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COLDWATER REMEMBERS

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 270 Coldwater held its annual Remembrance Day service on Friday, November 11. After two years of restrictions on public gatherings due to the COVID-19 pandemic, it was nice to see the large crowd that showed up to pay respects to our Fallen. For the first time in two years, members of the community could actually lay wreaths in memory of loved ones. Several official wreaths were also laid on behalf of the federal, provincial, and municipal governments, the Canadian Armed Forces, the Royal Canadian Legion, the Ladies Auxiliary, and other organisations.

As Remembrance Day also signalled the end of this year's active Poppy Campaign, we wish to thank the many groups, local businesses and individuals who contributed in so many ways to the Coldwater Legion's Poppy Campaign. Thank you to those who took part in our Veterans Banner program in Coldwater, with banners featuring deceased Veterans put on display in store front windows around the village main street. We hope shoppers and passersby appreciated this initiative. And thank you, all of you who proudly wore your Poppy during the past two weeks. This simple gesture of Remembrance is perhaps the best guarantee that in the future, We Will Remember Them.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR A HUGE SUCCESS

The Ladies did it again! Members of Branch 270 Coldwater Ladies' Auxiliary held their annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday November 26, 2022, in the upstairs hall at the Legion. Vendors' tables were sold out for the event, as participants offered a wide variety of products and services ranging from wood crafts and jewelry to knitted works and candles. The Ladies also offered a wonderful turkey lunch for those in need of a turkey fix. The Ladies' Auxiliary wishes to thank all the volunteers, participants and visitors who contributed to make this event a success, and particularly the local businesses and individuals who donated merchandise for the Penny Table and Prize Draws. Thank you all!



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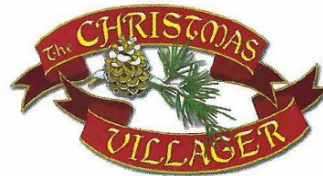
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FROM THE BRANCH PRESIDENT



Comrades,
Let me be the first to wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and Happy Hanukkah.

There will not be a General Meeting in December. **Next General Meeting will be held on TUESDAY**

JANUARY 24 at 6:30 p.m.

I am very happy to report that the Thursday night dart league has donated \$3,000.00 to the Branch. It is slated to go towards a new outdoor electronic sign, although if a grant comes through for the sign, then we were instructed to use the donation for the building. Thank you, Dianne Sauvé, and your league.

The Veterans luncheon was held on November 5. Everyone commented on how nice the meal and the table settings were. Thank you to the Ladies' Auxiliary for all that you do to make these events memorable.

Anne McArthur, Randolph Rice and I are in the process of getting gift cards out to our widows of Veterans.

Sunday November 6, Comrades Norm Marion, Rick Morse, Anne McArthur, Dianne Sauvé, Debbie Southorn, Cheryl Barr, and I attended the Coldwater United Church Remembrance service.

On November 8, I attended the Indigenous Remembrance Day Ceremony at Christian Island. It was very well done. The local native Veterans proudly displayed their medals. The school children sang O' Canada in their native language, the drummers and native dancers performed. It was topped off by a local potluck lunch that was excellent.

Thank you to Jane Dunlop, who, I found removing weeds from our rose garden on Saturday November 12.

Our own Remembrance Day Ceremony was a success. The crowd was large. Thank you, Comrade Norm Marion for taking on the duties of MC; to John O'Hara who stepped up to read the names of wreath placers; to Randolph Rice for his duties as Colour Sergeant, and to the Colour Party, which was Comrade Rick Morse, and me.

Before the General Meeting in February, I would like seven of you to get your Smart Serve and help with the bar. The branch will pay your cost of Smart Serve after you pass. I would like to see a minimum of seven members actively participate with Colours.

Yours in comradeship,
Wayne Tutt, Branch 270 President

FROM THE LADIES' AUXILIARY PRESIDENT



It's hard to believe that we are in the month of December already. At this time of the year, we wish each and every one a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. To those who will not be home at Christmas we send out messages, to let you know that we are thinking about you and the sacrifices that have been made

on your part to keep our world in Peace.

After a two-year hiatus we were able to host our LA Christmas Bazaar. It was a great success, due to all the volunteers that helped with it. A thank you goes out to the local businesses that supported us by providing prizes for the Penny Table. There were 22 vendors at this event and there were many beautiful things to choose to buy. We would also like to thank LA members who donated to the raffle draw. We sold 70 hot turkey dinners and had many compliments on it. Again, there are not enough words to express our thanks and gratitude for all the support given to the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Our bank account currently has a balance of \$12,458.16. This includes Sports fund, Veterans and Dues.

In District Singles/Doubles darts held in Sutton on November 19, Anne McArthur came in fourth in Singles. Our doubles, teams of Michele Russell, Tori Vivian, Dianne Sauve and Anne McArthur played well but did not place in the top three. Team Darts will be held in Collingwood on Saturday December 3. There will be two teams attending. Team 1: Michele Russell, Tori Vivian, Dianne Sauve and Anne McArthur; Team 2: Henny Risebrough, Marlene Klanert, Sheri Newman and Gaëtanne Robinson. Good Luck to everyone attending. If you are interested in attending any of the Sport's events, please let Michele Russell know. We will be hosting a Celebration of Life on Sunday December 4.

LA membership fees are due by the end of December and are \$20. Please contact Brenda Yule to pay.

The Santa Claus Parade will be on Saturday December 3, and Penny Lawrence will carry the LA flag with the Branch Colour Party in the parade.

The General Meeting on Tuesday December 20 will start at 6 p.m. We will be having pizza and wings.

Yours in Comradeship,
Anne McArthur, President
Ladies' Auxiliary



BRANCH GENERAL MEETINGS

The next General Meeting will be on **Tuesday January 24, 2023**, beginning at **6:30 p.m.** As of January 2023, Branch General Meetings take place on the **fourth Tuesday of each month**, from **September to June**, in the upstairs hall,

YOUTH EDUCATION REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Cheryll Barr, Youth Education Chair
Comrades,

It's hard to believe it's winter and Christmas is just around the corner. The Youth Education Committee would like to thank all the students that took part in our Remembrance Day Contest. The judging has taken place and the winners are announced in this month Maple Leaf. We would like to congratulate all the winners. The posters, poems, and essays were amazing. We have everything finished and just waiting to get into the school to present the students with their awards, and returning all the other entries to the students. For the first place winners, their entries have been forwarded to the Zone Chair for a chance of winning another level in the Remembrance Day contest. Good luck to each one of them.

The Youth Education committee is taking a short break before we start working on the Public Speaking Competition that is coming up in February.

Merry Christmas and Happy and Safe Holidays to all, from the Youth Education Team: Cheryll Barr, Gaétanne Robinson, Yvonne Sauve, and Debbie Southorn.

TREASURER REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Rick Morse, Secretary-Treasurer

As of 28 November 2022 the General Account balance is \$46,369.21.

In the General Account, we have restricted funds of \$25,228.11 for Grants and \$1,000 for the Cenotaph's Second World War Coldwater Veterans project.

With funds committed in the Grant, and the Cenotaph projects equaling \$26,228.11, we have a daily operational amount of \$20,141.10.

The Bottle Drive deposits for the month of October totaled \$1,804.00.

The Bottle Drive deposits for the month of November to date total \$784.20.

Building Bank Account balance is \$8,021.22.

The Nevada Account balance remains at \$237.61.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Cheryll Barr, Membership Chair

Comrades, it's hard to believe December is here! As of end of November we are at 257 members. We have had a few members who transferred out! Affiliates: 70; Associate: 145; Life: 3; and Ordinary: 39. I would like to welcome to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 270 Comrades Kenneth Hipwell and Michele Blunt-Clark.

At present time we are cleaning up the membership files and moving members into their correct categories. We are making sure that we have all the information needed. We will be initiating a large group of new members in the middle of December, so our membership numbers will change then.

PLEASE CHECK THE BACK OF YOUR RED LEGION CARD TO SEE IF YOU HAVE YOUR 2023 STICKER. If you don't have it, we may have it at the branch, and it means that your membership dues haven't been paid yet. You can pay your membership fees at the bar. Just ask the Bar Steward on duty. You can email the membership chair, or call me at (705) 330-2809 to make arrangements for your membership

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays from the Membership Team: Cheryll Barr, Misty Archer and Paula Brown.

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JOKE OF THE MONTH

Anonymous mom after months of school closure:

"In case you're wondering how home schooling is going, my six year old just asked me if snakes have long necks or long tails. Please help."

PUBLIC RELATIONS REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Norm Marion, Public Relations Officer

On-line media (Facebook, website) are kept up-to-date. Photos of students' submissions from the Legion's Remembrance Poster & Literary Contests are posted on the BIDDY, and will be posted on our Facebook and website early in December. A photo album of the Ladies' Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar is already posted on Facebook and our website, as well as photos of Remembrance Day.

ENTERTAINMENT/WAYS & MEANS

Submitted by Comrade Wayne Tutt, Entertainment/Ways & Means Chair

Hello comrades, Wayne, yet Again.

The following is the current schedule for entertainment in the Club Room in the coming months. On January 1, 2023, for the New Year Levee the band will be *Déjà Vu*, from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m.

At the General meeting of November 23, I had asked the membership if they wished to have a band or a Valentine's dance in February. I did not get an answer. If anyone wishes to have entertainment in February, please contact me, and I'll book it. I understand that there will be a Nascar party in February.

On March 17, 2023, Bruce Naismith will play for St. Patrick's Day following the parade.

Finally, I am looking for a member to take over the Ways and Means Chair. If you are interested, please contact me.

SERVICE OFFICER REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Randy Rice, Branch Service Officer
Comrades,

Another Remembrance Day has come and gone and still conflicts are ongoing around the world, and our men and women in uniform continue to defend the rights and freedoms we enjoy. I attended the Veterans Luncheon at the branch. Our Ladies' Auxiliary, as usual, did an outstanding job!! People commented on how intimate it was, on how tables were arrayed in such a way so everyone was comfortable, thanks to Jane. We also managed to capture our Veterans in a group picture, which added to the spirit of the occasion.

The Remembrance Day ceremony went very well. Excellent public attendance. We had a number of Veterans march along with members of the LA. Marching in the parade were Cold War Veterans, UN Peacekeepers, NATO and Afghan Veterans, police, fire and a contingent from Borden. The cadence was set by the beat of a base drum. BRAVO ZULU! to everyone who participated. After the parade the LA put on a wonderful luncheon. Finally, while tagging, I met and conversed with a number of Veterans and family members sharing their experiences.



The group of local Veterans that attended the Veterans Appreciation Luncheon at the branch on November 5, left-to-right: Penny Lawrence; Randy Rice; Michael O'Hara (in front); John O'Hara; Alex Fabian; Bill Coleshaw; Ralph Fricker; Jesse Reed; Tim Beaudoin; Wanda Beaudoin; and Norm Marion.

Quote of the Month

"Your time is limited, so don't waste it living someone else's life. Don't be trapped by dogma – which is living with the results of other people's thinking."

- Steve Jobs

POPPY REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Wayne Tutt, Poppy Chair

As of November 22, 2022, there is \$17,127.63 in the account. Tagging and donations brought in \$17,675.20. This is down \$1,324.80 from last year. I would like to thank Marie Langley, Leona Gouin, Linda Tucker, Darlene McKay, and Brian Strong for setting up the poppy bags, and trays prior to the Poppy Campaign. Also, G  tanne Robinson, Kari Malmstrom, Karen Cuthbertson, Carol Tutt, Wanda Beaudoin, Rick Morse, Randy Rice, and Norm Marion who helped me sort, record, and wrap all the money from the Poppy Campaign, Thank you. And thank you to the 12 members, (that's 5% of membership) and two non-members who signed up to tag this year.

BUILDING MANAGER REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Kari Malmstrom, Building Manager

I have the following to report in the way of maintenance or building issues since my last report.

Status of repairs and building in general are as follows:

Annual Fire Inspection Report updates:

This is the latest update from our annual fire inspection Aug 10

- Revised Evacuation Maps have been posted
- Jake Hawkins reached out on repairs of the self-closing doors which I have repaired
- Also asked Jake on status of revised Emergency plan but not reviewed as of yet by the Township

Repairs and tasks are being looked at or completed:

- Monthly extinguisher / exit light review completed
- Called to inspect a small leak in the downstairs hallway. I found that there is condensation dripping from the steel roof close to upstairs kitchen. Not sure what can be done to stop that without major insulation
- Huronia Alarms inspected the exhaust hoods in canteen and upstairs kitchen. All OK except suggested canteen filters required cleaning. I have mentioned this to Ryan in the canteen.

- Downstairs automatic entry door mechanism has been replaced and is working well

I am open to suggestions for further improvements to our facility. Thank you.

BAR OFFICER REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Marg Murphy, Bar Officer

We are now into our winter hours. If weather is bad, we may NOT OPEN or we may close EARLY. Evening events may have to be cancelled. It will be the responsibility of those in charge of these events to call the Bar Steward to inquire if we are open or will be closing early during a storm. It will be the Bar Officer's call to decide to remain open or to close. If anyone is travelling to the Legion during the day, they should also call ahead to see if we are open.

As you know, we need more bar stewards. Once again we are looking for anyone who would like to help volunteer on the bar. Please get in touch with me. We will help you get through the process of getting your Smart Serve, and the branch will pay for it. Volunteer bar hours are very flexible. We also need a volunteer who might be interested in doing some inventory work for us. It will take about one to two hours once a month. Thank you to everyone who comes out to support us.



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Additionally you may give your name to any Executive member should you not be able to contact me using the above means. Hope to see you there.



The Branch Colour Party led the parade on Remembrance Day in Coldwater.

SICK & VISITING

Submitted by Comrade Betty-Anne Burnie, Sick and Visiting Chair

I have been keeping in touch with those I know are ill or not well. If there are any issues that require my attention please let me know. Home phone (705) 686-3270 or email bburnie6@hotmail.com.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Rick Morse, Branch Sergeant-at-Arms

The Branch will be participating in the Coldwater Santa Claus Parade.

We are looking for additional members to march as the Colour Party or as a Marching Contingent. We currently have three committed members for the Colour Party and we can accommodate four additional flag bearers. This will include the Branch 270 Ladies' Auxiliary banner. All branch members as well as all LA members who have full formal Legion uniforms are welcomed to take part.

The parade will take place on December 3, taking off at 5:30 p.m. The Flag Bearers will meet at the branch for 4:30 to gather flags and accoutrements, and will gather at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church for 5 p.m. I am told by the Parade organizer that the Presbyterian Church will be open for us to use as a warming station prior to stepping off, if needed. The dress is: Legion or LA uniform; black gloves;

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THIS MONTH WE REMEMBER

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RICHARD AUDET, DFC**

Flight Lieutenant Richard “Dick” Audet of Alberta was a pilot with the Royal Canadian Air Force No. 411 Squadron during the Second World War. On December 29, 1944, he flew a patrol over the Rhine in his Spitfire fighter aircraft. During this patrol he shot down two Messerschmitt Bf-109s and three Focke-Wulf Fw-190s in less than ten minutes of action. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross for his actions that day, but later lost his life during an attack on a German train in March 1945.

Source: Veterans Affairs Canada

Lovering. On May 8, 1918, George Howard - or "Cully", as he was nicknamed - was recruited into the Canadian Expeditionary Force under the Military Service Act. He was 21 years old and single. He listed his trade as farmer, and had no previous military experience. Private Lovering, regimental number 3036696, sailed from Montreal on *R.M.S. Corsican* to arrive in London, England on August 8, 1918. On arrival he was assigned to the 3rd Reserve Battalion. By the time his training was completed in England, the war ended. He was repatriated to Canada and discharged on August 31, 1919. During the Second World War, George Howard reenrolled for service in Canada with the Veterans Guard of Canada. He returned to the Coldwater area where he lived the rest of his life. He was a member of Royal Canadian Legion Branch 270 Coldwater. George Howard remained a bachelor. He passed away in Penetanguishene, Ontario, on March 29, 1976, at age 79. He is buried in St. Andrews & St. James Cemetery in Orillia.



George 'Cully' Lovering came in late to see action in the First World War, and re-enrolled with the Veterans Guard of Canada for the Second World War.

BRANCH HISTORIAN REPORT

Submitted by Comrade Norm Marion, Branch Historian

The Veterans Banners on main street were picked up. Thank you to all who ordered the banners, and to the store owners who put them on display. The banner program brought in a net donation of \$920.54 to the Poppy Fund.

I received a suggestion offering to have a group of volunteers helping to clean the collection display case. I will be in touch with the volunteers to get something organized. I've asked the Zone Commander for more copies of Volume IX of Ontario Command's Military Service Recognition Book (MSRB), as most of our copies have been given away, mostly to people who had relatives featured in this volume. If you know someone who served in the military and you think could be featured in a future MSRB, please contact me. You can see an example of an MSRB submission featuring long-time Coldwater branch member George Howard Lovering on this page.

LOVERING, GEORGE HOWARD

George Howard Lovering was born in the community of Lawson, near Coldwater, Ontario, on December 12, 1896. He was the son of Charles Turver and Jane (Balkwill)

LADIES' AUXILIARY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR 2022

Branch 270 Coldwater Ladies' Auxiliary held its annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday November 26, 2022, in the upstairs hall at the Legion. Vendors' tables were sold out for the event, as participants offered a wide variety of products and services ranging from wood crafts and jewelry to knitted works and candles. The Ladies also offered a wonderful turkey lunch for those in need of a turkey fix. More photos of the Christmas Bazaar are available on the branch Facebook and website pages.



Branch members Penny Lawrence-Judges and Brian Judges set up a popular table featuring a variety of wood-turned pens from 'Pens by Brian'.



Branch member Henny Risebrough was one of the many volunteers who helped with the Branch 270 Ladies' Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar.



Ladies' Auxiliary member Janis Cronin volunteered at the Bake table for the Ladies' Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar



Ladies' Auxiliary and Branch member Gaëtanne Robinson takes a shift at the Penny Table set-up by Branch Past President Marie Langley.



A vendor from 'Love my Leggs' (right) describes his product to Branch member Wanda Beaudoin, seen here with (left-to-right) Branch member Tim Beaudoin, Susan Beard, and Sandra Beaudoin.



ZONE E4 SPORTS MIXED DART TOURNAMENT

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Grade 8 student Elvie Laughlin's submission (above) placed 1st in the Intermediate – Colour poster category.

LEGION POSTER & LITERARY CONTEST 2022

Submitted by Comrade Cheryl Barr, Youth Education Chair
Royal Canadian Legion Branch 270 Coldwater is pleased to announce the branch level results of the Legion's annual Poster & Literary Contests 2022. The winners were selected among entries in the Black & White and Colour Poster, and Poem and Essay categories, submitted by students of Coldwater Public School and Moonstone Elementary School. Congratulations to winners and to all participants!

POSTERS

PRIMARY POSTER – COLOUR

- 1st: Ezra Grant – Gr.1
2nd, Lyla Morgan – Gr.1
3rd, Olivia Sweeney – Gr.3

PRIMARY POSTER – BLACK & WHITE

- 1st, Wyatt Martin – Gr.3
2nd, Jack Kitchen – Gr.2
3rd, Owen Timmins – Gr.1

JUNIOR POSTER – COLOUR

- 1st, Grace Tyrrell – Gr.6
2nd, Danika Traynor – Gr.4
3rd, Maksym Podkopayev – Gr.6

JUNIOR POSTER – BLACK & WHITE

- 1st Cara Goulter – Gr. 5
2nd, Mya Bridle – Gr.4
3rd, Ryan Swaile – Gr.6

INTERMEDIATE POSTER – COLOUR

- 1st, Evie Laughlin – Gr.8
2nd, Hunter Bidmead – Gr.7
3rd, Elizabeth Straw – Gr. 7

INTERMEDIATE POSTER – BLACK & WHITE

- 1st, Kala Uytenbogaart-Payne – Gr.8
2nd, Ola Podkopayev – Gr.8
3rd, Tyler Trainer – Gr. 7

LITERARY

JUNIOR – ESSAY

- 1st, Isla List – Gr.4
2nd, Michael Ryther - Gr.4

INTERMEDIATE – ESSAY

- 1st, Keegan Truax – Gr.7

INTERMEDIATE – POEM

- 1st, Ayla Walker – Gr. 7



Grade 8 student Kala Uytenbogaart-Payne's submission (above) placed 1st in the Intermediate – Black & White poster category.



Grade 1 student Ezra Grant's submission (right) placed 1st in the Primary – Colour poster category.




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 3. Dianne
 4. Dianne
 5. Lloyd
 6. Teresa
- Sunshine: Grace

November 11

1. Annie
 2. Travis
 3. Lloyd
 4. Annie
 5. Katie
 6. John
- Sunshine: Grace

November 19

1. Dianne
 2. Gaëtanne
 3. Penny
 4. Mark
 5. Mark
 6. Penny
- Sunshine: Dianne

November 25

1. Dianne
 2. Chris
 3. Annie
 4. Gracie
 5. John
 6. Gracie
- Sunshine: Annie

SHUFFLEBOARD

November 3

- 1st : Bety-Anne & Lloyd
 2nd : Vicki & Magda
 3rd : Brian & Terri
 Sunshine: Vicki

November 10

- 1st : Ken & Magda
 2nd : Peter & Doreen
 3rd : Vicki & Betty-Anne
 Sunshine: Heather

November 17

- 1st : Ken & Peter
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 3rd : Heather & Betty-Anne
 Sunshine: Ryan

November 24

- 1st : Ken & Heather
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 3rd : Ryan & Peter
 Sunshine: Heather

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1 p.m. every Tuesday

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Fun Darts

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SCHEDULE FOR 2022 – 2023

	Zone Date	Host Branch	District Host	District Date
8 Ball	Dec 10, 2022	Midland Br #80	Midland Br #80	Feb 18, 2023
Darts	Jan 7, 2023	Vic Harbour Br #523	Alliston Br #171	Feb 4, 2023
Senior Darts	Jan 28, 2021	Vic Harbour Br #523	Everett Br #508	Mar 4, 2023
Euchre	Feb 11, 2023	Penetang Br #68	Orangeville Br #233	Mar 11, 2023
Mixed Darts	Mar 11, 2023	Vic Harbour Br #523	Alliston Br #171	Apr 15, 2023
Washer Toss	May 13, 2023	Vic Harbour Br #523	Aurora Br #385	Jun 3, 2023
Horseshoes	May 27, 2023	Port McNicoll Br #543	Everett Br # 508	Jun 17, 2023
Golf	Jun 10, 2023	Vic Harbour Br #523	Shelburne Br #220	Jul 8, 2023
Cribbage	TBD	TBD	Angus Br #499	Jan 21, 2023
Snooker	TBD	TBD	Aurora Br #385	Jan 7, 2023
Shuffleboard	TBD	TBD	Stouffville Br #459	Mar 18, 2023

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CLOSED	4 Branch Open 6:00pm-8:00pm Trivia Night 6pm	5 Branch Open 11:30am-7:00pm Euchre 1pm Fun Pool 6:30pm	6 Branch Open 11:30am-7:00pm Fun Darts 7:30pm	7 Branch Open 11:30am-7:00pm Shuffleboard 1pm Dart League 7pm	8 Branch Open 11:30am-7:00pm Bid Euchre 12:30pm Steak Darts 6pm	9 Branch Open 11:30am-7:00pm Meat Draw 3pm
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