

Chestermere Historical Foundation
AGENDA of Regular Meeting Oct 18, 2022, at 1:00pm
Whitecappers' Room, 201 W. Chestermere Drive, Chestermere, AB

Call to Order

- 1. Approval of Agenda**
- 2. Approval of Minutes 20 Sept 2022**
- 3. Treasurer's Report** – no report for October.

4. Business Arising from the Minutes

- a. Public art piece committee** – Jen has contacted Ron and Manny for update
- b. WID sign partnership committee** – no contact since March 9, 2022.
- c. Bridge Banners** – Mock ups of the banners received, photo of pony replaced with 'making ice cream in Chestermere' Glenbow photo
- d. Programs**
 - i. November 15: "Chestermere at War"** presented by Kay Clarke.
 - ii. further topics with no confirmed speaker** - Mayors of Chestermere (J. Peddlesden to check with Audrey McDonald); cabin leases along the lake; Chestermere and the Olympics; Chestermere Rec Centre (Kim Soderberg McRae on hold.) Roy Berg, Chestermere Volunteer Fire Department; ask some of those who own old cabins still in use, to tell the story of these: Greteners, Hoopers and maybe a few more. Present the information given to Anthem United for the Pioneer Trail: Hodgson, McElroy, Carlyle, Dairying in Chestermere area? Ditch rider presentation by Dale Holwegner, if available.
 - e. Chelsea "Pioneer Trail" project** – some photos received and article in Anchor to appear late Oct. Card sent to Joyce with photo of public art apple tree.
 - f. Fire Truck** – thank you card to sign for firefighters with gift certificate.

5. New Business

- a. Library Display for November** –Don Lemna will take care of a display in one cabinet, Eileen and Jen will look after large cabinet. See list below. Instal in or around Nov 1.
- b. Chestermere Library** – request to do program in January at library. The most interesting/valued donations you've received to date—it works both as an topic and a way of showing people what's worth donating! Date TBA they are open it is up to us. (Instead of a meeting program?)
- c. Membership Cards** – Lorraine Webster's file not available so purchased from Vistaprint.
- d. Seniors Handbook** – Older Adults Coalition – Jen sent submission.
- e. NEW Chestermere webpage** – www.chestermere.com - can submit events, this one on Made Beaver featured on front page.

6. Next Meeting - Tuesday, November 15th 2022, 1:00 pm at Whitecappers. **Program** at 2:00pm:
Chestermere at War – Kay Clarke

7. Adjourn for program 'Made Beaver- Currency of the Fur Trade' – by Todd Mc Bride

OUTSTANDING CASINO ITEMS from list

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">a. storage other than Camp Chestermere - on holdb. name the bridgec. children's book about fire truckd. vests for volunteerse. dance – The Hippocratic Oath Dance Band – Stacey |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">f. biographies of mayors of Chestermereg. Conrich School albums - Ideas?h. Sea Can for storagei. historical photos of local Chestermere families |
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Food and fuel rationing (ration books/coupons)

Wartime recipes

Fund-raising events (newspaper clippings regarding a 1944 event at Chestermere; 1917 Red Cross quilt)

German prisoners of war working on local farms due to farm labour shortage

Farm vehicles were required to have the farmer's name and location painted on the door (have photo showing this)

Victory Bond drives (local people both sold and purchased these)

Jan 1943 Harvard trainers crash (news clippings and letter opener made from piece of wreckage)

Locals who served in armed forces; casualties (photos/biographies)

Don Lemna has War memorabilia which he will make available.