

Last Post

Sadly, we announce the passing of:

CDE. ROBERT (ROBBIE) McDONALD

CDE. EILEEN HELGASON



MARCH
2022



Prince Edward Branch #91
Building For Our Future
Over 1000 Paid Members and Growing



Friendliest Branch in Western Canada

**ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH # 91
PRINCE EDWARD 2021 EXECUTIVE**

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Branch Executive Meeting:

Wednesday before General Meeting

5:30 p.m.

Branch General Meeting:

4th Monday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.

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ARE YOU READY TO DANCE?

Royal Canadian Legion

761 Station Ave. (Langford)

PRESENTS

March 18, 2022



Tickets sold at the bar \$15 in advance or \$20 at door

Doors open 7pm

Dance 8pm

For more information please contact the bar @ 250 478-8365

Piece of ID and Vaccination card required for entry

Saturday March 5, 2022

SPECIAL 5 -7:30pm

Wings and 17oz Mug Draft Beer

Come for dinner

Regular menu available too

\$14.95



Play for free

Music Bingo Starts at 7pm

Special Night with

RON KING

Try your chance at the lock box Cash Prize

All Genres of music 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's, 90's & 2K

**Everyone is Welcome
at the Langford Legion**

Any questions give us a
call @ 250-478-8365 or

Check us out @
www.rcl.ca

**Bring your friends and
enjoy the fun!**

LEGION

The Prince Edward Legion #91 acknowledges the
Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, the Scia'new First
Nation and the T'Sou-ke First Nation, on whose
traditional territories our Legion activities take place.



**CRIB &
EUCHRE**

**Thursday
Afternoon Cards**

COME FOR LUNCH 12-2PM

START PLAY AT 2PM

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION #91

761 STATION AVE

250-478-1828

1st Vice President's Report
Langford Legion, Branch 91,
February, 2022

1st Vice President Report

Two years ago, our lives dramatically changed when COVID came to Canada. Since then, all of us have sacrificed things to keep ourselves our families and our comrades safe, we have lost friends, for some lost family to this pandemic and other medical issues. But with restrictions starting to relax there is light at the end of the tunnel and if we are patient and follow health directives life will get back to normal.

You're elected Executive has worked above and beyond to keep things running smoothly. A lot of progress has been made towards the future upgrading of our branch as most of you will see this Saturday at the open house.

The building committee has worked very hard in getting this open house ready and we hope that you like and support what you see. I know there are some who were hoping we were going to be putting up a brand-new building unfortunately the cost of that endeavor was too expensive, and it would have been irresponsible of us to try and present that to you the membership. We're hoping that construction will start very soon which will involve a two-stage renovation so that we will be able to continue to use the branch.

Our two-tier pricing is now in place with of course the lower price being for those members who are paid up in good standing and the regular price for everyone else. Remember if you want the member price you must show your membership card to the bartender.

A big thank you to Bea LeBlanc, Keith Waters and all the volunteers for their hard work in helping keep the branch running during COVID-19.



LANGFORD
LEGION
ST. PATRICK'S DAY

March 17, 2022

Dinner Special

Irish Stew \$9.95
with Paddy's Pudding for Dessert

Irish Drink Special
available through out the day.

Come in and find out what they are!

WE HAVE GUINNESS!



LANGFORD LEGION

761 STATION AVE

Thurs March 17, 2022
3-5PM

BACK IN ACTION



COME OUT FOR AN AFTERNOON
OF GREAT MUSIC

1st Vice President's Report (Cont'd)

Enough cannot be said for the hard work that your President Norm Scott and the volunteer manager Tammy Shiells has done in the office helping to organize events large and small in conjunction with Ways and Means.

Now that things have been relaxed for those who haven't visited the branch in awhile, please come down, see your comrades, have a libation and have a few laughs it'll be worth it.

Just remember though for now you still have to show your vaccine passport and wear a mask when not sitting at your table.

Yours in comradeship
Richard Walker CD
First vice President



☘ Happy ☘
St. Patrick's Day

CLASS ACTION REGARDING ANNUAL ADJUSTMENT OF BENEFITS ADMINISTERED BY VETERANS AFFAIRS CANADA	
<p><i>Manuge et al. v. Her Majesty the Queen</i> Court No. T-119-19</p> <p>The Federal Court has certified a class proceeding involving alleged underpayments of certain benefits administered by Veterans Affairs Canada ("VAC") and payable to members or former members of the Canadian Armed Forces ("CAF") or Royal Canadian Mounted Police ("RCMP") and their spouses, common-law partners, survivors, and other persons. If you received, at any time between 2002 and the present, any of the awards and benefits listed at Schedule "A", you may be a member of the Class. Eligible estates of persons who received, at any time between 2002 and present, any of the awards and benefits listed at Schedule "A" may also be class members. If the class proceeding succeeds at trial, or is settled, class members may be entitled to a payment.</p> <p>WHAT IS THE CLASS ACTION ABOUT? VAC administers certain benefits, which must be annually adjusted.</p> <p>The Plaintiffs and the Class claim the Defendant miscalculated annual adjustment rates from 2002 to the present, resulting in underpayments to Class members. The class proceeding seeks damages for underpayments that occurred because of the calculation errors.</p> <p>WHO ARE THE CLASS MEMBERS? The Federal Court has defined the Class as:</p> <p>All members and former members of the Canadian Armed Forces and Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and their spouses, common-law partners, dependants, survivors, orphans, and any other individuals, including eligible estates of all such persons, who received, at any time between 2002 and the present, disability pensions, disability awards and other benefits from the Defendant that were affected by the annual adjustment of the basic pension under section 75 of the Pension Act including, but not limited to, the awards and benefits listed at Schedule "A":</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Pension Act</i>: pension for disability; pension for death; attendance allowance; allowance for wear and tear of clothing or for specially made apparel; and exceptional incapacity allowance; • <i>Veterans Well-being Act</i>: disability award; and clothing allowance; • <i>Veterans Well-being Regulations</i>: remuneration of an escort; • <i>Veterans Health Care Regulations</i>: remuneration of an escort, treatment allowance; • <i>Veterans Review and Appeal Board Act</i>: compassionate award; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Civilian War-related Benefits Act</i>: war pensions and allowances for salt water fishers, overseas headquarters staff, air raid precautions workers, and injury for remedial treatment of various persons and voluntary aid detachment (World War II); • <i>Children of Deceased Veterans Education Assistance Act</i>: monthly allowance for education; and • <i>Flying Accidents Compensation Regulations</i>: flying accidents compensation. <p>The CAF and RCMP veterans who commenced the class proceeding and who act as representative plaintiffs on behalf of the Class are Dennis Mamuge, Raymond Toth, Betty Brousse, Brenton MacDonald, Jean-François Pelletier, and David White.</p> <p>WHAT DO I NEED TO DO TO TAKE PART? All Class Members have the right to participate in the class proceeding. You are automatically included in the proceeding and bound by the results <i>unless</i> you opt-out. If you do <i>not</i> opt-out, you will be eligible to receive a payment from a settlement or judgment in favour of the class. You do not need to do anything if you wish to participate. <i>If you wish to opt-out</i>, you must sign and deliver an Opt-Out Coupon available from any of the lawyers listed below or posted on the case website. If you wish to opt-out, you must send a signed Opt-Out Coupon to any of the lawyers listed below by no later than 31 March 2022. If you opt-out, you will <i>not</i> be eligible to receive any payment from a settlement or judgment in favour of the class.</p> <p>WHO ARE THE LAWYERS FOR THE CLASS? The lawyers for the class ("Class Counsel") are:</p> <p>Gowling WLG (Canada) LLP (Toronto); Michel Drapeau Law Office (Ottawa); Murphy Battista LLP (Kelowna); Koskie Minsky LLP (Toronto); McInnes Cooper (Halifax).</p> <p>You can obtain more information about the class proceeding at the website created by Class Counsel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://www.vetspensionerror.ca/ <p>DO I NEED TO PAY ANYTHING? You do not need to pay any legal fees. If the case is unsuccessful, there will be no legal fees. If the case succeeds, whether at trial or by settlement, counsel will be paid at their regular hourly rates for any amount recovered up to \$165 million. If the amount recovered exceeds \$165 million, Class Counsel may receive a scaled fee of up to 30% of any amounts recovered above \$165 million. The Federal Court must approve Class Counsel's fees and any settlement of the class proceeding.</p>



FREE SIMPLE INCOME TAX

For Legion members and Veterans in the Western Communities.

Please contact

Jeannie Caspersen at

jcjcaspersen76@gmail.com

Or through the office.



Due to COVID-19 mask must be worn at appointment(s).

Royal Canadian Legion
Prince Edward Br #91
761 Station Ave



Royal Bay
Charters

New Electronic Reader Sign Fundraiser

1 for \$5 Or 3 for \$10

1000 tickets to be sold 1 for \$5

4500 tickets to be sold 3 for \$10

Early Bird Draw

Draw May 7, 2022 @ 4:30pm

Labatt's Budweiser painted Guitar



Final Draw July 1, 2022 @ 4:30pm

1st Prize: Fishing Charter for up to 4 people

2nd Prize: Phillips Brewery custom painted Bar Fridge

3rd Prize: \$350 Gift Card for Spa Alita

If you are able to help with selling tickets outside the branch please contact Tammy
In the office or call 250-478-1828 for more details

Every 2nd Friday
of the Month
7:30 PM

LANGFORD LEGION KARAOKE NIGHT

Great variety of music, with
over 44,000 songs to sing

Everyone welcome
Provincial Health Guidelines
are followed.

Come out and show us
what you got.



Chaplain's Corner

March 2022

As the world sits fixed to their TV screens watching attacks, failures, catastrophic events - we ask ourselves; what happened, who are the good guys?

" John 13:35 (NKJV)

35 By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

What does this look like? How to show God's care?

"1 John 4:8 (NKJV)

8 He who does not love does not know God, for God is love."

Our hope is in this Great Love, Great Kindness, Great Forgiveness, Great Kingdom. Glorious Saviour!!

As we consider the harsh realities around us, let's remember to choose Truth, Love, Kindness and Endeavour; stand against evil.

As we remember many heroes who have walked this road before, let us take courage that the ultimate reward far outweighs the short-term costs.

Lest we forget!

Cecil, Denise & family



\$35^{ea.}

IDOLS & ICONS

MICK DALLA-VEE

**Purchase tickets for dinner &
Show before March 28, 2022
At the bar**



Dinner :

Chicken & Ribs,
Mashed potato, Coleslaw

Elton John 🎵 The Beatles 🎵 Elvis 🎵 Roy Orbison 🎵 Eagles
Creedence Clearwater Revival 🎵 Neil Diamond 🎵 Everly Brothers
and so much more!

Dinner & Show

One Night Only - April 1, 2022

Dinner at 6:00pm - Show to Follow

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 91
761 Station Ave, Victoria, BC V9B 2S1

No refunds

Just the show: 7:00pm entry - \$20 at door

SoMajorGraphics

Proof of vaccination with piece of Picture ID required!

BUSINESS HOURS

MON.	NOON	-TO-	11 PM
TUES.	NOON	-TO-	11 PM
WED.	NOON	-TO-	11 PM
THUR.	NOON	-TO-	11 PM
FRI.	NOON	-TO-	MIDNIGHT
SAT.	NOON	-TO-	11 PM
SUN.	11 AM	-TO-	5 PM

—▶ **THANK YOU** ◀—

NO Shirt!

NO Shoes!

NO Shot!



NO ENTRY!

If you do not have proof of your vaccinations you are
NOT ALLOWED TO ENTER!

Covid-19 House Rules are still in effect!

If you refuse this policy we will call the police.

Thank you for your support
RCL #91 Staff and Management



LANGFORD LEGION

761 STATION AVE

FRIDAY DINNER SPECIAL

Fish & Chips

AVAILABLE BETWEEN 4 - 7 PM

1 piece \$10.25 - 2 piece \$12.75

FOR TAKE OUT ORDERS:

Please leave your Name, Phone #, Pickup Time,
1 or 2 pieces of fish and how many orders you
would like!

Phone: 250 478-1828 or email
manager@rcl91.ca

LOOKING FOR:

Winner for the Superbowl squares

SERIAL # 028564

TAB# 81

Please come to the Bar or Office **WITH THE**
TAB to claim your Prize!



LANGFORD LEGION

761 STATION AVE

LUNCH MENU

SERVED MONDAY - FRIDAY

FROM 12 - 2 PM

SANDWICH W/SOUP, FRIES OR SALAD - \$7.75
EGG SALAD, HAM & CHEESE,
GRILLED CHEESE OR GRILLED CHEESE & HAM

SOUP OF THE DAY -- SM \$3.75 LG \$ 5.15

LEGION BURGER

W/FRIES, SOUP OR SALAD --- \$9.75
CHEESE, BACON, LETTUCE, TOMATO

BLT W/ FRIES, SOUP OR SALAD ---- \$9.75

HOUSE SALAD ---- \$7.00

CAESAR SALAD ---- \$7.50

CHICKEN CAESAR WRAP ---- \$9.75
W/FRIES, SOUP OR SALAD

POUTINE ---- \$6.95

ONION RINGS ---- \$5.25

HOT DOG ---- \$3.75

FRINGS ---- \$5.00

FRIES ---- \$5.00



**TAKEOUT IS AVAILABLE. FOR MORE
INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 250 478-8365**



Every Saturday@7pm

Langford Legion, - 761 Station Avenue

Any questions give us a call @ 250-478-8365 or

Email: manager@rcl91.ca

For those who don't know what Music Bingo is, it's not your normal bingo - add some music, remember the name of the song and find it on your bingo card. When you get what the DJ says we are looking for (2 lines etc.) you call out **BINGO**



Members and guest welcome



Branch #91 Ladies Auxiliary

On February 10, 2022, the Ladies Auxiliary of RCL #91 met for our first meeting of 2022. The meeting was called to order at 1:10 pm. 13 members and 1 guest attended.

Installation of Officers presented by RCL #91 Legion Vice-President Richard Walker was the first order of business. The following Officers were installed:

- Sargent at Arms - Betty Hutchinson
- Secretary - Lynnda Kennedy
- Treasurer - Trudine Wilson
- Vice-President - Darlene Tchansky
- President – Maralyn Walsh

Congratulations and our thanks to you for your service.

Service awards were presented to the following members:

- 5 year pin to Darlene Tchansky
- 25 year pin to Daphoni Pendleton
- 45 year pin to Matsonia Matson (She was not able to attend so the pin will be delivered to her personally).

Congratulations and thank you for your dedication and service.

The membership discussed the Annual Book Sale & it was decided to put this event On Hold due to ongoing COVID concerns.

Discussions took place regarding the donations made on behalf of the Ladies Auxiliary. We will be presenting donations of \$200 each to 11 different benefactors.

Our next scheduled meeting will be March 10, 2022 at 1 pm. We look forward to having you join us.

With Gratitude & Thanks,

Millie Vandale



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
		1 Beef Dip w/ Fries or Salad \$10.95	2 Lasagna w/ Garlic Toast \$10.95
6 Kitchen Closed	7 Tuna Melt w/ Fries or Salad \$10.95	8 Teriyaki Chicken Stir Fry \$10.95	9 Beef Stroganoff w/Fries or Salad \$10.95
13 Kitchen Closed	14 Mac & Cheese w/ Garlic Toast \$10.95	15 Reuben on Rye w/ Fries \$10.95	16 Roasted Pork Tenderloin w/ Mashed Potatoes and Veggies \$10.95
20 Kitchen Closed	21 Hot Turkey Sandwich w/ Fries or Salad \$10.95	22 Chicken Cordon Bleu w/ Baby Potatoes & Veg. \$10.95	23 Meatloaf w/ Fries or Salad \$10.95
27 Kitchen Closed	28 Philly-Cheese Steak Bun w/ Fries or Salad \$10.95	29 Curry Chicken w/ Rice \$10.95	30 Turkey Pot Pie w/ Bun \$10.95

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Website: rcl91.ca

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Prince Edward Branch #91

761 Station Ave. Langford, BC 250-478-9812

SERVICE OFFICER

Craig Tompkins

svco@rcl91.ca

Please leave a message to arrange
for an appointment

250-478-9812

Tuesday 10 am—12:45 pm

KITCHEN HOURS

LUNCH:	MONDAY - FRIDAY	12 :00 - 2 :00 PM
DINNER:	MONDAY - THURSDAY	4:00 - 7:30 PM
	FRIDAY	4:00 - 8:00 PM
	SATURDAY	2 :00 - 8:00 PM
	SUNDAY	CLOSED

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
3 Taco Salad Bowl \$10.95	4 Fish & Chips 1 piece \$10.25 2 pieces \$12.75	5 Regular Menu
10 Sheppard's Pie w/ Caesar Salad \$10.95	11 Fish & Chips 1 piece \$10.25 2 pieces \$12.75	12 Regular Menu
17 St. Patrick's Day Beef Stew w/ Bun \$10.95	18 Fish & Chips 1 piece \$10.25 2 pieces \$12.75	19 Regular Menu
24 Liver & Onions w/ mashed Pota- to \$10.95	25 Fish & Chips 1 piece \$10.25 2 pieces \$12.75	26 Steak Night \$15 6 PM
31 Hawaiian Chicken Burger w/ Fries or Salad \$10.95		

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LANGFORD LEGION
761 Station Ave

BIG EASTER MEAT

APRIL 2, 2022
1-5pm

**Regular draws
plus 30 hams &
30 Turkeys**

Doors open at 11:30am
Come Early to
get your seat!



Langford Legion
761 Station Ave

\$15
No Refunds

STEAK NIGHT
MARCH 26, 2022



Tickets Available at the Bar

March 1st – 23rd No Late orders

Seating plan in place!

Dinner Starts at 6:00 pm
Followed by Music Bingo



Steak, baked potato, salad,
pickles, bun and dessert

