

RANKIN MONTHLY NEWS

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FUNDRAISING

It is with great pleasure that I can announce that RCRC is now **mortgage free**. With the tremendous support of the surrounding community, we have raised sufficient funds to erase that debt. Since 2005, total raised is **\$186,582.30** with the bulk of this to repay the mortgage and the rest to complete the building ie. the floor and the exterior siding. Thank-you to everyone who supported any of our events and especially the other members of the committee. As with any building or home there is always something that needs replacing and the rink boards are next on the list. I hope that you will continue to support the new committee who will take on that task. Thanks again.

Marlyn Sauk

SENIORS MONTHLY LUNCHEON

March 19 - Const. Beth Ethier will speak on frauds and Scams.

April 16 - Adrian from The Security Co. will demonstrate various medical alarms.

Annual Yard Sale will be held May 10 from 7a.m. to 1 p.m. Drop off times in next newsletter.

ANNUAL ELECTION

EXECUTIVE POSITIONS

President - Sandra Johnstone
Vice-President - Marlyn Sauk
Secretary - Muriel Verch
Treasurer - Kathleen Thur

We would like to thank everyone who is new to a position and those of you who have previously held a position at the Rankin Culture & Recreation Centre, whether it be on the executive or on a committee. All


positions are an important part of the survival of our community centre.


At this time we are seeking someone to head the FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE and someone to CHAIR the 2015 CARNIVAL COMMITTEE. If you can help us out, let someone on the executive know.

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CONGRATULATIONS!

We welcome Keiron Hayes Hamelin, born March 2, 2014, to the community. Proud parents are Jill and Alex Hamelin.

SYMPATHY

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of one of our founding fathers of the Rankin Community Rink, Eldon Keuhl, on Sunday, March 2, 2014. We send our sincere sympathy out to Ethel, Murray and Dwight Keuhl. Eldon will be greatly missed by his family, friends and neighbours. The Rankin Centre has lost one of its greatest supporters. May God be our guide and comfort at this difficult time.

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Letter from Kevin & Christine Clarke

For the last 7-8 years we have dedicated a large amount of time to the Rankin Culture and Recreation Centre, from helping fundraising and working around the operations of the Centre.

We want to Thank everyone who has helped us over the past years, due to decisions at the March 5th, 2014 meeting, we do not feel that we can continue to work in the Best interests of the Community Centre.

We will not be looking after the Rentals of the Centre and we are stepping down from the operations of the Bar, Bartenders and Security. The past two years we have worked hard to continue the Winter Carnival and the past year we have been involved in figuring out what and how to replace the Rink boards and helping out periodically with ice making. We are sorry but this will be coming to an end as of April 2014. We will finish the Sign Project out front that we have started.

Yours Sincerely,

Thank you, Kevin and Christine Clarke

NEXT MEETING – DATE CHANGE

The next regular meeting of the Rankin Culture & Recreation Centre will be held **Tuesday, April 1 at 7:00** pm at the Rankin Centre. Everyone is welcome.



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ANNUAL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Once again this year the RCRC is awarding two scholarships for \$1000.00 each to qualifying students. To learn more about the qualifications, application deadline and an application form go to our website www.rankincentre.ca for details or call Muriel at 735-0224.



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