

LEGION NEWS

By: Sharon Graham P.R.O. ~ Branch 197



Preston legion had a visit to the Branch on Saturday, April 29, they had a great time. Thank you to the BBQ crew for the delicious burgers.

Check the boards behind the bar for upcoming events. We invite people to join our Legion. If you are 18 you are eligible to join. Pick up an application at bar or at legion.ca under membership section.

May 19 dinner is chicken schnitzel, salad and vegetable tickets are on sale at the bar. Everyone is welcome.

The next general meeting is our election on May 8 at 8 p.m.

May 4 is our Candlelight Walk. We meet at the Hide House or St Alban's Anglican Church for 6:30 p.m. and march to the cenotaph at 6:50 p.m. We hope to see lots of the students and members come out to meet our veterans.

Please do not forget to wear red on Fridays. It is very important and we need to support our troops. If you wear red on Fridays, your name will be entered for a draw and you will have a chance to win a prize. On a Thursday why not come to the Branch and play euchre? Our ladies auxiliary hosts euchre every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. It is a way to meet people or mingle with the ones you know plus it is lots of fun. If you are not sure how to play euchre they can show you.

Ladies Auxiliary

Thursday, May, 4 is the Silent Candlelight Walk and the LA members will meet at the St Alban's Anglican Church parking lot at 6:30 p.m. and then will proceed to the cenotaph for a short service. Bring \$5 for your candle

which will be placed at the cenotaph in memory of our veterans. Everyone is welcome back to Branch for refreshments.

Sunday, May 7 at 1 p.m. Main Hall Legion there will be a Celebration of Life for Fern Shultis. The LA will hold a tribute and the Branch members are welcome to join in the tribute. Fern was a Past President to the LA, Life Member and 69 years of service to the LA as well as a 31-year member of the branch. She is truly missed by the LA. and we send our sincere condolences to her family. LA members please try to attend.

Monday, May 8 is Branch Elections please volunteer to help with the dinner.

Thursday, May 11 is the LA's Election night so please come out and vote and perhaps you could volunteer for a position. If you cannot make the meeting and wish to run for a position, please see me for the form. You cannot be nominated unless you sign this form. To all our shut-in's and members under the weather we are thinking about you and hope you are on the mend.

Next general meeting May 11 at 7:30 p.m.

WORD ON THE STREET

With Jane Dougan

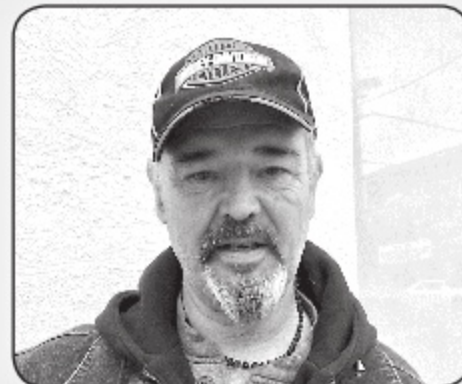
"What do you think of Kevin O'Leary dropping out of the Conservative leadership race?"



David Ouderkirk: "Because the gas bag down south became President, he thought he, being similar, could also lead a country."



Dave Weaver: "I didn't know that he'd dropped out. Maybe he figured he was better at investing his money instead of spending Canadian tax dollars."



William Dalzell: "I was actually disappointed. I thought a businessman running might have had business interest skills in how to look after our money."



Andrea Hazard: "I think it was a giant publicity stunt for him. I don't think he was ever serious."

FIRE REPORT

Monday, April 17

At 12:32 p.m. Fire fighters responded to an alarm activation on Commerce Cr in Acton. Prior to arrival on scene, fire staff was advised this was a false call. On scene fire staff met with building personnel who advised that the alarm was caused by burnt toast.

At 4:28 p.m. Fire fight-

ers responded to the report of a possible kitchen fire on Beardmore Cr in Acton. On scene fire staff entered the home and investigated the kitchen using a thermal imaging camera, and found no signs of extension. Staff then ventilated the house. There was no damage to the stove or kitchen.

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I am personally thankful to all the community for the great support over the years and giving me and my family a wonderful experience of Canadian culture and small community warmth. For me and my family Acton is our home town, as both our boys were born and grew up in Acton.

My warm thanks to all my customers and friends.

Thanks,

Sanjiv Mehta (Sunny)
Owner operator

See you all at Achilles Mazda Milton, as this is my new venture in life.

Celebration of Life for Fern Shultis

Acton Legion Main Hall
1 to 3 p.m.
on
Sunday May 7

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