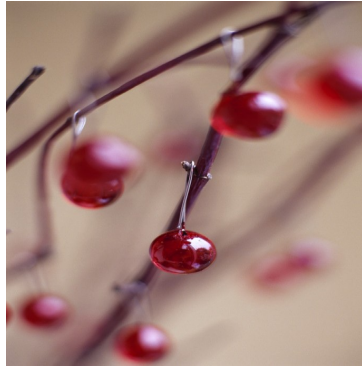


Kinette Club of High River

"O" Zone, District 4

Issue # 4



Dec. 20, 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



Christmas!

What a beautiful time of year. The season is truly upon us, as we all prepare to celebrate the holidays with our loved ones. The joy and love flows from the hearts of many, fills our homes and days with warmth and blessings.

I don't know about you, but personally I am looking forward to relaxing over the holidays, taking time with my family and friends, and enjoying the peace that the Christmas season brings. This will certainly be a Christmas for us to remember.

The New Year is also soon upon us! Thank you all for your thoughtfulness and words of kindness throughout the past year.

May 2012 bring you all the joy and happiness of your dreams. May you be fortunate and successful in love and life, and may your dreams be fulfilled.

And, as ever, may you

Grow. Learn. Make Friends. Have Fun.

Yours in Kin,

Krista

GENERAL MEETING AGENDA
KINETTE CLUB OF HIGH RIVER
Dec 20, 2011 – Munro Barn, Sheppard Family Park
General Meeting # 4



Call to Order: _____

Address to the Chair: President Krista, Fellow Kinettes – Merry Christmas!

Agenda Approval

Game #1

MEAL

Secretary's Report: Deb
General Meeting 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

Archivist Report: Robin

Sunshine Girl Report: Sheena

Game #2

Old Business
Tupperware Fundraising

Ongoing Business
LNO - Robin
Regal Fundraising
Spitzee House Dinner

New Business
Victoria's Quilts Canada
Service Forum – Mar 24, 2012

Game #3

Sergeant at Arms

Good of Kin

Announcements:
Drinks at Carlson's: Jan 6, 2011
Next **Executive** Meeting: Fri Dec 13, 2012? – TBA
Next **General** Meeting: Jan 17, 2012 – Sheppard Family Park

Adjournment and Gift / Goodie Exchanges

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
KINETTE CLUB OF HIGH RIVER
November 15, 2011 – Sheppard Barn
General Meeting # 3

Called to Order: 7:12 p.m. (after Tupperware presentation and dinner)

In Attendance: Krista, Robin, Pam, Joy, Deb, Liz, Lynda

Guest: Kristine Bencharski

Address: President Krista, Fellow Kinettes, & Guests: Happy Clean your Refrigerator Day!

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

Correspondence: As printed in the Executive Minutes in the bulletin.

Treasurer's Report: No report.

Membership & Awards: Welcome Kristine to her second meeting. In January we hope to do a membership drive. Pam will give us details in December.

Risk Manager: No report.

Service Director: We have received four requests for funding. Lynda will respond to them for now. However, we don't have a process in place for dealing with the under \$1000 applications and we need to work on that process. Krista will forward to Lynda last year's form letter. The Service Forum will be held on March 24th. Krista will book the Munroe Barn.

Gaming Director: Liz faxed in the change of executive to Gaming, as well as the application for funding for our dues. Liz needs Kathy's signature on the form for registration for National Convention.

Sunshine Girl: No report.

Ongoing Business:

LNO: As printed in the Executive minutes. Robin will keep us apprised of updates.

Old Business:

Remembrance Day: Deb laid a wreath at Remembrance Day. The mayor thanked the Kin Clubs for bringing Portraits of Honour to High River.

Regal Fundraising: Remember to send it to all your contacts and to the other Kin Clubs. Pam will send this out to the other clubs.

Adopt-a-Family: Deb is waiting to hear back from the Salvation Army contact.

Christmas Kettles: Anyone who is interested in volunteering can contact the Salvation Army directly.

December Meeting: Potluck and re-gift exchange at Munroe Barn. We will also have a "real" gift exchange for anyone who wants to participate as well as a cookie exchange. Krista will send out an email about this meeting.

Sgt. At Arms: \$6.50

Good of Kin: Liz will run a Lotto Fund. Pam talked about FLC.

Announcements: Drinks at Carlson's on December 2nd (Parade Night).

No Executive Meeting in December.

Next General Meeting: December 20 at Munroe Barn.

Adjourned 7:53 p.m.

Pam passed around cards for us to write a Christmas message. These will be sent to Canadian troops serving in Afghanistan.

Bring a Buddy

January 17, 2012

Bring a friend and enjoy our entertainment of

Name that 80's

Tune





D4 KIN

2012 District 4 Kin Bonspiel January 27-29, 2012

Registration Fee: \$250/team (payable to Lacombe Kinsmen Club)

**Venue: Lacombe Curling Club
5210 – 54 Avenue
Lacombe, AB**

**Official Hotel: Green Way Inn, 5402 – Hwy 2A, Lacombe, AB
www.greenwavinn.ab.ca 1-877-889-8877**

Hosted by: Lacombe Kinsmen Club

For more information or to register: contact Shawn Morton

Phone: 403-304-2231

Email: shawnmorton@hotmail.com

Fun, Food, Fellowship & Prizes!!! Spare players available for teams who are short curlers

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

Frosty the Snowman

D J D P I J E E I Q U S U M J L T B
 L W L G K O O Z X X N M W Y Y P L O
 H J B M C U Q L N I A G A K C A B C
 P H F E M F Q K L L M P D G W O Y I
 E G A L L I V L S Y W T A P I S P I
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 L P R B Z L S I X E H E B S Y F X O
 A Y Y R A E A U F V T F A E D I O F
 G E Y R T R A F F I C H S D P L L D

Frosty	eyes	dance	running	stop
snowman	coal	alive	square	hurry
jolly	fairy tale	laugh	catch me	goodbye
happy	children	play	streets	cry
soul	life	sun	town	back again
corncob	magic	hot	traffic	someday
pipe	silk	melt	cop	
button	hat	village	paused	
nose	head	broomstick	holler	

To find the answer to the trivia question, look for a word or phrase that is hidden in the puzzle, but not in the word list

Trivia: What is the first and last name of the songwriter who wrote "Frosty the Snowman"?

Answer: J_____ R_____



KIN Canada
Serving the Community's Greatest Need

The Kinette Club of High River

KINETTE CLUB FUNDING APPLICATION

Requests Over \$1,000

Deadline for Application: February 28, 2012

The Kinette Club of High River is a service organization made up of women who are dedicated to helping others in our community and surrounding areas. Our motto is "Serving the Community's Greatest Need", and to that end Kinsmen and Kinette clubs across Canada have been raising money for Cystic Fibrosis research and local organizations for more than 80 years.

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 – 3rd 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

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?

As a service organization, the Kinette Club of High River depends on fundraisers and donations to raise the money that we, in turn, put back into the community. In what way could you or your organization help to spread the word about our organization and what we do?

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

Name (please print):

Signature:

Position on executive:

Date:

Name (please print):

Signature:

Position on executive:

Date:

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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The Kinette Club of High River

KINETTE CLUB FUNDING APPLICATION

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

Regal has designed our own website for safe and secure ordering – www.kchr.shopregal.ca. Please read all the details on the homepage.

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!!

Product Exchanges are done directly through Regal's Exchange Centre – www.regal.ca/exchangecentre. Refunds can be requested through the Centre as well as long as our campaign is open. After the campaign closes you will only be able to receive an exchange.

We thank you for your support!!

Sincerely,

The Kinette Club of High River

THINK EXPANSION - THE SELLING OF THE FAMILY OF KIN - # 15

The future of Kin Canada rests with the members - that's YOU. Bringing a new member into the Association is a gift: a gift to the new member who receives the experience of Kin and a gift to you as well. You will receive the satisfaction of having spread the ideals of Kin.

The key to attracting new members is not in worrying and grumbling about declining membership, but by doing something very simple - ask someone to a meeting. Sure, you won't get everyone, but at least you will be giving him or her the opportunity to discover Kin.

Here are some tips on how to treat prospective members so that the Association and your club will grow:

- Invite the prospective member to a meeting well ahead of time. Tell him/her briefly what Kin is and what to expect at the meeting.
- Sell Kin. Let him/her know how you feel about our Association, its purposes, successes, fellowship and community importance.
- Bring him/her to the meeting or arrange to have him/her picked up. Don't have him/her arrive alone at the meeting not knowing anyone.
- Get him/her a guest card or a visitor's name badge. Introduce him/her to other Kinsmen/Kinnettes and don't assume that he/she knows them. Be sure to introduce the President to your prospective member.
- Sit with him/her during the meeting and explain the process as the meeting progresses.
- After the meeting invite him/her back to the next meeting, work party or social. The personal touch is important.
- Invite his/her questions. One meeting may leave him/her more confused about Kinsmen/Kinnettes than before (remember what you thought when you first heard the Kin/Kinette Song!).

If he/she shows interest in joining fill out a proposal for membership form. You should also attend the Executive meeting to propose him/her for membership.

Once he/she has been accepted for membership, don't drop him/her there. Make sure he/she is aware of the meetings, socials, conventions, etc. You should, in effect, be his/her sponsor for his/her first year as a member of our Association.

The best selling feature of Kin Canada is YOU. Let your associates and friends know that you are a Kinsmen/Kinette and proud of it. Give them the same opportunity that you enjoy.

SELLING THE FAMILY OF KIN - QUIZ # 15

1. The responsibility of expanding membership lies with the membership chairman only.
TRUE or FALSE
2. The best way to get new members is to go out and invite young men/women to one of your meetings.
TRUE or FALSE
3. You should never introduce a prospective member to the President as this might intimidate him/her.
TRUE or FALSE
4. Never tell a prospective member what to expect at a meeting because this information will confuse him/her.
TRUE or FALSE
5. A sponsor should never sit with his/her guest as this limits the number of club members that he/she may talk to.
TRUE or FALSE
6. After the meeting, wait until the prospective member asks you if he/she can come back to another meeting.
TRUE or FALSE
7. An invitation to a club social or work party may do more to keep the prospective member interested than anything else may.
TRUE or FALSE
8. A proposal for membership form should be filled out promptly and acted upon by the Executive.
TRUE or FALSE
9. Once the new member has been approved, the sponsor no longer has any responsibility to the new Kinsman/Kinette.
TRUE or FALSE
10. The best selling feature of Kin Canada is a proud and satisfied member who communicates his/her feelings.
TRUE or FALSE

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