the successful admission status to a post-secondary institution or successful completion of one or more years leading to a recognized degree, diploma, or certificate.

The Bursary Program is funded through the Ontario Command Branches and Ladies' Auxiliaries Charitable Foundation.

Ontario Command branches, and our Auxiliaries, raise funds for the Bursary Program through Poppy Tagging, and other activities such as Bingo, Break Open Tickets, Banquets and Clubhouse Operations.

IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY ATTENDING HIGH SCHOOL, YOU CANNOT APPLY UNTIL YOU ARE PHYSICALLY ON CAMPUS IN THE FALL.

For complete details refer to: <https://www.on.legion.ca/remembrance/youth-programs/bursaries>

KITCHEN REPORT

Craig's Kitchen has done a great job for our patrons and the Legion over the last year. One of the favorites was the schnitzel dinner so on Sunday Jan 16th it will be back!

Fish, Chicken & Rib Dinners resume on Friday Jan 7th

5030 Howard Ave Tecumseh, 226-347-4253

Craig's Kitchen at
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January
16
Sunday

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WAYS & MEANS

In December we had only one Spaghetti Dinner to allow our volunteers holiday time with their families!

I wish to thank all the volunteers and our patrons for making this event possible.

At our last Spaghetti dinner for 2021. Carol Boroski and Emma Ross made deserts that were enjoyed by all!!
Thanks Carol & Emma!!!

Veronica Friesen
Ways & Means Chair



A vibrant flyer for a spaghetti dinner fundraiser. The background is a mix of red and cream. At the top, the word "SPAGHETTI" is written in large, red, outlined letters. Below it, a plate of spaghetti with meat sauce is the central focus, surrounded by images of tomatoes splashing, a bottle of wine, and a plate of bread. The text "DINNER" is written in large, red, outlined letters below the spaghetti. To the left, the text "TUESDAY January 11th & 25th" is written in bold black letters. To the right, the menu items and prices are listed: "RICH TOMATO BASIL MEAT SAUCE", "FRESH GARDEN SALAD", "FRESH DINNER ROLLS", "ONLY \$10.00", "Legion Members \$9.00", and "\$3.00 CHILDREN 6 & UNDER". At the bottom, the event details are provided: "ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR 594", "5030 HOWARD AVE, TECUMSEH, ON", "519-969-0551", and "WWW.RCL594.COM". A red spoon and a red fork are also visible on the flyer.

SPAGHETTI

TUESDAY
January
11th & 25th

DINNER
BRANCH FUNDRAISER
4:30PM - 6:30PM

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BRANCH SPORTS

Branch Leagues

- Mondays: Afternoon & Night League.
- Tuesdays: Pepper has been temporarily suspended.
- Wednesdays: Pepper has been temporarily suspended.
No word from Men's Evening Darts
- Thursdays: Cribbage Pepper, setup at noon play starts at 1pm.
Every other week starting Jan 6th
Pool Luck of the Draw
- Fridays Darts (4 boards, every other week) resumes Jan 7th
- Saturdays Mixed Darts resume Jan 8th

Note all official Legion Sports Competitions at Zone, District, Provincial & Dominion have been cancelled for 2021. Hope the 2022 pandemic allows their return

WEBSITE

Lots of information on www.rcl594.com

Brian Robinson, webmaster

2715 RCACC



Unfortunately, due to the high number of local COVID 19 cases lately, the military has decided to suspend all in person Cadet training once again, at least until the numbers start to go down.

Cadets will continue with online training.

Jim McGhie, Cadet Liaison, 519-979-8904, mcghie@mnsi.net

Royal Canadian Legion
Metropolitan Branch 594



HOLIDAY CHEER

RAFFLE

\$5

\$5

DECEMBER 20TH

Draw 5PM



Winners

\$500 Shannon Gibb #0976

\$300 Pam Hartley #0853

\$200 Dawn Hazael #0289

lic # M843414

Minimum 19 yrs of age. Need not be present to win

SENIORS COMMITTEE

The Seniors Committee continues to meet monthly to plan events. Morris Brause was away for a month and Shirley Jinkerson volunteered to Chair the Committee for the last month.

Thanks Shirley!

- a. **Seniors Dinner and Dances:** recommenced on Monday, 6 December and ran from 3-7pm. Since dancing was permitted, we were able to book up to 70 people at a time. The cost is \$15 for the dinner and dance and \$3 if you just want to dance. Shirley Jinkerson volunteered to be the person-in-charge for organizing the volunteers to run this event each Monday night. Barb Hooper has been out again and helping with her favourite Legion activity. Another DJ team has been employed until after the COVID pandemic is completed.

Unfortunately, dancing has been cut out, again, due to increases in the Omicron version of COVID! It was decided that there would be no raffle draws during the Seniors Dances. Brian Robinson assisted in setting up a registration system to make it easier to track who was attending the meals and in case there was a need to contact people. This spreadsheet greatly assisted Shirley in contacting people if and when changes occurred. Archie Neilson helped sell the fundraising tickets for the LCBO draw that occurred on Monday, 20 December. Seasons Retirement Home wants to also recommence attendance in January 2022 with a limit of 6 people in their vehicle including the driver. **DINNER DANCES ARE PRESENTLY ON HOLD AND WILL NOT TAKE PLACE FOR THE FIRST TWO WEEKS. WE WILL REVIEW AGAIN AND DETERMINE OUR NEXT STEP THEN.**

- b. **Annual Seniors Christmas Dinner:** Was conducted on Monday, 20 December 2021. However, with the change of no dancing there were approximately 50 who attended and enjoyed the dinner. There was some confusion on whether the Dinner was cancelled or just the dance portion which caused some additional contacting of people. Even some of the members of the Committee were a bit confused or not contacted. It was agreed that in cases like this, the Committee must meet, even by telephone, to make a decision and then forward that officially to the Executive. It would be recommended in the future that a short set of Minutes or a Record of Decisions be made.
- c. Comrade Morris Brause as the Chair of this group, thanks Shirley and the team for their great work during his absence.

Next Meeting of the Committee: the next official meeting will occur on Wednesday January 5th where the members will plan the January to April timeframe for the speaker's series and entertainment for the Seniors.

RCL Branch 594 Seniors' Committee:

Chair: Morris Brause; Committee Members: Barb Hooper, Sue Robinson, Archie Neilson, Beth Abson, Shirley Jinkerson, and Peggy Cardonna.

We look forward to your views, wishes and advice. If you wish to join the committee, please contact Morris at: 519-965-0749 or e-mail: morbrause@gmail.com

SERVICE OFFICERS REPORT

**If you know of a veteran in need, please let me know!
Archie Neilson, Branch Service Officer**

Our Mission is to serve Veterans, which includes serving military and RCMP members and their families, to promote Remembrance and to serve our communities and our country

Disability Benefit Process

- VAC First Application
- VAC Departmental Review
- VRAB Review Hearing
- VRAB Appeal Hearing
- VRAB Request for Reconsideration

We at Royal Canadian Legion are able to do same level of work. We submit the First Application

- We co-represent with Bureau of Pension Advocates
 - Assist with preparation of evidence
 - Prepare individual(s) for in-person appearance
 - Attend Review Board Hearing
- Service Officers at Dominion Command level specialize in Appeals.

Categories of Veterans who may qualify for VAC Benefits

- WWII – Canadian and Overseas Service
- Korea
- Merchant Navy
- Regular Force / Reserve Force – Still Serving, Released, Special Duty Area
- RCMP – Still serving and Released

Branch Members Celebrating JANUARY Birthdays

Beth Abson, Kenneth Balkwill, Susan Baxter, Linda Belair, David Beneteau, Brian Bobbie, Gerald Bondy, Carol Boroski, Catherine Collins-Barker, Sandra Conley, Louis Driessen, Kenneth Ferguson, Leo Gallant, Dereck Hawco, Albert E Hazael, Brenda Hernandez, Barbara Hooper, Cole Hughes, Michael Kales, John Kennedy, Shawn Killop, Gary Levi, Ruthann Lumb, Daniel MacDonald, Gary Marshall, David Masse, David Moncur, Robert Morency, Teddy Seagull, Don Semande, Robin Lynn Shepherd, Rodney Skill, Allan Smith, Katherine Soulliere, John Stafford and Carey Trepanier

Hope your birthdays are great!

BAR REPORT

Randy Soulliere, Bar Chair

We have seen a bit of a decline in sales the last few weeks (approximately 15-20%) mainly due to less events being held on a weekly basis and also due to our new local restrictions being in place.

We had added a 12-ounce bowl of Chili and cheddar cheese, to our daily lunches for \$5.75 taxes incl to go along with our usual BBQ.

There will be a bartenders meeting held the first week of January (date still being finalized) to review our last year and put in some improved processes and procedures.

Morris Brause has volunteered to assist me taking Inventory on January 2nd at 9 am .

Thank you to all our Volunteers for preparing the lunches and to our Customers who support us!

Happy New Year to everyone



**WINTER
LEGION LUNCHES**
NOON- 2:00PM WEEKDAYS
1/3 LB CHEESEBURGER & CHIPS \$7.25
1/3 LB HAMBURGER & CHIPS \$6.50
SAUSAGE & CHIPS \$ \$5.00
HOT DOG & CHIPS \$4.50
NEW \$5.00 CHILI & A BUN

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ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM

Com Bob Hart, Chair

After 22month break, The Branch celebrated our 60th Anniversary with a dinner/dance (we had under 70 so dancing was allowed). Joining us in our celebration were our MP, Irek Kusmierczyk. District A Commander Mark Rogers and Zone Commander Jim Dunn with his wife Elaine. Irek presented us with certificate of recognition on our 60 years of service to our Veterans & the Community.

Craig put on a great dinner of Caesar Salad, Chicken Parmesan, Bowtie pasta with Marinara Sauce and a delicious desert.

We were entertained by "FINAL CHAPTER, 60'S LIVE" whose tunes brought the dancers to the floor.

Talking to people and watching them, if they weren't dancing, they were humming with the music

13 door prizes were given out from vary of donors.

Next committee meeting is scheduled for 9:30AM Tuesday Jan 4th. We will be working on February 14, 2022, for Valentines Dinner/Dance after the holidays, Brand X will provide the entertainment that night.

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HOSPITAL

We have many Legion members and friends that can no longer come to the Branch in person would love to hear from us.

Branch Pastor, Rev. *Catherine (Cathy) Collins-Barker* our chairperson has agreed to visit our hospitalized members if they agree. Visitations could be in person or by phone, email, Facebook... as the situation requires and Covid protocols allow.

This committee would also arrange for flowers as directed by your Branch Executive.

If you can help, we would love to hear from you!

Please contact us in person or through email, website, or a note in the comment box in the lobby.

Note we can only report after families give us permission

WINDSOR VETERANS MEMORIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

Funeral Services are being performed at the request of the Veteran's family through the funeral homes.

Recent funerals have been gravesite services.

From June 1st, 2021, until Dec 30th, 2021, we have lost:

51 Veterans, 30 Comrades & have performed at 11 funeral services.

Next meeting is scheduled on Wednesday Jan 19th

Ron Bisnaire WVMSC Chair, (*information provided by R&D Deguire*)



POPPY REPORT

The balance in the Poppy Trust Fund at the end of November 2021 was \$76,894.04.

I'm pleased to announce that the 2021 Poppy Campaign raised an amazing amount of \$60,067.90. Congratulations to everyone involved in the Campaign this year.

A Poppy Committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday Jan 19th at 10am.

If you wish to be part of this committee, please contact me.

Gerry Ciurysek Branch 594 Poppy Trust Fund Chair.



JANUARY

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tues</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
					31 NEW YEARS EVE Open 12 -6	1 NEW YEARS DAY CLOSED
2 CLOSED	3 Open 12-10 BBQ 12-2 POOL League	4 Open 12-8 BBQ 12-2pm	5 Open 12-8 BBQ 12-2pm	6 Open 12-10 BBQ 12-2pm POOL Luck of Draw	7 Open 12-10 BBQ 12-2pm Dinner 4-7PM DARTS 7:30	8 Open 12-10 Corn Hole Tourney Mixed Dart League
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