



# WING DING – June 2022



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Tues., June 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.

The 404 Wing has survived another fiscal year and is looking forward to the next. The WEC election will be held at the Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. and I hope we will have a good turnout of Wing members for this important meeting.

On **Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup>**, the Wing will hold a **Family Picnic from 1:00 pm. to 5:00 pm.** There will be hot dogs, hamburgers and sausages, all for the small sum of \$1.00 each. Hopefully, it will be a nice day and we will have a good turnout of Wing members with their families.

On Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, Branch 530, Royal Canadian Legion will be holding their Decoration Day at Parkview Cemetery at 2:00 p.m., the parade will form up at 1:45 p.m.

The **Veterans Picnic will be held again at the 404 Wing on Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, starts at 1:00 p.m.** Tickets will be available at the bar. The picnic will be hosted this year by Branch 530 R.C.L.

The 404 Wing has been working with the 530 Air Cadet Squadron's, Sponsoring Committee to enhance the air cadet scholarship fund. The fund will be called 404 K-W WING R.C.A.F.A. Education Scholarship Trust. The fund offers scholarships to 530 Squadron graduating cadets, who will be continuing their education. There will be forms at the 404 Wing bar with more information for anyone who would like to donate, and you will receive a taxable receipt for any contribution. I hope that 404 Wing members will support this scholarship fund.

This will be the last newsletter until September. In closing, I want to wish everyone a safe healthy, and relaxing summer, and just remember the Wing has a nice shaded patio on which to relax and enjoy a cold one.

**A. Douglas Arnold**

Per Ardua Ad Astra

## LADIES AUXILIARY

The Wing celebrating Families on June 4<sup>th</sup>. Bring the kids and grandkids to the inaugural **FAMILY PICNIC**.

Friday lunch is a good time to come to the Wing and reconnect with members and socialize over a light meal.

Or take some time to just sit and enjoy the patio now that the nice weather has arrived.

The Auxiliary is making plans for their next 'social event', a theatre trip in August for a fun afternoon show. The *Sweet Delilah Swim Club* is a heartwarming comedy about five feisty women who met years ago. They rely on one another to get through the challenges that life flings at them – including men, sex, marriage, parenting, divorce, and aging – with some hilarious and unexpected twists and turns.

Be safe. Take care.

*Donna Kuehl*, President

## **FAMILY PICNIC**

**Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> 1-5 pm**



**HOT DOGS**

**HAMBURGERS**

**SAUSAGES & FIXINS'**



**Live Music**

**by Bruce Breen**



**Bring the kids and grandkids**

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## PADRE'S CORNER



On **June 6, 1944**, Canadian Forces landed on Juno Beach - D-Day, as this day would become known. Canada's impressive efforts in the Second World War remain a point of great national pride, even many decades later. The brave Canadians who came ashore on D-Day and saw action in the Battle of Normandy were among the more than one million men and women from our country who served in the cause of peace and freedom during the conflict. Sadly, over 45,000 of them would lose their lives.

On Canada Day and every day, reflect on the courage of those who fought for our freedom. **Praise God for the privileges we experience in Canada**, and pray for those around the world who do not have the same rights and freedoms.

### **The Maple Leaf forever!**

*The land of blue unending skies,  
Mountains strong and sparkling snow,  
A scent of freedom in the wind,  
O'er the emerald fields below.*

*To thee we brought our hopes, our dreams,  
For thee we stand together,  
Our land of peace, where proudly flies,  
The Maple Leaf forever.*

*Long may it wave, and grace our own,  
Blue skies and stormy weather,  
Within my heart, above my home,  
The Maple Leaf forever!*

*From East and West, our heroes came,  
Through icy fields and frozen bays,*

*Who conquered fear, and cold, and hate,  
And their ancient wisdom says*

*Protect the weak, defend your rights,  
And build this land together,  
Above which shine the Northern Lights,  
And the Maple Leaf forever!*

*Oh, Maple Leaf, around the world,  
You speak as you rise high above,  
Of courage, peace and quiet strength,  
Of the Canada I love.*

*Remind us all our union bound,  
By ties we cannot sever,  
Bright flag revered on every ground,  
The Maple Leaf forever!*

## **PARADES**

**June 5<sup>th</sup>: Decoration Day Parade & Service** – Hosts: RCL # 530 at Parkview Cemetery at 2:00 pm; form up 1:45 p.m.

**Aug 9<sup>th</sup>: Peacekeepers Day Parade & Service** – Host: RCL #530 at Waterloo Cenotaph, Regina Street N. at 1:00 p.m.

**Sept 18<sup>th</sup>: Battle of Britain** – Host: RCAFA #404 Wing; 2:00 p.m. at 404 Wing, 510 Dutton Dr., Waterloo

## **AIR CADETS**



530 HAVOC squadron is bursting at the seams now that cadets can come out and participate in all the activities. From the extracurricular activities, to the Hercules flight, to the FTX, to Canada's Wonderland, the squadron staff work hard to create a great cadet experience. The Annual Ceremonial Review (ACR) on June 8<sup>th</sup> is the most important event of the Air Cadet training year. The Squadron will showcase skills and lessons learned during the past year. Top deserving cadets are presented with National, Regional and Local awards. Due to COVID this will be an RSVP event.

The 404 K-W Wing offers support to #530 HAVOC Squadron Air Cadets. The recipient of the 404 K-W Wing R.C.A.F.A. Education Scholarship will be announced at the ACR. You can contribute to the scholarship trust fund and support air cadets. Forms are available at the Wing. Income tax receipts are issued for donations.



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## CALENDAR

The patio is open! Come out and enjoy the good weather.  
Members and guests are asked to wear masks and be double vaccinated.

### REGULAR OPEN HOURS:

Wednesdays 12:00-5:00  
Thursdays 12:00-5:00  
Fridays Lunch 11:00 am-1:00

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<b>1<sup>st</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 2-4 Jammers	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 1:00-4:00 Bid Euchre	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b> <b>11am-1 pm</b> Friday Lunch	<b>4<sup>th</sup></b> <b>1 - 5 pm</b> <b>WING</b> <b>Family</b> <b>Picnic</b>
Closed Decoration Day Parkview Cemetery 2:00 pm	<b>6<sup>th</sup></b> <b>1:00-4:00</b> Bid Euchre	<b>7<sup>th</sup></b> <b>2:00 pm</b> GENERAL MTG.	<b>8<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 2-4 Jammers	<b>9<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 1:00-4:00 Bid Euchre	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b> <b>11am-1 pm</b> Friday Lunch	Closed Memorial 2-4 Private
Closed	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b> <b>1:00-4:00</b> Bid Euchre Carol's Club	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 2-4 Jammers	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 1:00-4:00 Bid Euchre	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b> <b>11am-1 pm</b> Friday Lunch	Closed
Closed	<b>20<sup>th</sup></b> <b>1:00-4:00</b> Bid Euchre	<b>21<sup>st</sup></b> 10:00 am WEC mtg.	<b>22<sup>nd</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 2-4 Jammers	<b>23<sup>rd</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 1:00-4:00 Bid Euchre	<b>24<sup>th</sup></b> <b>11am-1 pm</b> Friday Lunch	Closed
Closed	<b>27<sup>th</sup></b> <b>1:00-4:00</b> Bid Euchre Carol's Club 6:00 – 9:00 Optimist Club	<b>28<sup>th</sup></b> Closed	<b>29<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 2-4 Jammers	<b>30<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 - 5 pm</b> 1:00-4:00 Bid Euchre	<b>July 1<sup>st</sup></b> <b>Canada</b> <b>Day</b>	

## MEMBERSHIP

JOIN OR RENEW NOW ►

Our current membership year ends on June 30<sup>th</sup>. All members are asked to renew by June 30<sup>th</sup>.  
Your continuing support and participation is appreciated.

Mail or deliver to: 404 K-W Wing, RCAFA 510 Dutton Dr., Waterloo N2L 4C6.

## NOMINATIONS & ELECTION

Nominations for the Wing's Board of Directors/Wing Executive Council conclude at the Annual Meeting on June 7<sup>th</sup>. If you are willing to stand for election or wish to nominate another Regular Member, please reply to Donna Kuehl, Past President. Phone 519-744-3146 or email [adeline@sympatico.ca](mailto:adeline@sympatico.ca).

### 3<sup>rd</sup> NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING and ELECTION

Notice is hereby given as of April 1, 2022 in the City of Waterloo, Ontario: All voting members of 404 K-W Wing, Royal Canadian Air Force Association are hereby given notice of the Annual General Meeting to be held at the Wing quarters at 510 Dutton Drive, in the City of Waterloo, Ontario on 07 June 2022 for the purpose of:

The Election of Wing Executive and Directors, and any other issues or motions that may be rightly brought before this Meeting, in accordance with the By-Laws and Regulations of the Association and of the Wing.

*Doug Arnold*, President

*Donna Kuehl*, Secretary



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## LOUNGE SPECIALS

**MEET UP WITH FRIENDS OVER A BITE TO EAT  
AND SHARE A TALE OR TWO.**

### SANDWICHES

Available  
**\$3.75**



**WEDNESDAYS**

And

**THURSDAYS**

### FRIDAY LUNCH

**11:00 to 1:00**

### SANDWICH PLATE

**\$4.00**

**Soup may be added  
to your lunch for \$2**

### Wing Executive Council: 2021-22

President	Doug Arnold	519-888-0902
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Pres.	Larry Allenson	519-716-0266
Secretary	Donna Kuehl	519-744-3146
Treasurer	Andy Glenn	519-894-8748
Director	Adrian Vath	519-888-0980
Director:	Ken Conway	416-697-4876
Director	Robert Balfour	519-743-2652
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Pres.	vacant	
Director	vacant	

### Ladies Auxiliary Executive: 2021-22

President	Donna Kuehl	519-744-3146
Sec-Treas.	Carol Totzke	519-885-6173
Director: Visiting	Anna May Trapp	519-896-0143
Director:	Christine Bertram	226-453-2021

## Vive La Différence

Bookseller conducting a market survey asked a woman – “Which book has helped you most in your life?” The woman replied, “My husband’s check book!!”

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A prospective husband in a book store “Do you have a book called ‘Husband – the Master of the House?’” Sales girl: “Sir, fiction and comics are on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor!”



**Kitchener-Waterloo  
Veterans Council**

*Lest We Forget*

## Annual SUMMER Picnic

**Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Come out for a fun day of food and games  
BBQ, door prizes and good music**

**Same location as last year !**

ANNUAL  
**Summer  
PICNIC**

Food • Fun • Games • Music

**Sunday, July 10, 2022  
1:00 – 6:00 pm**

**510 Dutton Drive, Waterloo  
404 K-W Wing, R.C.A.F. A.**

**\$5 in advance \$6 at gate**

Sponsored By  
KW Veterans Council

**FUN  
TIMES!!**

**Tickets available for members  
& friends at K-W Veterans Associations**