



We Remember
Legion 

November 2023

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LOUNGE HOURS

Tuesday - Saturdays

3:00 pm - 9:00 pm

(earlier closure if no
patrons)

GENERAL MEETINGS

First Thursday of

every month at 7:00 pm in the

Byron Greff Memorial Hall

All members are welcome

Royal Canadian

Legion

Lacombe

Branch No. 79

NEWSLETTER

REMEMBRANCE DAY 2023

8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast in the Byron Greff Memorial Hall (upstairs) Lacombe Legion. Pancakes, eggs, sausage, coffee, tea, juice. Donations taken at the door.

Everyone is welcome to attend

10:30 a.m. - Remembrance Day Service.

At the Lacombe Memorial Centre.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

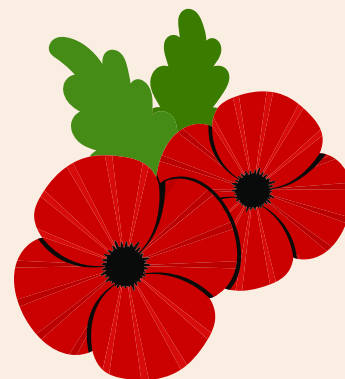
The lounge at the Lacombe Legion will be open after the service.

Everyone is welcome. There will be a luncheon.

5:30 p.m. Pot-Luck Supper. At the Lacombe Legion in the Byron Greff Memorial Hall (upstairs). Please bring a pot-luck dish (enough for your family +1)

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Presentation of the First Poppy of 2023



Lacombe Legion President, Andy Gauthier and Poppy Campaign Chairperson, Kathy Hobbs, present the first Poppy of 2023 to Lacombe Mayor Grant Creasey. This officially kicks off the 2023 Poppy Campaign in Lacombe.



The Poppy Fund belongs to all of us

Every branch in Canada has a Poppy Fund, including all the branches in Alberta and Northwest Territories. The funds donated by generous Canadians are considered 'in trust' and belong to the citizens of Canada.

The Royal Canadian Legion Poppy Manual determines how the Poppy Funds can be used. The original reason for the Poppy Fund was to provide emergency support, including food, shelter and clothing, to Veterans and their families. Today that is still the main focus.



Thursday, December 7th at 7 pm

Branch elections will be held on Thursday,
December 7th at 7:00 pm.

There is not a General Meeting on election night.

****IMPORTANT****

In order to attend the election night and vote you
MUST SHOW your 2023 Legion Membership Card
and you MUST be a member in good standing of
the Lacombe Branch No. 79.

If you have any questions or concerns please
contact our Branch Membership Chairperson, Kathy
Hobbs, before election day by calling the branch at
403-782-6441 (you can leave a message) or by email
to: rcl79@telusplanet.net

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WE WANT YOU!

We Need You

Consider letting your name stand for one of the executive positions open. If you have questions about executive positions please call Barbara Burnett at the Lacombe Legion. You can leave a message and she will get back to you.

NOVEMBER
Charity
Tap

This month, \$0.50 from every pint sold will be donated to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #79 here in Lacombe



BLINDMAN
— BREWING —

Thank you Blindman Brewing for naming the Lacombe Legion the charity tap for the month of November.

50 cents from every pint of Triphammer poured over the course of the month is being donated to our Legion!

Cheers

This month at 📍 **Cilantro and Chive - Lacombe**
Don & Tammy Derowin from Red Sports are the Guest Chefs



As always, \$2 from every burger sold goes directly back in to our community.

Don and Tammy's choice is to give to The Lacombe Legion as we remember those who have given the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom today.

Thank you Don and Tammy
and
Thank you Cilantro and Chive



We
thank
you!



DROP IN CRIB

JOIN US

Wednesday at 7:00 pm in the lounge.
Everyone is welcome. \$3.00 per player

Monday Night Bingo

Monday nights. Doors open at 6 pm. First
call at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome



Drop In Darts

Thursday evenings at 7 p.m. Doors
open at 6:30 p.m.

\$10.00

Happy hour drink prices.

Everyone welcome!



Looking for a place to host your Christmas Party?

Check out our halls.

Prices and descriptions on our webpage

Lacombelegion.com



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MORE ABOUT **LEGION**
MEMBER PERKS

Your Legion membership can help you save. MemberPerks® gives Legion members access to thousands of offers and deals at stores and restaurants across Canada, including national chains, local businesses and online stores.

MemberPerks® is included free with membership. It can save you \$1000s every year — so your membership could pay for itself many times over! [Sign up or sign in today](#) to start saving.

New to the Legion? You can access MemberPerks® 30 days after your Legion membership number has been issued. Watch for an email coming in the next few weeks with information on how to activate your MemberPerks® account!

Membership Renewal Reminder



Don't
Forget!

Don't forget to renew your membership. There is still time to get in on the November Early Bird Draw. Renew before the end of November and have your name entered into the draw to receive your membership free! Memberships are \$50.00 until the end of December.



PRIME MINISTER • PREMIER MINISTRE

November 11, 2023

Dear Friends:

I would like to extend my heartfelt greetings to my fellow Canadians as we mark Remembrance Day.

On this solemn occasion, we gather in solidarity to pay tribute to every brave Canadian who has answered the call to serve. In the face of hardship and fear, members of the Canadian Armed Forces and our Veterans have always shown immense valour and selflessness as they defended our nation and values. This coming year marks the 80th anniversary of D-Day and the Battle of Normandy, a turning point in the Second World War that changed the course of history. On June 6, 1944, over 14,000 Canadians, along with our Allies, stormed Juno Beach and achieved a critical victory. These heroes demonstrated tremendous courage as they fought for freedom, human rights, and democracy.

For over a hundred years, we have donned our poppies and observed two minutes of silence at the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month for those who have fought for us and our country. Let us continue to honour these important traditions and never take for granted the sacrifices our service members and their families have made. We are forever in their debt.

Lest we forget.

Sincerely,

The Rt. Hon. Justin P. J. Trudeau, P.C., M.P.
Prime Minister of Canada

