

# Royal Canadian Legion Br. 340

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Inside this issue you will find.... what is happening this month... general information and a wee bit of humor too. We welcome your articles and will be more than glad to insert them in future issues. Thanks to those who have submitted in the past.

## Blue Jay Game

On behalf of the Blue Jay bus gang, I would like to thank Blair Eby for organizing our bus trip to see an excellent game against the Yankees; the comradery and coach bus was excellent and we look forward to another trip next year. Also, we thank Blair for the donation made to the legion from the bus trip.

Go Blue Jays

Norma Dudgeon

## Ladies Auxiliary

The Legion was founded in November 1925 in Winnipeg and chartered in July 1926 by special Act of Parliament. However, veteran's welfare and assistance had been carried on since 1916. During the 1914-1918 war years as wounded veterans returned home, women were asked to help with their recovery by visiting hospitals, sending parcels to the hospitalized and to needy families. These ladies served the veterans and their dependents. Thus, our Ladies' Auxiliary unofficially became a reality! Ontario Command have 292 Auxiliaries with 13,731 members.



## Upcoming Events

### September 1

General Meeting at 7:30 pm

### September 8

L/A General Meeting at  
7:30pm

### September 12

Restart Saturday Euchre at  
1:30pm

## Important Announcement

Anyone wishing to contribute to the Branch Line, please submit to Andrew Reinhart at [andyreinhart@hotmail.com](mailto:andyreinhart@hotmail.com)



The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary shall be available to assist the Branch in its activities. As the individual Branches are the most important element in the structure of the Royal Canadian Legion, thus the Ladies' Auxiliary becomes a very integral part of the work of the Legion at all levels. Becoming an Auxiliary member can be a very rewarding experience. Our Auxiliary goals are important to us, but so are our members! Therefore, they ensure that activities are planned for you to enjoy as well. It is recognized that not everyone wants to or can give the same time commitment to the Auxiliary, but we are grateful for whatever time you can spare to assist with the work of this great national organization.

## Members Needed

Port Elgin Branch 340 is looking for new members to join the Ladies Auxiliary. If you are interested, please contact L/A President Brenda Collins and she will be more than happy to provide an application form for you. Application forms are also available with the Bar Steward.

### Provincial Service Officer Kim Dolan

The Service Officer will be visiting the 21-25 of September.

Deadline for meeting arrangements is 31 August. For a meeting call Donelda Thede 519-832-2807 for Br. 340, Rick Dobson 519-353-3457 for Paisley Br., Doug Nelson 519-832-9342 for Southampton Br.

Karen Addison: Cheap Date

He took me to McDonald's, backed his car through the drive-through window, so the cashier could be on my side.

Our Facebook page is currently unused the PRO will update as required.

Our webpage is being updated and will be regularly. If you wish your committee posters to be included on the webpage please email the poster to the PRO at andyreinhardt@hotmail.com .



## Around the Branch

### Early Bird

September 1<sup>st</sup> the Early Bird membership drive is on until 30 November

### Legion Week

Legion Week is 20 – 26 September.

### Zone Golf

September 27<sup>th</sup>

### Pumpkinfest BBQ

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> of October  
6:00 pm

### Pumpkinfest Breakfast

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> of October  
starting at 7:00 am until Noon

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> of October  
starting at 8:00 am until Noon

### Pumpkinfest Entertainment

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> of October Live  
Entertainment in the  
Canteen 8:00 pm until  
Midnight

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
		1 Ladies Card Group 1:30 pm General Meeting 7:30 pm	2 Bingo 7:30 pm	3 Euchre 7:30 pm	4 Dance Club 8:00 pm BR. BBQ 6:00 pm	5 Meat Draw 4:00 pm
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20	21	22 Ladies Card Group 1:30 pm	23 Bingo 7:30 pm	24 Euchre 7:30 pm	25 Dance Club 8:00 pm	26 Euchre 1:30 pm
27	28	29 Ladies Card Group 1:30 pm Exec Meeting 7:30 pm	30 Bingo 7:30 pm			

# Cenotaph Artwork Price List

Items are available with either the '**Royal Canadian. Legion or Auxiliary Crest**'. Prices are subject to change upon availability of items.

Coffee Mug	\$15.00	
Apron	\$25.00	
T-Shirt or Golf Shirt	\$24.00	(Size Small, Medium, Large & X-Lg)
T-Shirt or Golf Shirt	\$27.00	(Size XXL plus)
Canvas Bags	\$15.00	
Stationary	\$15.00	10 pack of cards and envelopes

## **PRINTS – Double matted, non-glare glass and solid wood frame**

8 x 10	\$ 49.00	
11 x 14	\$129.00	
16x20	\$169.00	
5 x 7	\$20.00-	single matting and plastic frame

Many more promotional items are available for printing. If you're looking for something special, just ask! Sweatshirts will be available soon.

Contact Information - Elizabeth/Blair Eby

#519-832.-3133 or [bizebys@gmail.com](mailto:bizebys@gmail.com)

A Viewing stand is in the Canteen

# The Rolling Stones Show

September 26th Chesley Community Centre

Sponsored by Chesley Legion

**Tickets \$25**

Available at Denomy's TV & Appliances; Rona/B&L Farm;

Chesley Legion Branch #144 or by calling **519-363-2788**

**Tickets limited to 225 so get Your Tickets Early to avoid disappointment**

Hot Rocks is Canada's number one Rolling Stones tribute band! Based in Toronto, the Rolling Stones "home away from home", Hot Rocks features lead singer Bob Wotherspoon, North America's most look-alike Mick Jagger, and performs all of the Rolling Stones' greatest hits along with his band who look and perform remarkably like their Rolling Stones counterparts in every way – Keith, Ronnie, Charlie and Bill. In their ten year career Hot Rocks have played across Canada and the U.S. And as far away as South America to audiences who say it's the next best thing to seeing The Rolling Stones!

