RANKIN MONTHLY NEWS

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COMING EVENTS

Mondays - 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Yoga Tuesdays - 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Boot Camp Wednesdays - 7 pm - 8 pm - Belly Dancing Thursdays - 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Boot Camp Thursdays - 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm - Fibre Night

May 27 - Seniors Lunch June 14 - Rink Project Campaign Kickoff July 11 - Fishing Tournament July 26 - Motor Toy Show & Shine September 12- Golf Tournament October 2 & 4 - Apple Extravaganza October 18 - Bridal Show November 3 - Basket Auction November 17 -Victorian Tea

SENIORS LUNCH

Guest Speaker- Elizabeth Graham from OVWRC.

NEXT MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Rankin Culture & Recreation Centre will be held Wednesday, **June 3 at 7:00** pm at the Rankin Centre. Everyone is welcome.

SYMPATHY

The Rankin Centre extends their deepest sympathy to Tina, Chessa and Talia Sabourin on the passing of a beloved husband and father, Peter (Sab) on April 7, 2015. May God grant you courage, peace and strength to continue on as Peter taught you to do.

We also extend our deepest sympathy to Theresa Minville and family on the death of her husband Gilles Minville, May 1, 2015. May God be your comfort.

RINK PROJECT

ATTENTION EVERYONE. The Rankin Centre is on to the next project. We need a new rink surface. This will be a big undertaking and we need everyone's help, physically and financially. Our rink boards are no longer safe and we already have started to remove them. The real truth is that if we can not get the support there will no longer be skating or any sport requiring the ice surface at the Centre.

How can you help? We need workers to help fundraise, we need ideas for fundraising events, we need people to sell raffle tickets at events or to people you know, we need you to support our events, and we need financial support. The approximate cost for the first stage is \$140,000. This is a big undertaking and we can't do it without EVERYONE helping out. However, we are confident that as always people will take pride in their community and come forward. Our new hall is beautiful and everyone who comes to it always comments about it. We know that our rink will be no different.

RINK PROJECT KICKOFF

Please join us on June 14th from 1-4pm for an open house showcasing the plans for the new rink area. See attached flyer.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

The annual golf tournament is set for Saturday, September 12th at the Whitetail Golf Course in Eganville. This will be one tournament you won't want to miss!! Keep an eye out for the poster and registration form on our website coming in the next few weeks. First come, first served registration.

STUDENTS...

Students... June is coming up soon. Do you have all the hours you need to graduate? If not (or even if you do), we could sure use your help for upcoming events. Contact Kellie at (613)732-9739 to sign-up.

BASKET AUCTION

It is not too early to think about our basket auction coming up on November 3. Start collecting items now for a basket. This is a very successful fundraiser and all proceeds will go toward the new rink boards. Any questions call Muriel 735-0224.

FISHING TOURNAMENT

The annual fishing tournament is scheduled for July 11th at Biederman Park. Hope to see you all there!

FUNDRAISING

Do you have a few extra hours to spare? Looking to meet new people or to pass the time? Do you have great ideas? We could use your help on the fundraising committee. Contact Kellie for more information at (613)732-9739.

VICTORIAN TEA

Were you disappointed to have missed our Victorian Christmas Tea last year? Don't let it happen again! The tea is tentatively set for November 17th this year. Let me know if you would like to host a table (dressing up is not expected) (613)732-9739.

RANKIN CENTRE EXECUTIVE

President - Sandra Johnstone 613-732-3241 Vice-President - Marlyn Sauk 613-735-5938 Treasurer - Dawnalda Siegel 613-735-1571 Secretary - Muriel Verch 613-735-0224

VOLUNTEER FOR GRASS CUTTING

The RCRC is looking for a person or persons willing to volunteer to cut the grass. If you are interested, please call Sandra at 613-732-3241. I don't have call-display, so please leave a clear message stating your name and phone number. At this time we would like to thank Stephen Doering and his sons, for doing such a great job these past years. Thanks again guys for a job well done!

VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME

It takes more than a few people to keep the Centre working. Perhaps, you could help out by volunteering to run a sports program (ball, T-ball, games night, courses, etc.), how about offering to help clean after events (our own or rental), how about helping to bake (for catered lunches, for the market, or for fundraising events), how about donating prizes for events (something as simple as Tim cards, or buying something that we can give), how about just advertising (word of mouth, putting up posters, delivering newsletters), if you have your Smart Serve Certificate how about offering to work the bar, how about keeping the Centre looking good on the outside (if you see garbage pick it up, keep the yard looking great, we also take our own garbage to the Waste Recovery Centre, maybe you could offer a month or a few weeks to do this). We always need some minor maintenance (maybe this is your specialty). If you can think of it we can probably use it. Buy a membership and come to our meetings (the first Wednesday of every month, see for yourself what we are doing). The executive can not do everything. Step forward with your help or find out more by asking questions. Please feel free to contact any of the executive to offer your help or inquire about something.



MONDAY NIGHT EUCHRE

The 2014/15 season has come to an end. I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the following winners and runner ups.

Ladies High - Margaret Sell 2nd - Marilyn Gorr 3rd - Florence Schruder

- Mens High Doug Leach 2nd - Allan McGuire 3rd - Vernie Schruder
- Most Lones Vernie Schruder 2nd - Doug Leach 3rd - Margaret Sell

Thank you to everyone who came out and supported the Euchre and brought snacks to the evenings. I think I can speak for everyone who came out that a fun time was had by all. We are taking a break for the summer and will resume on Monday, September 14, 2015 @ 7:00 p.m. Spread the news and hopefully we will get some new comers. Thank-you again. Have a safe and happy summer. See you in the fall.

Debbie Grant

HOORAY FOR HORSESHOES

The horseshoes league will begin on June 2nd and will run on Tuesday and Wednesday nights beginning at 7pm (for a total of 15 nights, best score out of 9 nights). Flexible format will allow for busy schedules. Playoffs will begin July 28th and will run for 10 nights (best score out of 6 nights). Banquet night to be determined. Registration cost of \$40 (free with membership) is due by June 16th but **pre-registration is required by June 1st**. Please call Kellie to register at (613) 732-9739.

ANNUAL YARD SALE

The annual yard sale was a great success. We are pleased to report that we raised approximately \$1400.00. But not only did we raise money for our event we helped out 5 other organizations. After the sale we delivered unsold items to Value Village, I've Got You in Mind, Bibles for Missions, SPCA, and Eganville Zion Church Quilters. These places were really glad to get these items.

A big, big thank you to all the volunteers who came out to set up Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. And to all the people who helped out at the sale on Saturday, and to all those who came to pack up and deliver to the above places. With many hands it made the job so much easier. This is a great example of how we get things done. Also a big thank you to all who donated items for the sale, without that there would be no sale. And to all who came to purchase thanks so much.

3RD ANNUAL MOTOR TOY SHOW AND SHINE

July 26, 2015 from 10am-3pm. BBQ Lunch, Free Admission, Live Band, Crafters, Silent Auction, Trophies for best in class vehicles and more. For more information contact Graham Wall (613) 687-5639 or Murray Dole (613) 735-1738



RENTALS CONTACT PERSON

A big thank you to Kim Sell who has agreed to be the contact person for the rentals at the Recreation Centre. Her phone # is 613-639-5855. Leave a message and clearly state your name and phone number and she will contact you as soon as she can. Thanks again Kim!

MARKET

We are looking for a commitment from readers to supply weekly baking of cookies, squares, etc. The Centre will provide necessary ingredients and trays or you can purchase ingredients and submit receipts to the Centre. For more info call Nettie at 628-2324 or Marlyn at 735-5938





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BALL HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Watch upcoming newsletters for information about our ball hockey tournament in August!!

BRIDAL SHOW

Brides, mark your calendars for the RCRC Bridal Show on Sunday, October 18th. There will be vendors, entertainment, food, prizes, and lots of fun!

ANNUAL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The deadline has passed for the applications. The committee will be making their decision soon. However, it is not too late to sponsor the scholarships. We give two scholarships each year for \$1000.00 each. If you would like to sponsor one or both of them it would be a great help. Call Muriel 735-0224.