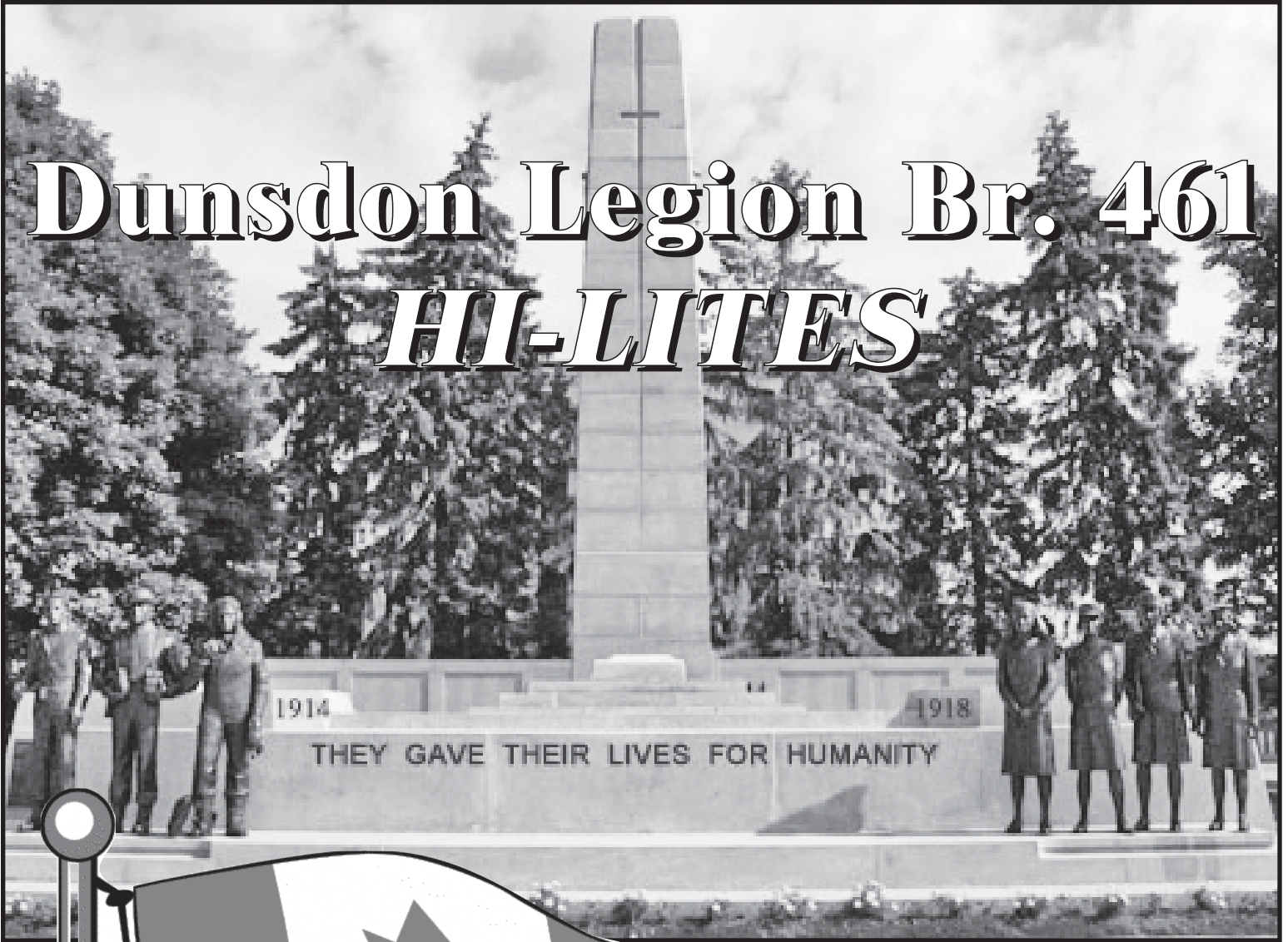


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HOSPITAL VISITS

Just a reminder that when a Legion member goes to the hospital, please have a member of the family call the bar so that we may visit you. Also, please let us know when you leave the hospital. It makes it easier on the committee. Call 519-752-6668.

CATERING NEWS

After almost a year of having no catering work for the Legion, we are finally getting some. This means that we will be looking for volunteers to work in the kitchen, serving and cleaning. These catering jobs are what keeps the Legion viable.

If you would like to help out and bring the Legion back to a positive position, please call Lou Anne at 519-304-1441.

Lou Anne Tessier

BEREAVEMENT SERVICE BRANCH POLICY

When there is a death of a branch veteran or member, it is the responsibility of the family to contact the branch to request a Legion service if one is desired. A notice providing the time and location of the service is posted in the Ed Potter's lounge at the legion to go along with the notification given in the Brantford Expositor.

The padre is contacted to arrange the service.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Comrades,

Our branch seems to be holding its own right now. We are getting good crowds for our Friday night Horse Races and our entertainment nights. All sports teams and card nights have begun. These teams are generating some much needed income.

It seems our old building is starting to need more repairs. This is not helping with our cash flow. Our application for a Trillium Grant has been submitted and hopefully we will be approved so we can replace our furnace and complete some additional repairs around the branch.

Comrade Lloyd Berkley has once again run a very successful Poppy Campaign. Although the volunteers were down this year, we were still able to raise around \$25,000.

Comrade Don Wolan received 158 entries for posters and poems and feels some of our entries have a good chance to move forward.

Our upstairs hall has been busy with hockey team fund raisers, Christmas parties and other events. As we move further into 2018, I'm sure we will be faced with more building challenges so we are planning a fund raiser for early next quarter. Volunteers continue to be an issue but we are working on getting some new members involved.

Ron Butcher
 President

BAR PRICES CHANGING

Comrades,

Due to higher operating costs (labor minimum wages + cost of products) we had no choice but to increase the prices at the bar effective February 12, 2018. We hope you understand and will continue to support our Legion. We also want to thank the members who responded to our request for E-mail bulletin. It's a good start but we would appreciate it if more members could sign up at dunsdonbr461@rogers.com.

Every dollar counts,

In Comradeship,
Martial Laberge
 1st Vice President Dunsdon Legion

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Notice to Members Regarding E-mails

Comrades,

There was a discussion at our last general meeting about sending the bulletin via E-mail in order to save money. We put together a mailing list with the email addresses we have on file and sent a demo to test the idea. For those who received the December 5th e-mail, you have the choice to participate or not in this initiative. Please reply to us (by e-mail) with your decision.

If you did not get the e-mail message:

- If you do not have e-mail access, you will continue to get the bulletin the regular way.
- Old registration forms did not ask for e-mail addresses or there was an error. If you have e-mail and want to participate in this initiative, please send an e-mail to the Legion at: dunsdonbr461@rogers.com

The bulletin (paper copies) will still be available at the Legion for pick-up.

In comradeship,

Martial Laberge, 1st Vice President

Special Projects

Comrades,

The Dunsdon Legion is still in need of funds to help spruce up and maintain the building. If you have not seen the members and donation boards as of yet, you should. Although these boards were donated, other projects are being considered, depending on our financial situation. We have a donor's board that we can and will be constantly updating. If you would like to see your name on the board, please make a financial contribution.

Don Wolan 519-771-7872

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**NEXT VISIT WILL BE
WEDNESDAY, MAY 2nd, 2018
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM**

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE
CALL THE OFFICE at 519-752-6668**

Sports Report

Comrades,

Please check boards for zone events and sign up sheets. Monday Fun Darts have started so please drop in and have a great time with Pat Hayhurst and her group. Snooker has started with two teams entered so we have a team at home every Wednesday.

See you around the clubrooms!

Scott Richards

Youth Education

The Legion's speaking contest is coming up on March 7th, 2018. It is being held in the upper hall and is for school children from grades 1 to 12. If you know of anyone who would like to participate, please contact me at donwolan58@gmail.com or phone/text me at 519-771-7872.

Comrade **Don Wolan**
Youth Education Chairperson

400 Club

Comrades,

The next 400 Club elimination Draw is being held on Friday, May 4th, 2018.

If you don't have tickets and would like to get some, please contact me at donwolan58@gmail.com or phone/text me at 519-771-7872

Comrade **Don Wolan**
400 Club Chairperson

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