

2021/ 2022

# **QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER**

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#### **HELLO DISTRICT 3!**

CAN YOU HEAR THE BELLS??? THE JINGLE BELLS???

WITH THE SNOW ARRIVING AND COLD SETTING IN, IT IS GOING TO BE A WHITE CHRISTMAS IN SASKATCHEWAN!

OUR CLUBS AND MEMBERS HAVE BEEN FUNCTIONING IN A COVID WORLD FOR OVER 20 MONTHS; I WOULD LIKE TO BELIEVE THAT WE ARE STRONGER BECAUSE OF IT. WE HAVE MADE MANY NEW DISCOVERIES OVER THIS TIME THAT HAVE HELPED US GROW AND EVOLVE; OUR CLUBS CAN FUNCTION UTILIZING A HYBRID OF IN PERSON AND VIRTUAL RESOURCES, WE HAVE FOUND NEW WAYS TO HELP OUR COMMUNITIES THROUGH FUNDRAISERS AND SERVICE PROJECTS, AND GOTTEN PRETTY CREATIVE IN THE WAYS WE CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER. IT BRINGS ME GREAT JOY TO KNOW THAT I AM A PART OF THIS AMAZING GROUP OF PEOPLE OUT THERE IN OUR COMMUNITIES MAKING A DIFFERENCE AND "SERVING OUR COMMUNITIES' GREATEST NEEDS".

YOU ARE NOT ALONE! WHETHER YOU ARE NEEDING A KIN "BROTHER" OR "SISTER" TO LEAN ON WHEN YOU ARE DOWN, AN OLIVE BRANCH TO GET YOU THROUGH A SLUMP, OR A HELPING HAND TO LIFT THE "HEAVY LOAD", WE ARE HERE FOR EACH OTHER. IN OUR TIMES OF NEED, WE HAVE LEARNED TO LOOK TO OUR FELLOW KIN TO OFFER SUPPORT; MANY OF US ARE NOT OK RIGHT NOW. WE ARE EXHAUSTED AND OVERWHELMED. SOME DAYS WE ARE NOT SURE HOW OR WHERE TO START. YOUR FELLOW KIN ARE HERE TO HELP YOU AND TO OFFER SUPPORT. REACH OUT! THERE IS NOTHING MORE VALUABLE IN KIN THAN THE RELATIONSHIPS AND FRIENDSHIPS BUILT. BE KIND; YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT SOMEONE ELSE IS GOING THROUGH. I OFTEN FIND THAT OUR SPARKS ARE REJUVENATED AFTER A CLUB VISIT, PHONE CALL, EVENT, SERVICE PROJECT, TELEMIRACLE, OR MEETING.

THERE IS AN INCREDIBLE AMOUNT OF KNOWLEDGE IN OUR DISTRICT. HOW MUCH CAN YOU LEARN FROM THE EXPERIENCES OF OTHERS RIGHT HERE? EDUCATE, ENGAGE, EMPOWER; THE THREE PILLARS OF MY PLATFORM THIS YEAR REPRESENT JUST THIS. WE CAN LEARN A LOT FROM EACH OTHER BUT WE CAN ALSO SHARE OUR EXPERIENCES, EVERYONE IS UNIQUE AND BRINGS SOMETHING DIFFERENT TO THE ORGANIZATION. BY ENGAGING IN THE CONVERSATION WE CREATE THE "FAMILY OF KIN" THAT WE LOVE SO MUCH. AND THIS EMPOWERS US TO EVOLVE WITH NEW IDEAS, TO HELP OUR CLUBS AND COMMUNITIES, AND TO GROW AS INDIVIDUALS; TO EXPAND OUR PERSONAL STRENGTHS AS WELL AS SEE THE BEST IN OTHERS. SO GRAB A HOT COCOA, MAYBE AN EGGNOG, AND TURN UP THE CAROLS; MAYBE YOU WOULD RATHER PROVIDE THE MUSIC TO THOSE AROUND YOU, OR TOUR THE COUNTRY SIDE IN A HORSE DRAWN SLED. EITHER WAY, FROM MY HOUSE TO YOURS,

**MICHELLE MILLER DISTRICT 3 GOVERNOR** 2021-2022

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#### **OBJECTS OF THE ASSOCIATION**

To promote and direct Service work through fellowship among its Clubs and their members, to the end that:

- Members of the Clubs may enjoy personal development through the association;

they may be improved and educated in modern business and professional methods and ethics;
the involvement of all in the enrichment of their community may be stimulated;

- a spirit of co-operation, tolerance, understanding, and equality among all nations and peoples be fostered and that unity of thought and purpose throughout Canada be established toward this goal; and - they shall serve their community's greatest need.

#### **KIN MOTTO**

Serving the Community's Greatest Need

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

Volunteer members impacting Canadian communities through service, leardership, fellowship, and personal development.

#### VISION

To be Canada's National Service Organization

#### VALUES

Excellence, Pride, Integrity, Inclusiveness, Compassion

#### KIN SONG

Here we are together once again One and all a happy bunch of Kin, Leave your cares and troubles for a while, Let your face break forth in smile. Turn around; grab someone by the hand, They're your friends, the finest in the land, Now all set, let's shout to beat the band, KINSMEN, KINETTES, AND KIN!!

#### **KINSMEN SONG**

Here we are together onces again One and all a happy bunch of men, Leave your cares and troubles for awhile, Let your face break forth in smile, Look around, grabe someone by the hand, They're your friends, the finest in the land. Now all set, let's shout to beat the band, KINSMEN, KINSMEN, KINSMEN!

#### KIN GRACE

Happy to mee, Sorry to part, Happy to meet again. May the Lord make us true Kin, In our thoughts and deeds, And make us truly grateful, For the food we receive. Amen.

#### **KINETTE SONG**

Here we are together onces again Happy in the Family of Kin. We've forgotten 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!



# **FOUNDATION OFFICE- FUND DEVELOPMENT MANAGER**

#### Location: Saskatoon

The Kinsmen Foundation is seeking a Personal, donor-centric, results-oriented fundraising professional to join our team and lead our fund development efforts. The FD Manager will work with Staff and Volunteers to Welcome donors into meaningful and lasting relationships with the organization and its mission. Your overall aim is building and executing appropriate fund development plans to achieve established revenue goals with extreme effectiveness and proficiency.

# www.telemiracle.com/careers/ for more information or to apply

#### Hello Fellow Kin.

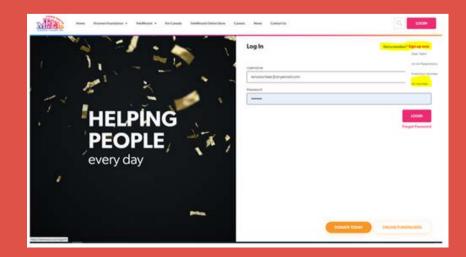
My Name is Tammy Allan, and I am your TeleMiracle 46 ManPower Chair. I wanted to reach out to everyone and let them know that we are working very hard to bring veryone to Regina this year to work at TeleMiracle46. As you all know, covid is still a very reall concern and we ned to do everything we can to keep each other safe. We are still working out the details on what the shifts and roles will look like, but we look forward to seeing everyone on March 5-6, 2022 in Regina. The show will be held at Evraz Place this year and we will be providing updated informationas we get closer to the show. In the meantime, I will let yo uknow that in the interest of saving the environment and money, all information will be located on the Kin Portal at TeleMiracle.com which should be live on or around December 20, 2021. I would like to ask you all to visit http://telemiracle.com/login/# and register as a Kin Volunteer (see example below). This is where we will share information regarding shifts, hotel requests and all volunteer information for the upcoming show. I look forward to the upcoming show and to seeing all of the Kin faces as well.

I hope you all have a wonderful holiday season!

You can always reach me at manpower@telemiracle.com for any questions you may have.

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Tammy Allan Manpower Chair **TeleMiracle46** 



Back by popular demand! The Pre-Order Store will be open until January 5th, 2022 !



# THE TELEMIRACLE SOUVENIR STORE IS OPEN AGAIN!!

CHECK OUT THE STORE ON THE TELEMIRACLE WEBSITE, YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS OUT ON ALL THE AMAZING ITEMS!!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE ANY OF THE NON CLOTHING ITEMS TO HAVE BEFORE CHRISTMAS, PLEASE CONTACT THE FOUNDATION OFFICE INSTEAD OF THE ONLINE STORE.



#### WWW.TELEMIRACLE.COM/TELEMIRACLE-ONLINE-STORE/

# **CALLING CHAMPIONS FOR CHANGE!**

To continue to make progress on Kin Canada's commitment to improving diversity and inclusivity, we are seeking **Champions for Change** to join the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Task Force. We are currently seeking Kin members who have knowledge of/interest in the following topic to serve as part of the working group:

#### Topics of interest include:

- · Sexuality/sexual orientation/sexism
- Gender expression
- Race
- Ethnicity
- Eutinicity
- Religion
- Age/Ageism
- Immigration & refugees
- Indigenous relationsVeterans affairs
  - Differing abilities (physical, cognitive etc.)
  - Differing relationship status
  - Differing socio-economic status

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Kin's Champions for Change will work together to advise Kin Canada Operations on how we can further learning opportunities in the above areas, provide resources for current and future members, and make our Association inclusive to all Canadians.

To join this group or learn more, please contact Club Support Coordinator Lindsay King at <u>lking@kincanada.ca</u>

#### **TeleMiracle Community Shout Out Instructions:**

Gather a group near a landmark in your community. (Preferable but not required) This could be the town sign "Welcome to \_\_\_\_\_\_, City hall, community centre, grandma's living room etc.

Please use **TWO** cellphones (or a camera with an external microphone)

**Cellphone 1** will record the video of the group doing a shout out and can be placed on a tripod or held by a person not in the video.

**Cellphone 2** will record the audio. Record just like you would a video but we will only use the audio. This phone must be held by someone in the group.

The reason for this is that when one camera is far enough away to record the video, then the audio is very poor. Using one camera for audio and one camera for video solves this problem.

#### \*\*\*\*VERY IMPORTANT\*\*\*

#### Please shoot the video HORIZONTALLY (Landscape, like the horizon)

Someone in the front row must CLAP THEIR HANDS ONCE, and then count the group into the start. This allows us to sync the audio and video together.

Sample script: "Yorkton supports TeleMiracle because we're rooted in Saskatchewan."

Keywords: TeleMiracle / Your town's (group, club) name / Rooted in Saskatchewan

We need to see the **CLAP** and counting but we will clean it up so that only the above script is seen/heard.

Send **BOTH** files to the TeleMiracle producers using this Google Drive link.

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1UHhDBTLS6sgms1fee0pw3nCngdwTiTwy?usp=sharing

Or, if you prefer, send them via DropBox, WeTransfer, One Drive, courier pigeon etc. kin.norm@telemiracle.com

Show everyone in Saskatchewan your home town pride. It is our hope and desire to get several of these to play throughout the broadcast, and we've got 20 hours to show them! It could also be a good way to get people thinking about fundraising. Have some fun with it!

#### DON'T DELAY!! IT'LL BE FUN AND EASY!! DO IT NOW!!

Good luck and reach out with any questions. We're here to help.

Norm & Charlene Shuttleworth Producers – TeleMiracle 46 kin.norm@telemiracle.com kin.charlene@telemiracle.com 1-306-260-6019

Jan. 31. 2022 deadline















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# DISTRICT 3 WEBSITE

www.district3kin.com

public site ~ Member Centre has most documents needed by clubs or members



# FACEBOOK PAGES

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**Public Page** - if you would like information shared on this page please send request to

sask.kin@gmail.com along with image and write up **Private Page** - if you would like information shared on this page please post it!! This page is internal and only shared with D3 Kin, this is a positive place to ask questions, share events, and ideas



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### Need to reach out?? Email.....

Sask.Kin@gmail.com with general questions District.3.Kin.Treasurer@gmail.com with Money inquiries District3awards@gmail.com for Awards inquiries BStrong@KinCanada.ca for Education inquiries BLamb@KinCanada.ca for Club Support JBeal@KinCanada.ca for Risk Management Inquiries MMiller@KinCanada.ca for Governor Michelle



Foundation Meeting	Dec. 18, 2021
Christmas Day	Dec. 25, 2021
T2 Tax Form Deadline	Dec. 31, 2021
NewYears Day	Jan. 1, 2022
Foundation Meeting	Jan. 22, 2022
HREF apps due to clubs	Feb.1, 2022
National Day of KINdness	Feb. 19, 2022
Founder's Day	Feb. 20, 2022
HREF apps due to National	Mar. 1, 2022
TeleMiracle46 in Regina!	Mar 5, 2022
District Conference- Rosetown, SK	Jun 11-13, 2022





From: Brett B. Melissa, Coriane, Steve, Nancy, Pam, Wendy, Corie, Paula, Chratelle, Jessica, Tammy, Amarda, Governor Michelle, Brittany, Byron, Brett S. Lyndsay, Terri, Ryan and Chad





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