

**THE BRANDON LEGIONNAIRE  
NEWSLETTER  
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**Legion** 

*Branch 003, Brandon, MB*

**Honouring and remembering  
Canada's Veterans**

The Legion acknowledges the end of conflicts and does not commemorate the start of conflicts. The most sacred day of Remembrance is Remembrance Day. Every year, on November 11, the Legion recognizes all of Canada's Veterans, serving and retired, and commemorates our Fallen, including the men and women of the Canadian Armed Forces, RCMP, Peace Officers, Merchant Navy, and Reserves. On that day, we also honour the families and their losses.

**Royal Canadian Legion  
Brandon Branch #003**

will be conducting the

**REMEMBRANCE DAY  
SERVICE**

**November 11, 2022**

**10:45 A.M.**

At the Keystone Centre



# Lest We Forget

They shall grow not old,  
 as we that are left grow old.  
 Age shall not weary them,  
 nor the years condemn.  
 At the going down of the sun,  
 and in the morning,  
 We will remember them.  
*We Will Remember Them*



**NO STONE LEFT ALONE®**  
 MEMORIAL FOUNDATION  
 LA FONDATION COMMÉMORATIVE  
**AUCUNE PIERRE DANS L'OUBLI**

No Stone Left Alone Remembrance Ceremonies in Manitoba



Brandon Cemetery - Veterans  
 Section

**November 4, 2022**  
**10:00 AM**

Site Leader—Ryan Lawson

# Legion

## 2021 Poppy FUNDS

**The Poppy Funds collected by Royal Canadian Legion Brandon Branch #003 in 2020 are held in trust and distributed in Brandon.**

### The distribution for 2022

<i>Samaritan House Ministries</i>	<b>\$1,977.00</b>
<i>Bursaries at \$1,000.00ea</i>	<b>\$2,000.00</b>
<i>Prairie Mountain Health—Acute Care</i>	<b>\$6,954.52</b>
<i>Brandon Fire &amp; Emergency Services</i>	<b>\$2,270.00</b>
<i>St. John Ambulance</i>	<b>\$4,500.00</b>
<i>Brandon Seniors for Seniors Inc.</i>	<b>\$7,875.00</b>
<i>Military Family Resource Centre-Shilo</i>	<b>\$1,500.00</b>
<i>#82 Brandon RCA-FCC</i>	<b>\$500.00</b>
<i>#71 Battery RCA 2520 RCACC</i>	<b>\$500.00</b>
<i>Navy League Cadet Corp-Stan Hawitt</i>	<b>\$500.00</b>
<i>RCSCC Swiftsure</i>	<b>\$500.00</b>

## Scan your Poppy with your smartphone to meet a Canadian with a story to remember

This year, the Legion is proud to present “Poppy Stories”, a brand-new initiative that allows people to scan a lapel Poppy with a smartphone and be introduced to a fallen soldier with a story to remember.

Not only does each Veteran's story recognize their sacrifice, but it also honours their life. The short stories expand upon where and how soldiers grew up in Canada, their family history, pre-war careers, and even some of their passions. Through the experience, we hope to give many Canadians a special Veteran's name to remember this year.

Visit [www.poppystories.ca](http://www.poppystories.ca) on your mobile device to scan your Poppy and meet some inspiring Canadians who gave their lives in service of our country.

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### National Notable Dates 2022

The following are national days of relevance to The Royal Canadian Legion that raise awareness of an issue, commemorate a group or event, or celebrate something. Also included are national Legion activities.

Dominion Command promotes many of these dates through the Legions' social media channels....[Facebook.com/CanadianLegion](https://www.facebook.com/CanadianLegion)    [Twitter.com/RoyalCdnLegion](https://twitter.com/RoyalCdnLegion)  
[Instagram.com/royalcanadianlegion](https://www.instagram.com/royalcanadianlegion)

### **NOVEMBER**

- \* **Legion Early Bird campaign / Renewals**
- \* **1 Announcement of National Silver Cross Mother**
  - \* **8 Aboriginal Veterans Day**
  - \* **11 Remembrance Day**
- \* **11 First World War ends—Armistice Day (1918)**
  - \* **12 Passchendaele ends (1917)**
  - \* **18 Battle of the Somme (1916)**
- \* **30 150th anniversary of John McCrae's birth (Flanders Fields)**



# Chez Angela Bakery and Café

29C 10th St, Brandon

(204) 721-0719

[chezangela.ca](http://chezangela.ca)



#GetYourPoppy  
Show your support



IN SUPPORT OF THE **Legion Poppy Campaign**

Order your Poppy Cupcakes in store for your service or gathering. Great for offices and groups who wish to show their support to the Brandon Branch No. 003 in honour of those who served and continue to serve.

# \$35/dozen

All Proceeds Supporting RCL Branch #003 Poppy Trust Fund

You will get a variety of cupcakes featuring chocolate and vanilla filled with chocolate ganache or fresh berry jam.

Chez Angela's use of the poppy emblem is authorized by the National Headquarters of The Royal Canadian Legion. The Poppy Design is a registered trademark of The Royal Canadian Legion, Dominion Command and is used under license.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

### **Remembrance Day Wreath Presentation**

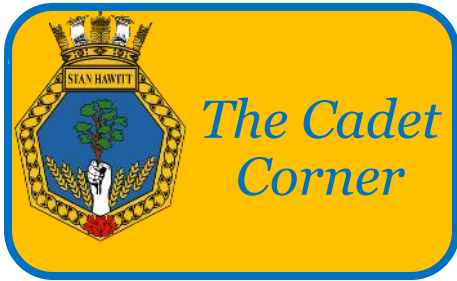
This year there will be no information letters or emails sent in advance of the service. For your association, business, school or an individual to be placed on the presentation list please ensure that a donation of \$25.00, payable to the Legion Poppy Trust Fund, and is received by Brandon Branch #3, prior and up to 8 November 2022.

During the presentation on November 11th, our Branch President Fred Pritchard, will acknowledge all who have supported the Poppy Trust Fund with their \$25.00 donation.

There will be no particular order or seating of people who are participating in this portion of the service. And those laying a wreath will be escorted to the cenotaph by the Legions Sgt-at-Arms.

Thank you for your faithful support of the Royal Canadian Legion Poppy Fund.

Branch President Fred Pritchard  
2022 Poppy Campaign Chair Cindy Stumme



# Welcome BACK!

## Navy League Cadets & Officers

The Navy League of Canada, Manitoba Division, Brandon Branch Web: [www.mbnavyleague.ca](http://www.mbnavyleague.ca)

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# POPPY Cadet Tag Day

## saturday October 28, 2022

### "Thank You"

### Cadets of Brandon



POPPY Tag Day on Saturday October 29, 2022 involved many volunteers ranging from looking after soup to driving cars and everything before, between & after....to everyone "Thank You!".

We were blessed with a beautiful fall weather day! And at this time we wish to extend our gratitude to the Brandon stores who welcomed the Cadets at their doors; and to **All** the generous people in Brandon Manitoba... A sincere "**THANKYOU**" from the 2022 Poppy Campaign Committee



**JOB WELL DONE!**







### **Brandon Branch 003 Legion Executive 2022**

President: Fred Pritchard  
 Past President: Cindy Stumme  
 1st Vice President: Raymond Burgess  
 2nd Vice President: Linda Wakefield  
 Sgt-at-Arms: Richard McDonald  
 Secretary: Maureen Hawkins

### **Executive Committee**

Laura Hyrich,  
 Bob Mawson, Paul Mount,  
 Terry Shand, Erich Stumme, Murray Tallant

### **LADIES AUXILIARY 2020 EXECUTIVE**

President : Maureen Farrant  
 Past President: Linda Leckie  
 1st Vice President: Laura Hyrich  
 2nd Vice President: Barb Roberds  
 Secretary: Betty Persian  
 Sgt-at-Arms: Barb Roberds  
 Treasurer: Pat Simmons  
 Membership: Barb Wood  
 Poppy Committee: Shirley Kernaghan, Barb Roberds  
 Liaison: Laura Hyrich  
 Funeral Teas/Houselady: Maureen Farrant

### **Royal Canadian Legion Brandon Branch #3**

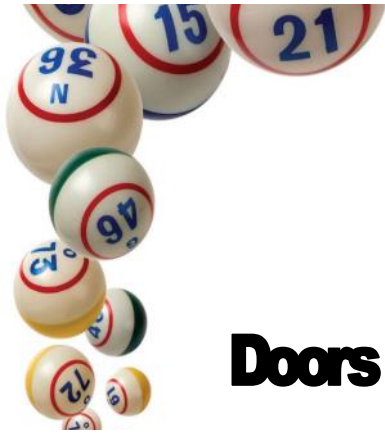
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**Legion Branch Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/LegionBrandonBranch/> ...contact  
 Lauren at Legion Lounge

**Legion Branch Website:** <https://www.brandonlegion.ca/> ( Please note plans for a re-start  
 /update for our Branch website in 2022

**Brandon Legionnaire Branch Newsletter:** contact Linda at [mrswakes@mymts.net](mailto:mrswakes@mymts.net) to submit  
 articles &/or pictures



# LEGION BINGO

## THURSDAY EVENING

**Doors open 5:00pm-~~Early Bird~~ 6:30 pm**

**Regular 7:00 pm**



# BRANCH 003 Legion hosts every Friday & Saturday Nite

## Meat Draws - 50/50 - CHASE The ACE

Join in the fun & excitement of a  
chance to win while supporting your



Brandon Branch #3





# November 2022



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Friday	Sat
		1 Poppy Office 9am—5pm	2 Poppy Office 9am—5pm Cribbage 7:00 pm	3 Poppy Office 9am—5pm BINGO Doors open 5 pm	4 No Stone Left Alone' Veterans Cemetery 10:am Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 5:00pm	5 Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 4:30pm
6 Branch Closed	7 Poppy Office 9am—5pm	8 Poppy Office 9am—5pm EXECUTIVE MTG 7:00 PM	9 Poppy Office 9am—5pm Cribbage 7:00 pm	10 Poppy Office 9am— 5pm BINGO Doors open 5 pm	11 Remembrance Day Service Keystone Centre 10:00am	12 Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 4:30pm
13 Branch Closed	14 Poppy Office 9am—5pm	15	16 Cribbage 7:00 pm	17 BINGO Doors open 5 pm	18 Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 5:00pm	19 Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 4:30pm
20 Branch Closed	21 Branch Closed	22 **** ELECTION at General MTG at 7:30pm	23 Cribbage 7:00 pm	24 BINGO Doors open 5 pm	25 Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 5:00pm	26 Meat Draw- 50/50 - Chace The Ace 4:30pm
27 Branch Closed	28 Branch Closed	29	30 Cribbage 7:00 pm			

**November Notes:** \*Poppy Office open from 9-5 Oct 31-Nov 12 \* Lounge open daily 1:00pm to close

**\*\*\*\*ATTENTION : Branch 003 Members...PLEASE attend General Meeting November 22, 2022 at 7:30 pm your presence, support & vote is required for the Branch 003 Election of 2023 Officers & Executive**