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April
2023



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LAST POST

Sadly, we announce the passing of

Cde. Lance Caven

Cde. Andrew "Lloyd" Mack

Cde. Don Dobbie

Cde. Bruce Walton

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH # 91

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Wednesday before General

9:30 a.m.

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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.







Langford Legion Br.91 is still here for you.

Even though we are in renovations our phones are still on, and we are checking emails.

The office is open Tuesday-Friday 10am-2pm
We are still here to support our veterans, members and community anyway we can.

Please check our website to find out about upcoming bus trips, keep up to date with our renovation process and to see all the things our Branch has to offer.

Office Phone: 250-478-1828
Email: secretary@rcl91.ca or manager@rcl91.ca
Website: www.rcl91.ca



Building Report
2023

Building renovations coming along.
We will send an email out with
details to opening when a soft
opening-date is official.

Thank you for all your support
through out our renovations, we look
forward to seeing you all soon :)



We still have blueberry plants for
sale, if you or anyone you know is
interested in purchasing.

They are 1/\$13 or 3/\$35

Please contact the office

250-478-1828



Chaplain's Corner 2023

Around the world today the struggle continues
for money, power and status; especially for
control over others.

“Luke 1: 30-33 (NKJV) 30 Then the angel said to
her, “Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found
favor with God. 31 And behold, you will
conceive in your womb and bring forth a Son,
and shall call His name Jesus. 32 He will be
great, and will be called the Son of the Highest;
and the Lord God will give Him the throne of
His father David. 33 And He will reign over the
house of Jacob forever, and of His kingdom
there will be no end.”

At this time of year we remember the sacrifices
made for us, to ensure our freedom. A time to
examine our hearts.

“John 8:36 (NKJV) 36 Therefore if the Son
makes you free, you shall be free indeed.”

We are thankful for the reminders of a
wonderful Saviour, and many heroes of the
faith that have gone ahead.

We will remember them!

Cecil, Denise & family

Ladies Auxiliary Br. 91

The Ladies Auxiliary met on Thursday, 9 March 2023 at 1 pm at the Alexander Mackie Lodge, 4th Floor. 8 Members attended. Several members were unable to attend due to illness & we wish them all a speedy recovery.

As stated in the previous reports, the Ladies Auxiliary functions have been and continue to be limited due to the ongoing renovations of the Legion. We anxiously await the reopening of the Legion.

We have chosen a date for an afternoon tea for the members. Tentatively we have chosen to enjoy the tea Thursday, 8 June 2023 at the newly renovated Legion.

We also discussed a social function for September. Details to follow as the date gets closer.

The proposed Ladies Auxiliary Craft Sale which was scheduled for May has been cancelled for this spring.

Hopefully we will be able to see a return of this successful function in the future.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, 13 April 2023 at 1 pm at the Alexander Mackie Lodge. When arriving at the Mackie, please go to the Front Desk to sign in. Remember facial masks are still required in respect of their policies.

As our next meeting will be held following Easter Celebrations, on behalf of the Ladies Auxiliary, I wish everyone a Happy Easter!

With Thanks & Gratitude!

Millie Vandale

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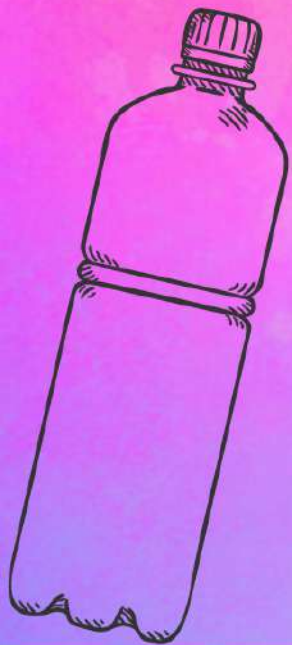
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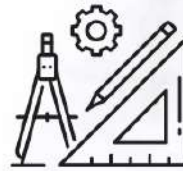
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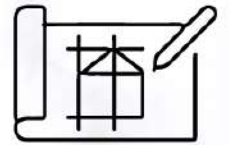
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for an appointment.

250-478-1828

Tues- Fri 10 am-2:00 pm



Renovations



Renovations are coming along nicely. If you are wanting to get an inside look at what is happening inside and outside of your Branch, head to our website and under the "About us" tab you will find "Building renovations" at the top of the list.

Or you can follow this link:

<https://www.rcl91.ca/general-8>

and it will take you there



There you will find pictures that are being updated as the renovations progress. We also have a section where you can share your thoughts.

We are so delighted to be able to share this experience with all of our members; we look forward to reading all of your thought and comments.

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SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2023

Register Before May 6th

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Sign In : 8:30 to 9:30am

Play starts at 10am SHARP

16 GAMES 100%
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Format - Single Play -

Partner changes each game

There will be **NO** 3 tables

8 games in the morning

Lunch Break

8 games in the afternoon

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For more information and registration contact

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Langford Legion



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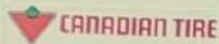
Let us know!

The Legion has purchased 20 ticket.

You will be required to pay for your ticket when you sign up.

The cost is \$100 per person if going in the van or \$90 per person driving yourself.

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Note: If you think you may have a need for these services, be sure to complete the Veterans Independence Program application at the same time as your Pain and Suffering Compensation application. If approved, this will allow you to access support at the earliest possible date.

Do you qualify?

You should apply for the Veterans Independence Program if you need home care services and you:

- have qualified for a disability benefit, or
- have qualified for the War Veterans Allowance, or
- receive Prisoner of War Compensation, or
- are eligible for, but can't access, a Contract Bed (also known as a Priority Access Bed) in a long term care facility.

<https://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/housing-and-home-life/help-at-home/veterans-independence-program>