

# *Kinette Club of High River*

*"O" Zone, District 4*

Issue # 3



# Nov. 15, 2011

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**Meeting Location:**

Munro Barn, Sheppard Family Park

High River, Alberta

**Time:** 6:00 Fellowship

6:30 Meeting & Supper

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## **Kinette Song**

Here we are, together once again  
Happy in the family of Kin  
We've forgot our cares and worries too  
Kinettes we've work to do  
Each of us will help to bind the tie  
So the heart of Kin will never die  
One and all, let's raise our voices high

*Kinettes, Kinettes, Kinettes*



## **Kinette Grace**

May the Lord make us true Kinettes  
In our thoughts and deeds  
And make us truly grateful  
For the food we receive

## **Kin Motto**

*"Serving the Community's Greatest Need"*

## **Mission Statement**

"Kin Canada is a dynamic volunteer organization enriching our communities through service while embracing national pride, positive values, personal development and lasting friendships."

# President's Message



Autumn has passed and we enter Winter. Our homes grow warmer, cozier with fireplaces and furnaces. We begin looking toward December, to the Christmas Season and what the holidays will bring.

Let us also look to Kin. Think about people who may be interested in coming to a meeting after the Holiday Season, try to get more people out to join our club. We will have a special membership event in January, and the more guests we have the better it will be! Christmas is a great time to gain the interest of others; we help with Adopt-a-Family, we have fun with fellowship, we are writing cards to our military overseas. We have many intriguing ideas and events coming in the New Year. Do your friends, family, colleagues, neighbours know what we do? Let's tell them – show them!

Our community needs to learn who the Kinettes are. We need to illustrate how we

*Grow. Learn. Make Friends. Have Fun.*

Yours in Kin,

*Krista*

GENERAL MEETING AGENDA  
**KINETTE CLUB OF HIGH RIVER**  
Nov 15, 2011 – Munro Barn, Sheppard Family Park  
General Meeting # 3



**Call to Order:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address to the Chair:** President Krista, Fellow Kinettes & Guests – Happy Clean Your Refrigerator Day!

**Agenda Approval**

**Tupperware Presentation – Guest Speaker:** Charmaine James

**MEAL**

**50/50 Draw**

**Military Family Resource Centre Cards**

**Secretary's Report:** Deb

**Minutes Approval – Errors or Omissions?**

**Correspondence**

**Treasurer's Report:** Kathy (Krista)

General \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Service \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Gaming \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership and Awards Report:** Pam

**Risk Manager Report:** Joy

**Service Director Report:** Lynda

**Gaming Director Report:** Liz

**Sunshine Girl Report:** Sheena

**Old Business**

Remembrance Day – Deb

**Ongoing Business**

LNO

Regal Fundraising

**New Business**

Tupperware Fundraising – discussion of presentation

Spitzee House Request - Krista

Adopt-a-Family Wrapping – Deb

Christmas Kettles – Krista

December Meeting – Krista

Golf Tournament for Education Bursaries

**Sergeant at Arms**

**Good of Kin**

**Announcements:**

**Drinks at Carlson's:** Dec 2, 2011

Next **Executive** Meeting: Fri, Dec 9, 2011 – TBA

Next **General** Meeting: Dec 20, 2011 – Sheppard Family Park

**Adjournment**

Kinette Club of High River  
Minutes - Executive Meeting #3  
Nov 10, 2011 - Deb's House

Called to order at 7:10 p.m. In Attendance: Krista, Deb, Joy, Lynda, Pam, Liz, Robin

**Correspondence:** Funding requests from Kids Cancer Care and Wild Rose Community Connections were passed along to Lynda. Information on the Bursaries was sent to our Club. Information from National was received including a newsletter and a Proclamation form. **Moved** by Deb, seconded by Robin, that we approve the October Executive minutes as printed in the bulletin. Carried.

**Treasurer:** No Report.

**Membership & Awards:** Joan's application has been sent in. We will concentrate on a membership drive in the New Year.

**Risk Manager Report:** Joy needs a list of events we will be holding and approximate dates to send to National so they can issue insurance certificates.

**Service Director:** Lynda received clarification on which applications have been received to date.

**Gaming Director:** Liz had the executive members complete forms for AGLC.

**Old Business:**      **Dues/AGLC:** This is being handled by Liz.

**Ongoing Business**

**LNO:** Date: April 14<sup>th</sup> at the Highwood Golf Course. Robin will set up specific functions to be covered off to and keep extra meetings to a minimum. The areas will include sponsorship/prizes; entertainment; decorating; ticket sales and communication. The bar proceeds will go to the golf course, so we want to make up for that loss of revenue by keeping guests purchasing tickets for prizes throughout the night.

**New Business:**

**Spitzee House Request:** Kathy has been approached to do the same dinner as we did for them last year - towards the end of January 2012. We have agreed to provide a ham dinner. Kathy will pass along her information from last year and we'll work from that.

**Military Family Resource Centre:** Pam received an email regarding a letter-writing campaign to Canadian troops in Afghanistan. Pam will bring cards to our general meeting for each member to write a letter.

**December Kin Korner:** Adopt-a-Family; Starting new year right and coming out to a meeting; NY Resolution - join Kinettes - do something for your community in 2012; Funding apps; LNO; Regal.

**Adopt A Family Wrapping:** The Town handed this project off to the Salvation Army. Deb will contact them to inquire about us doing the wrapping for them. We will see if there's a way to get the supplies through Regal.

**Christmas Kettles:** They are looking for anyone who is interested to contact the Salvation Army to volunteer.

**Children's Book Promos:** We have agreed to take this on again this year. Joy will keep us posted on details and what she needs from us.

**Laser Tag:** Krista will look into getting something booked and we will invite other clubs.

**Tupperware Fundraising:** This presentation will be at our November general meeting.

**Joint Pot-luck with Kinsmen:** Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>. They have asked if we are interested. We will bring it up at the general meeting.

**Adjourned** at 8:21 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES  
**KINETTE CLUB OF HIGH RIVER**  
October 18, 2011 – Sheppard Barn  
General Meeting # 2

**Called to Order:** 6:43p.m.

**In Attendance:** Krista, Robin, Pam, Kathy, Joy, Deb, Sheena, Liz, Kim

**Guest:** Carole Hamm; Kristine Bencharski

**Address:** President Krista, Fellow Kinettes, & Guests: It's pumpkin season.

**Additions:** Vest, PJ Party for SNAPS

**Secretary's Report:** **Moved** by Deb, seconded by Joan, that the September minutes be accepted as printed in the bulletin. Carried.

**Correspondence:** Thank you letter from Red Cross for our donation from the garage sale proceeds.

**Treasurer's Report:** \$2,066.96 – General; \$336.56 – Service; \$35,576.52 – Gaming. Kathy & Krista will meet with the bank on Friday to get \$10,000 from Gaming into a GIC.

**Membership & Awards:** Get on Board pictures will be taken tonight, to be posted on the Get on Board website. Pam has plenty of brochures and pamphlets. We should all take some and hand them out. Page 7 of the bulletin shows a personalized logo. The trademark agreement has been signed and we must use the logo according to that agreement. We now have a Dropbox account where our club's pictures and documents are stored. Pam will send the invitation out to all members. Maple Leaf Award – Pam gave Sheena and Kim the information for the award, and will forward it to Joyce.

**Risk Manager:** We are covered under the Accident Benefit Insurance, and it applies to any projects we run. We chose to opt in last year and will continue.

**Service Director:** No report.

**Gaming Director:** Liz will be reading through the GAIN binders to get up to speed. Krista has already contacted AGLC regarding our dues and will let Liz know the outcome.

**Sunshine Girl:** Sheena took plants and candy to fellow Kinsmen Max Schmid to acknowledge his father's passing.

**LNO:** We are looking at April 14. Robin is awaiting a reply on the availability of the golf course. The deposit can be used for that date.

**Old Business:**

Kinette Campout and Alberta Pride T-shirts are all paid up now.

**ONGOING BUSINESS:**

Project Ideas: Battery Recycling. Joan is checking out the company and will get back to us. Another fundraising idea is the NHL Loser Pool (Officepools.com).

Tupperware – A local Tupperware sales rep has offered 40% of all retail sales to us. We will invite Charmaine James to come and speak at our November meeting about this fundraiser.

Regal – Kathy reported on information for fundraising opportunities. They set up a dedicated website for our club, and we just promote the website and can circulate catalogues. The administration and delivery of the orders is handled by Regal.

**Moved** by Deb, seconded by Joy, that we go ahead with the Regal project. Carried. Kathy will coordinate the campaign.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Dues: Dues are due and most have paid. Kathy will follow up with anyone who didn't pay tonight. Krista has sent Melanie an email to get our invoice from both District and National. We need to send AGLC the invoice in order to get our dues out of gaming.

Remembrance Day Wreath: Deb will have it ordered. **Moved** by Joan, seconded by Kim, that we lay a wreath at the Remembrance Day Service. Carried.

Vest: We still have a medium Kinette Vest in inventory. Joan will purchase it.

PJ Party: Sheena reported on the SNAPS PJ party on November 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Sergeant at Arms:** \$8.25.

**Good of Kin:** Liz reported on the story about an Okotoks athlete who was running cross country and stepped out of the race to help a spectator who was having a heart attack. The Kinettes will follow the story and recognize her in Kin Korner and possibly find a way to acknowledge her selflessness.

**Door Prize:** Krista & Liz won flowers.

**Announcements:** Drinks at Carlson's Nov. 4; Next Executive Meeting – Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> at Deb's; Next General Meeting – Nov 15<sup>th</sup> – Sheppard Barn. Bring a Buddy night – special plans are being made.

**Adjourned:** 8:10 p.m.

Month	Hostess	Meal	Dessert
October	Robin	Robin	Robin
November	Joan	Joy	Joy
December	Joyce	Potluck	Potluck
January	Pam	Deb	Sheena
February	?	Pam	Joan
March	Liz	Liz	Deb
April	?	Joan	Kimmy
May	Krista	Krista	Krista
June	?	Potluck	Potluck



**Kin Canada**  
**Kinette Club  
 of High River**

# Kin Canada Bursaries



A Portion of the Hal Rogers Endowment Fund

DATE: October 26, 2011

TO: 2011-2012 Deputy Governors (via email)

FROM: Hal Rogers Endowment Fund – Board of Trustees

Dear Deputy Governor,

Congratulations on your position of Deputy Governor. I hope that you are having a great experience. As Chair of the Board of Trustees for the Hal Rogers Endowment Fund (HREF), I would like to ask for your support in helping us to communicate the message of Kin Canada Bursaries to all clubs in your Zone.

Following the loss of Founder Hal Rogers in 1994, Kin Canada Bursaries was established as a tribute to his life and belief in education. Since then, we have become one of the largest non-profit providers of bursaries to Canadian students. We are excited to announce that we have given out 703 bursaries to students. That's over \$700,000 in financial support helping hundreds of students achieve their academic goals.

The number of bursaries awarded each year is directly related to, and determined by, the total amount of donations received from clubs during the Kin year. Also, every club in the Association is eligible to submit an endorsed application form to National Headquarters for consideration. I'm asking for your support in encouraging clubs in your Zone to participate in this program by promoting the bursary in their community; submitting an endorsed application form; and by donating to the Hal Rogers Endowment Fund. The deadline for students to apply to their local club is February 1<sup>st</sup> and the deadline for clubs to submit their endorsed applications to National Headquarters is March 1<sup>st</sup>. Promoting the \$1000 bursary applications in your community is a great opportunity for P.R. for your club. More information is available on the Kin Canada website at [http://www.kincanada.ca/en/index.php/members/hal\\_rogers\\_endowment\\_fund](http://www.kincanada.ca/en/index.php/members/hal_rogers_endowment_fund).

An incentive has been established that was designed to encourage more clubs to support HREF, to grow the Endowment Fund so that it becomes self-sustaining, and to increase the number of bursaries that are awarded. Any club that donates \$2,500 in a single year will be granted a "Preferred Bursary Submission" meaning that they can submit an extra application in addition to their regular submission, and any of these submissions that qualify for the final scoring round will be automatically awarded. This rewards the club for their sizeable donation, while preserving the integrity of the Kin Canada Bursaries program as all applications that make it to the final round are worthy of our support.

I also wish to ask for your support in approaching individuals in your Zone who have a passion for education and serving the needs of others. We are looking for two (2) new trustees next year for our Board. As Chair, and a member of this Board for 3 years, I have known no greater reward in Kin than serving on the Hal Rogers Endowment Fund.

Thank you for your commitment to Kin and for making a difference in the lives of others. Please feel free to contact myself or any member of our Board or Bas Zak at National Headquarters if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours in Kin and Service,

*Brian (Coop) Cooper*, Chair

2011-2011 Board of Trustees

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**The Kinette Club of High River**

**KINETTE CLUB FUNDING APPLICATION**

**Requests Over \$1,000**

**Deadline for Application: February 28, 2012**

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The focus of the Kinette Club Funding will be to support local community groups or individuals in the Foothills area. You are invited to submit the application below for consideration. Please fill it out completely and mail to Kinette Club of High River, 50 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, PO Box 45086, High River, AB T1V 1R0 or fax to 403-601-2740. Should you have any questions or concerns, please email [hrkinettes@shaw.ca](mailto:hrkinettes@shaw.ca)

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**Full legal name (or legal name of your organization):**

**Contact names (President, Treasurer, Project Organizer, etc. if applicable):**

**Full mailing address with postal code, telephone, fax, e-mail:**

**Mandate / Mission Statement (if applicable):**

**What services does your organization provide (if applicable)?**

**Have you qualified for or received funds from a casino within the past 3 years? (This does not necessarily exclude you or your organization from consideration.)**

**Please indicate the amount that you are requesting - \$**

**Please itemize below how this money will be used. (If the funding requested in this application is approved the funds must be spent solely for the project / activities / expenses that you indicate here.)**

**Are you willing to make a presentation to the Kinette Club of High River (date and time to be determined) to tell us more about your application and how we can help?**

**Are you willing to be available for photo opportunities such as cheque presentations for publication in local newspapers?**

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**Please have 2 members of your organization's Executive (or 2 sponsors for individual applicants) sign and date this application.**

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**Signature:**

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**Date:**

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**Applicant's Signature:**

**Date:**

**Thank you for your application. We will be in contact to inform you whether your application is approved or if we require more information.**



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*Serving the Community's Greatest Need*

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**Requests up to \$1,000**

**Deadline for Application: June 1, 2012**

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## Kinette Club of High River

Dear Supporters,

This year we are excited to use Regal Gifts for our Fundraising Campaign. All money raised will stay in the community to help local charities and organizations.

Regal offers more than 1000 products with hundreds being priced under \$20. We are sure everyone can find something either for themselves or as a gift for family and friends.

### Important Points

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1. You don't need a catalogue. All current catalogues and specials can be viewed online when it's convenient for you.
2. After placing your order on our web store, the products are delivered directly to you. In stock items generally arrive within 7-10 business days.
3. To ensure your order is delivered quickly, we need you to either enter a physical address (not PO Box) or include your phone number when asked during the order process. For speedy delivery we recommend including both.
4. Regal has a low shipping rate - only \$5 per order under \$124.99 or 4% of the order total if your order is \$125 or more. ( plus taxes)
5. Our Organization earns at least 30% on every order and up to 35% if we all buy more!!

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**We thank you for your support!!**

Sincerely,

**The Kinette Club of High River**

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