

# SASKIN



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be **KIN**”*

# GOVERNOR'S REPORT

## *“Proud to be Kin!”*

to have fun at the events, and keep telling your Kin story.

As most of you are aware I recently became the Store Manager at Mr. Big and Tall in Regina. This new role also comes with a few more responsibilities which changes a lot of things for me. One being Saturday availability. As the Store Manager I am required to work 90% of the Saturdays in a calendar year including vacations. They do understand my role as Governor and are giving me some slack but having to take off at least 1 Saturday every month is something that I needed to look at.

After some discussions and talking with the Foundation Executive, I have decided to step down from the Foundation Board. I talked with Past Governor Craig and he has agreed to take my place. I would not have been able to give the Foundation the time that it deserves without causing conflicts at work. This will also allow the District to continue to receive the focus and time that it deserves as well. I need to have the proper balance of Family, work, Kin.

On the administrative side, we have a few clubs that need to get incorporation, insurance or dues done. If your club is one of them, please contact myself soon. We can work with you to get it solved and I can contact HQ and keep them off your back. We are here to help you. My email is [d3kinjoel@gmail.com](mailto:d3kinjoel@gmail.com) or you can call me. 306-631-9458.

Please let me and the District Council know of your events; we are always wanting to come out and help you any way we can and have some fun with our Kin Family.

YIK, Joel Siemens  
District 3 Governor



**Joel Siemens**  
**District 3 Governor**  
[focus.ebc@gmail.com](mailto:focus.ebc@gmail.com)  
**(Parkland Kinsmen)**

Hello fellow Kin!

I want to first say thank you to Kim Schmidt, SasKin Director, for the amount of time and energy she puts into SasKin, as it doesn't go unnoticed.

2017 is starting off with a bang, as usual. If you haven't done so already, check out District 3 Facebook page. There are 2 pages: an open group and a closed group. The closed group has a lot more events. This helps to keep our newcomers and members informed of upcoming events. Mark your calendars, as February 4th is the Charter Night for the Pilot Butte Kinettes. They are doing some great things for such a new club, and I'm looking forward to celebrating with them.

Clubs are ramping up their Telemiracle fundraisers and getting ready to go to Saskatoon to TM41 in March. We also have some clubs planning some special events for Founder Night and National Day of Kindness. It is a busy time, but remember

## Objects of the Association

To promote and direct service work through fellowship amongst 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

Volunteers enriching Canadian Communities through Community Service, Leadership and Partnership

## Vision

Strong, Healthy and Engaged Canadian Communities

## Values

Excellence, Integrity, Accountability, Compassion, Pride, Fellowship and Inclusiveness

## Kin Song

Here we are together once again  
One and all a happy bunch of Kin,  
Leave your cares and troubles for awhile,  
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!

## Kin Grace

Happy to meet, 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

## Kinsmen Song

Here we are together once 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, 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, Kinsmen, Kinsmen!

## Kinette Song

Here we are, together once 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!

## Content Deadline:

Fall - Oct 1st  
Winter - Jan 15th  
Spring - May 1st

## Publish Deadline:

Fall - Oct 15th  
Winter - Jan 30th  
Spring - May 15th

## Advertisement Prices:

Business Card - \$25  
1/4 page - \$50  
1/2 page - \$150  
Full page - \$200

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan 15, 2017	DEADLINE: Content for SasKin	
Jan 21, 2017	Foundation Board Meeting	Saskatoon, SK
Jan 30, 2017	DEADLINE: Publish SasKin	
Feb 25, 2017	Foundation Board Meeting	Saskatoon, SK
Feb 20, 2017	Kin Canada Founder's Day	
Feb 25, 2017	National Day of KINdness	Everywhere!!
Feb - Mar 2017	Zone Conferences	
Mar 4-5, 2017	Telemiracle 41	Saskatoon, SK
Apr 1, 2017	Foundation Board Meeting	Saskatoon, SK
May 1, 2017	DEADLINE: Content for SasKin	
May 6, 2017	Foundation Board Meeting	Saskatoon, SK
May 15, 2017	DEADLINE: Publish SasKin	
May 2017	POW City Top of the Hops	Saskatoon, SK
June 2017	District Convention	Regina, SK
June 24, 2017	Foundation Board Meeting	Saskatoon, SK
Aug 2017	National Convention	Halifax, NS

# VICE-GOVERNOR



**Rob Bateman**  
**District 3 Vice Governor**  
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**(POW City Kinsmen)**

Happy New Year District 3,

The Kin year is in full swing with Telemiracle just around the corner and zones fast approaching and myself halving to start making decisions on my upcoming Governor year. My selection process has been slow and a little daunting at times but I have been filling the executive roles of the people who have requested to join me on this journey.

Sitting on Foundation Board has been a rewarding and amazing learning experience, the work and dedication that goes into these weekends is amazing. The feeling you get from helping the applicants to the overall Kinship that's "Serving the communities greatest need" is awesome.

So far this year I've been able to get out to a few District 3 Kinsmen and Kinette meetings dragging along a few of my POW City boys to make it an official visitation. If your club is missing anything, I assure you it's them, not me. Thanks to Brian Angstadt for doing our TM 41 Facilities report, as I have 2 other reports that need to make SasKin.

I'm currently still seeking a couple roles on my executive, and am looking for someone to fill the communication role, as well as this will be Kim Lowe's second year as Kin Membership, so we will be looking for someone to run for this 2 year term. We will be looking for DG's for the zones and if anyone one is interested in these positions or any position for that matter, please private message me on Facebook or email me at robbateman@sasktel.net.

Feel free to come talk to me at Telemiracle as I will be hanging out in the facilities lounge and running around the building.

YIK, Rob Bateman  
Vice Governor

# TREASURER



**Rick Peddle**  
**District 3 Treasurer**  
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**(Kinsmen Club of Saskatoon - KCOS)**

Happy New Year, fellow Kin!

I hope you all had a restful and fulfilling holiday season! I know Christmas is a special time for many clubs as the needs in our communities come to the forefront.

I'm not a big "new years resolution" guy, but I do like to reflect on past years and think about what I would change. Over the past few years I have not spent enough time getting to know Kin from other clubs, so a goal of mine this year is to fix that. I hope to see you all at the D3 conferences!

In late November, I finally got all the dues invoices sent out. I was a little late so our "Govanator" Joel was nice and extended the payment deadline from November 15th to December 15th. This was especially helpful since the initial deadline was prior to me even getting the invoices out to your club! I apologize to you all for that delay, and thank all the clubs that sent me emails looking for the invoices in early November.

Anyway, all of that being said, we are now well past December 15th and there are a few clubs who haven't sent their dues in yet. Please get them to me as soon as possible!

As always, I'm here to serve you. If you or your club has questions about your own treasury role, or club finances, or just want to chat about anything Kin, please feel free to contact me any time. I look forward to a great Kin year!

YIK, Rick Peddle  
Treasurer

## REMINDER D3: PAY YOUR DUES ASAP

# SERVICE



**Kim Lowe**  
**District 3 Service Director**  
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**(Regina Queen City Kinettes)**

Hello D3! I can't believe we are already on the home stretch of the 2016-17 year. Here's what has been happening so far.

Thanks to all Kin across the country, we exceeded our blood donation goal of 565 units by 50 units. District 3 was so close to meeting our target of 55 units. We had 53 donations! Thanks to everyone who went out of their way to donate.

National Day of Kindness is coming up on February 25, 2017. Make sure you register your club, even if you don't require materials. Last year we had 17 clubs participate. Let's get this number up! The online form can be found at [www.kincanada.ca/national-projects-and-causes](http://www.kincanada.ca/national-projects-and-causes) (under Member Centre and in Service).

If you have had Cystic Fibrosis fundraisers (I hope you have!), please send in cheques to Alice's attention ASAP as they want to accurately track donations from Kin. The CF Canada fiscal year is February 1st to January 31st.

To send in your CF funds, make the cheque payable to Cystic Fibrosis Canada and send to:

Attention: Alice Awwah  
Cystic Fibrosis Canada  
2323 Yonge Street, Suite 800  
Toronto, ON M4P 2C9

Kin Canada is developing a Projects Database! They are currently gathering examples from clubs who are willing to share their success stories. Do you have a great project you think other clubs could replicate in their communities? Fill out the form via this link: <https://goo.gl/RrhEEg>

Service Reporting – Clubs are no longer required to report after each event, just once at the end of the year in June. There are tools available in the Member Centre on the Kin Canada website so that you can track your hours and service dollars for a more accurate yearly total.

Thanks for all you have done so far! Hope to see you all at Telemiracle in March!

YIK, Kim Lowe  
Service Director

# MEMBERSHIP

Greetings from your District Membership Director.

The Telemiracle season is approaching in District 3, which is an exciting time for clubs. We are busy with fundraising and preparing to work at the show. I would also encourage you to use this time to update tools such as Facebook and your website to promote your club. Telemiracle provides terrific publicity for Kin and it would be great if folks could go on-line and find out more about Kinsmen, Kinette and Kin clubs across the province. You will be judged by your social media presence, so make sure people get a good impression. You can also bring prospective members to work at your events and at the show. Volunteering with your club will get people hooked on Kin.

We are lucky to have a well known, annual event to share the wonderful things Kinsmen and Kinettes do in our province. Don't pass up the opportunity for recruitment. Raising money for Telemiracle either in our own communities or at the show also reminds us why we joined the association. The joy of coming together and helping others is a wonderful feeling.

YIK, Jesse Shkuratoff  
Membership Director

**Jesse Shkuratoff**  
**District 3 Membership Director**  
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**(Assiniboia Kinettes)**

# WELCOME NEW D3 MEMBERS!

*Names below are as of December 31, 2016. Remember to submit/register your new members to Kin Canada!*

Zone A	Caitlin Toews	Meadow Lake Kinette Club
Zone A	Lucinda-Jo Toews	Meadow Lake Kinette Club
Zone A	Elizabeth Plain	Macklin Kinette Club
Zone A	Stefani Stang	Macklin Kinette Club
Zone A	Jolene Tryhuba	Macklin Kinette Club
Zone A	Alana Baier	Macklin Kinette Club
Zone D	Aaron Cox	Saskatoon POW City Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Trevor Thorburn	Shellbrook Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Curtis Peake	Shellbrook Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Jon Phinney	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	James Neabel	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	James Dietrich	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Dustin Shaw	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Ryan Cocks	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Jan Bell	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Aaron Pierce	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Matthew Pierce	Martensville & District Kinsmen Club
Zone D	Taylor Cosh	Saskatoon & District Kinette Club
Zone E	Nathan Seghers	Sturgis Kinsmen Club
Zone F	Kourtney Topham	Gull Lake & District Kinette Club
Zone F	Kylana Sundquist	Swift Current Kinette Club
Zone G	Kerri Martin	Assiniboia Kinette Club
Zone H	James Jones	Estevan Kinsmen Club
Zone H	Archie MacIsaac	Estevan Kinsmen Club
Zone H	Paige Valk	Moosomin Kinette Club
Zone H	Kaila Neufeld	Moosomin Kinette Club
Zone H	Jasmine Rollman	Moosomin Kinette Club
Zone H	Bernadet Hamill	Pilot Butte & District Kinette Club
Zone I	Jillian Engele	Watrous Kinette Club
Zone I	Allie Woiden	Watrous Kinette Club
Zone I	Billie Jean Rintoul	Watrous Kinette Club

## GEM AWARD

*Did You Know there is an award for helping grow your club? Recruit your friends, family and coworkers and win!*

### Eligibility:

1. An active and active life member must sponsor three (3) new members in a 12 month period
2. Charter champions will not be eligible to receive GEM

awards for the individuals in the club that they chartered

Need help with awards? Contact Jordan Kammer, your D3 Awards Chair! Get the form for this award and other awards on the Kin Canada website at: [www.kincanada.ca](http://www.kincanada.ca)

# SASKIN EDITOR

Hey D3!

Thanks to everyone for your submissions! I was quite proud of the last SasKin issue, so as long as you liked the layout of that one, you'll like this one ;) I'd also like to apologize to anyone I may have offended with my "over 40" joke at FLC... I've never been booed before.

I'm super excited for Telemiracle this year! TM is what brought me into Kin. Jacqui Cameron posted on Twitter that they needed help building the TM stage, and I was new in town, jobless, and I loved watching TM as a kid on TV. I replied back and now I've made a ton of new friends, I volunteer WAY more than I used to, and I am still excited for TM every year! Anyways, I was asked to be the "Facebook Live Hostess", so you can be sure to see more of me this year, bouncing around, interviewing folks, and showing our on-line audience the backstage side of TM. Tell your friends & family to watch on television AND on-line!

YIK, Kim Schmidt  
SasKin Editor

# COMMUNICATIONS

Hello D3 Kin,

I am looking forward to seeing so many of you at Telemiracle, and I'm wishing your clubs great success in all your fundraising efforts.

A reminder to all club presidents to ensure your members, new and old, are receiving the emails from [sask.kin@gmail.com](mailto:sask.kin@gmail.com). Also, clubs are more than welcome to use the D3 email and Facebook group to help advertise your events.

Please email me at [sask.kin@gmail.com](mailto:sask.kin@gmail.com) if you have any questions regarding D3 communication, or want your event emailed to everyone in the District.

YIK, Mel Rostie  
Communications Director

*"PROUD TO BE KIN"*



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**(Regina Queen City Kinettes)**



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# AWARDS CHAIR



**Jordan Kammer**  
**District 3 Awards Chair**  
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**(Rosetown Kinsmen)**

Hi fellow KIN,

I hope everyone had a great Christmas and New Years. Just a reminder that the deadline for National and District Awards is fast approaching. The deadline for most District Awards is May 15, 2017, the only award with a different deadline is the Kin Quill Award with a deadline of May 1, 2017.

I ask that you please seriously consider nominating your fellow KIN for our amazing awards. The District and National Awards Packages were sent out back in October. If you are requiring a copy of either the National or District Awards Package, please let me know and I will send you a copy.

I just want to remind everyone if you are wanting to compete in the District Speak Off Competition, with a chance to win a trip to National Convention 2017 in Halifax, you must first win at your Club and Zone levels before you qualify to compete at the District Level.

Please send all District Award submissions and questions to myself at [jdkammer@sasktel.net](mailto:jdkammer@sasktel.net). I hope everyone has a great 2017 and I look forward to seeing everyone again in the upcoming months.

YIK, Jordan Kammer  
Awards Chair

# KIN EDUCATION

Hello District 3,

I was looking through the Kin Education Manual from Kin Canada and thought I would share two very important pieces of information about Kin. The structure as well as how the Association is related to you.

I hope everyone is having a great Kin year and is excited as we enter Telemiracle season in District 3!!

YIK, Dawn Lee  
Kin Education Director

## STRUCTURE OF THE ASSOCIATION

Kin Canada is a service club that stretches from coast to coast in Canada. Being as large as it is, the Association is divided into four different levels for administrative purposes, those being National, District, Zone, and Club.

On a National level, we elect on a single ballot, only one National Vice President. The National Board of Directors consists of the National President, National Vice President, Past National President, and up to eight National Directors, and the addition of the Executive Director, who is a non-voting staff member. National Directors are elected to represent the Association for a term of three years with even numbered Districts electing new Directors during even years and odd numbered Districts during odd year. This provides continuity on the National Board.

The Association is divided into eight Districts. At District Conventions, some Districts elect a Kinsmen and Kinette Governor, while others only elect a single Governor. The Governor(s), along with their Executives and councils oversee the clubs and programs in the District. Vice Governor(s) are also elected and become part of the District Executive the year before their Governor year. Districts may decide whether to elect the Governors jointly, have the Kinsmen elect the Kinsmen Governor and the Kinettes elect the Kinette Governor, or elect one leader to represent the District. The Districts are numbered in the order they were created.

Each District is comprised of Zones. Each Zone is comprised of several clubs, typically there are eight to ten clubs in each. Some zones have single leadership (the Deputy Governor could be a male or female) and some Zones a Kinsmen

*"PROUD TO BE KIN"*



**Dawn Lee**  
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**(Watrous Kinettes)**

# KIN EDUCATION

Deputy Governor represents the Kinsmen & Kin Clubs, and a Kinetite Deputy Governor represents the Kinetite Clubs. The Deputy Governors provide the Clubs and their Presidents with advice and act as liaison to District.

The entire structure of Kin Canada is based on the Clubs as the members of the Association. It is here that community service work is done and the membership is kept dedicated to fellowship and service. No Zone, District, or National program can work without the Club, its informed and active Executive, and its dedicated members.

## THE ASSOCIATION & YOU

The Association members are its clubs. However, people are members of those clubs. Often referred to as Kinsmen, Kinetites and Kin, we belong to a very special Association and should be very proud of our achievements. Our pride in the Canadian way of life and personal development increases with our Kin experiences. We welcome people of all creeds and colours from all parts of Canada. The high ideals of personal development, fellowship and a commitment to community service link us together.

The Kin experience is not all work and no play. We enjoy warm fellowship with our friends and participate in countless recreational and social activities. Being a family-based organization, there are opportunities for total involvement through Kin by members, our significant others, and our children.

An integral part of being a member of a club is attending our meetings. We use the Kin Rules of order to help us achieve consensus by following the will of the majority while respecting the rights of the minority. Members of the general public are welcome to attend our club meetings. We are not religious based, and do not exclude anyone of good moral standing. We do not have secret handshakes, although many clubs sing the Kin Song at the start of a meeting in an effort to generate enthusiasm and the feeling of teamwork.

*"PROUD TO BE KIN"*

Kin Canada is a means to public service and personal betterment. Our purpose is to do unselfish community service in an open atmosphere of friendship. The purpose of the Association is therefore practical and public, not mystical or secret.

Kin affords its members the opportunity for growth through public speaking, personal motivation, the use of parliamentary procedures, sound business practices and public relations. There is something for everyone. In accepting the goals of service and fellowship, we are expected to take part in the Association's programs and club projects. The motto of the Association is "SERVING THE COMMUNITY'S GREATEST NEED". By doing so, members experience the satisfaction that comes with personal involvement.

Kin Canada taps the energy and experience of men and women at least 19 years of age. Kinship is therefore a noble way of life teaching high ideals. By promoting our clubs, increasing membership and by being involved, knowledgeable, dedicated members, our community life will be enriched.



Greetings... District 3 Governor Joel Siemens and Family of Kin

My name is Jean-Marcel (JM) LeMoeligou and I'm seeking your support in my campaign to be your next National Vice President.

I'm disappointed that I cannot be there to chat with you in person however I would like to take a moment to write about why I'm the right candidate for the role of Vice President.

A person with experience, someone you can depend on, that will represent all of Kin, that will put in 110%, is the type of person you need in serving as your Vice President. I believe that I am that person and I am ready to fill that role.

I have held executive positions at the club, zone and district levels. I'm currently on my third year as a director on the National Board. Along with my fellow board members, I have been able to participate in getting this association back to the forefront.

My vision for our association is one where strong clubs, strong members and strong leaders will allow our association to grow to new heights. New tools have been put in place to help Kin grow. There will be more to come.

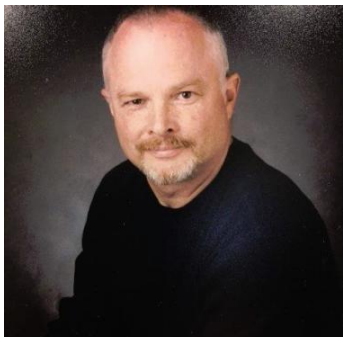
I won't go into this by making promises, but rather focus on issues I believe need to be addressed. One of them is membership retention. If we are to grow to new heights, we must first have strong clubs. And to achieve that, we must invest in the development of our leaders. A strong leader will be the catalyst for a strong club. Education is a key element in providing the knowledge and skills needed by our leaders to accomplish what is necessary to make retention a positive success.

I believe in this association and what it represents. I want for every member of this association the opportunity to grow and reach new heights on a personal and professional level.

Fellow Kin, I want to hear from you. [jlemoe@hotmail.com](mailto:jlemoe@hotmail.com) or visit my Facebook page [JM LeMoeligou - NVP Candidate 2017-18](#) and leave a comment.

Yours in Kin,

*JM*



# ***NVP CANDIDATE***

## ***ERIN THOMSON***

**I would have loved be with you at your FLC as it is a time to gather together to re-establish goals, reconnect, and reenergize for the Kin Year. I will soon get to meet you and look forward to our kindred experience as I share with you my life, thoughts, and vision for our Association.**

**This is a humbling and exciting experience; it is an opportunity to continue my journey of service to Kin. Meeting you and getting to know you better, witnessing your passion, and following the service you and your clubs do, encourages me to be better, and will allow us to shape our Association together!**

**When we put our Passion into Action and Choose a Culture of Positivity, we create the space where Leaders Build Leaders. That is how Kin will truly #BeUnstoppable!**

### **Until we get to meet in person:**

- Kin Kid
- Kinette Club of Timmins, a Vibrant, Growing club
- Served as Club VP, Secretary, CF&Service, Membership
- Maple Leaf Award of Distinction
- GEM Award
- Zone CF&Service 06-07
- DG 07-08, 12-13
- CF&Service Director 11-12, 14-15
- District Convention Chair 2014
- VG 13-14, Governor 14-15
- Kin National Board 15-17
- Community Chiropractor
- Post-Secondary Educator
- Team Doctor for Jr. A Hockey
- Established Timmins Empty Bowls, Chair and Head Potter
- Founder Artisan's Gift Market, Iroquois Falls
- Canada 125 Medal Recipient for Leadership in Volunteer Service
- Anti-Hunger Coalition Timmins Board Member, 2nd Vice-Chair
- Married to Honourary Timmins Kinsmen Pete Henry, Partner in Crime





**FLC – MEADOW LAKE – OCT 2016... THEY FINALLY WEREN'T LATE!**





# DEPUTY GOVERNOR REPORTS

**Zone A: Lashburn Kinettes, Lloydminster Kinsmen, Lloydminster Kinettes, Macklin Kinettes, Meadow Lake Kinsmen, Meadow Lake Kinettes, Paradise Hill Kinettes, St. Walburg Kinsmen and Kinette Club**



Hello!

I hope everyone had a great Christmas and New Years!

The Meadow Lake Kinsmen and Kinettes were pleased to host the 2016 Fall Leadership Conference Oct 21st - 23rd. Everything went over very well, and against all expectations, the Kinsmen weren't actually late for once! For those expecting wakey-wakey shots, the two Kinsmen unfortunately slept through their alarms for that... I think we more than made up for it with the amazing lunch and supper though! Overall, the meetings and fellowship went over very well, and we can't wait to have you all back again soon!

Telemiracle fundraising is in full swing, and several clubs have some major fundraisers going on. Lloydminster Kinsmen & Kinettes are hosting their famous steak night on Saturday, February 4th, and the Macklin Kinettes are hosting a ladies crafts night on Friday, February 10th.

There are many other events that the Kin clubs in Zone A have planned, so keep tuned to the Facebook page to see more.

YIK, Evan Haubrich  
Zone A Deputy Governor

**Zone E: Invermay Kinettes, Melville Kinsmen, Melville Kinettes, Norquay Kinsmen and Kinette Club, Sturgis Kinsmen, Sturgis Kinettes, Wadena Kinsmen and Kinette Club, Kinsmen Club of Yorkton, Kinette Club of Yorkton**



Zone E has been blessed with a giving community which has led to many successful Christmas fundraisers and Ladies Nights over the past few months, and we expect the same generosity to extend into our upcoming TM Fundraisers.

**Zone B: Kinistino Kinsmen, Melfort Kinsmen, Melfort Kinettes, Nipawin Kinsmen, Nipawin Kinettes, Rose Valley and District Kinettes, Tisdale Kinsmen, Tisdale Kinettes**



Hello everyone!

Hope you all had a wonderful holiday season. I know I sure did. I have done all but 1 installation for my zone.

Hope to get to my last club soon. The clubs in my zone are now getting ready and starting there fundraising for Telemiracle! Woohoo! Can't wait to see you all there. I'm looking forward to the spring, as our Zone meeting will be held in March (hopefully). The Tisdale hunny bees are hosting zones this year. This is my home club and I am the president as well. Zone B sure is a busy zone with lots going on. I am so proud of all the clubs. Have a wonderful spring everybody!

YIK, Shelby Wright  
Zone B Deputy Governor



National Day of

**KINDness**

*Pass it on!*

Our Zone has two notable events coming up; the Annual Sturgis Mini Miracle is one of the longest running Telemiracle Fundraisers, while Norquay's 16th Annual Telemiracle supper on February 25th brings in incredible amounts of money from their small community every year, and the addition of a Beverly Mahood Performance will only increase what Norquay Kin will be donating to Telemiracle. The Melville Kinsmen and Kinettes are enjoying their new joint meeting location, while Yorkton is preparing their Go-Kart for the Telemiracle Trek and stocking the Bar for the annual Perogy Cup on March 17th and 18th. Yorkton is also planning a FLC that won't be soon forgotten, due to the laughter and memories... or never ending trauma, depending on how your family vacations turned out.

YIK, David Johnson  
Zone E Deputy Governor

**Zone D: Martensville and District Kinsmen  
North Battleford Kinsmen, Prince Albert  
Kinsmen, Prince Albert Kinettes, Saskatoon  
and District Kinettes, Kinsmen Club of  
Saskatoon, Pow City Kinsmen (Saskatoon),  
U of S Kin Campus Club, Shellbrook Kinsmen,  
Shellbrook Kinettes**



Hello Everyone,

Hope everyone had a nice and safe Christmas and New Years. A lot has happened since my first report.

Donald Trump is now President of the United States and the Chicago Cubs are World Series Champions. It's a crazy world we live in.

Zone D is running pretty smoothly. Deanna hasn't let me run it into the ground yet. Installations for Zone D were finished before the new year. It was awesome meeting all the great people in the zone!

With Telemiracle around the corner, the Saskatoon clubs will be busy. The Saskatoon & District Kinettes will be running their annual steak night the Friday night of Telemiracle. Info will be sent out to the district as soon as it's available, so get your tickets quick as it fills up fast! The POW City Kinsmen will be hosting the Telemiracle kick-off party after the steak night. Look forward to seeing everyone at Telemiracle this year. Let's beat last year's 5.2 million!

YIK, Brian Angstadt  
Zone C & D Deputy Governor

**Zone C: Dinsmore Kinsmen, Dinsmore Kinettes  
Kerrobert Kinsmen, Kerrobert Kinettes, Lucky  
Lake Kinsmen, Lucky Lake Kinettes, Outlook  
Kinsmen, Rosetown Kinsmen, Wilkie Kinsmen**



Hello Everyone,

I'll keep this report short and sweet. Deanna Charbonneau and myself are taking over the DG role for Zone C.

We apologize we haven't been able to make it out for installations this year. I do plan to make it out to

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**Zone I: Davidson Kinette Club, Davidson  
Kinsmen Club, Humboldt and District Kinsmen,  
Humboldt and District Kinettes, Jansen and  
District Kinettes, Jansen Kinsmen, Watrous  
Kinettes, Watrous Kinsmen, Wynyard Kinsmen,  
Wynard Kinettes**



Hello fellow Kin!

The zone I clubs have each been working hard this year, reaching out to their communities, raising funds and helping others. So far this year as Deputy Governor of zone I, I have visited all zone I clubs except for Davidson Kinsmen, Wynyard kinettes, Wynyard kinsmen. I plan to visit those 3 clubs in the upcoming months, as well as do a second round of visitations to each of the other clubs in the next few months! All of my visitations thus far have been great! The clubs have all been very friendly and welcoming. Most things for each club have been running smoothly minus a few minor bumps in the road, which has been fantastic to see and hear. I will be sending out reminders to each of the zone I clubs about National KINdness day in February as well as Telemiracle in March in hopes of motivating them to participate in both events and get them geared up for that last push to reach their goals for the year!

This year the Zone I conference meeting will be held in Jansen, hosted by both the Jansen Kinsmen and Kinette clubs. A date for zones is yet to be determined, and more details are to come soon. I hope to see a representative from every club present and look forward to seeing all of your smiling faces.

YIK, Shantel Prentice  
Zone I Deputy Governor

your clubs before the end of the Kin year. If you have any questions, you can always email me at [b\\_angstadt1203@hotmail.com](mailto:b_angstadt1203@hotmail.com).

Looking forward to meeting the wonderful people in Zone C!

YIK, Brian Angstadt & Deanna Charbonneau  
Zone C & D Deputy Governors

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# DEPUTY GOVERNOR REPORTS

## Zone F: Eastend Kinsmen, Eastend Kinettes Gull Lake and District Kinsmen, Gull Lake and District Kinettes, Swift Current Kinsmen, Swift Current Kinettes

FYI (The "What's Up Zone F" and Melissa's Deputy Governor writeup are both here)



Swift Current Kinettes have had some fun. We have Held a Bake Sale right before Christmas, proceeds going to Telemiracle, We have a new and exciting fundraiser, a trip fundraiser, \$1500.00 travel certificate, only 300 tickets available and tickets were \$10.00! Went over well, it sure helped that we were also in a cold snap and people were dreaming about somewhere hot! Swift Current Kinettes are also putting on cupid (our very own Laura) that delivers flowers and chocolates to loved ones on Valentines Day! We had sold out last year and hoping for the same this year! The Kinettes have also been bar tending for a few Events, One being Dorries House, we volunteered to Bartend to help them out, Dorries house is a home were troubled, homeless youth can go to be in a safe environment. We all stood proud to be part of this. As well as bar tending for Christmas parties!

The Swift Current Kinsmen held their Christmas Gala again this year, which was a great success, they also held their Christmas Party for the under privilege kids, they picked the kids up in a Limo Bus! (wahooo) went bowling than, hopped back on the Limo Bus and went to Boston Pizza! After that they Hopped on the Limo Bus and went to the Lions Hall and Santa was there with gifts!! The kids that were there were also sent home with a Hamper of food. Nice job Kinsman!

They also had their Tree pickup on Jan 7th! And had their Membership Pub Crawl on Jan 7th. The Kinsman and the Kinettes also had a Joint meeting in December!

Gull Kinettes and Kinsmen were busy as well, they ran the concession at their local Trade Show! They have yearly a Ladies Night Out were they open their local movie theater and sell tickets, that ticket gets you in the door, name goes into draws, and there is snacks and wine. This is a sold out event! Swift Current Kinettes attended this year, and we will go back. The Kinettes and Kinsman partnered together and held a Poker New Years Eve Party. It was a great success!

Governor Joel, Paula Sundquist and I attended a meeting with the Gull Lake Kinettes and Kinsman to do Installations. We sure had a great time! PS: thanks for feeding us! I have had the opportunity to talk with President Lisa, and we are going to try and do more together and attend each others events. It will be great to see more of the Gull Lake Kinettes and Kinsmen.

I am looking forward to meeting everyone at Mid-Terms on March 11th in Saskatoon! Enjoy the nice weather coming our way!

YIK, Melissa McBlain  
Zone F Deputy Governor



Swift C. Kinettes bartending to support Dorries House



Swift C. Kinettes bartending to support Dorries House



Gull Lake Installations, with Governor Joel!

**Zone G: Assiniboia Kinsmen, Assiniboia Kinettes, Coronach Kinsmen, Coronach Kinettes, Moose Jaw Kinsmen, Moose Jaw Kinettes, Parkland Kinsmen, Parkland Kinettes, Thundercreek Kinsmen**



Hello District 3!

Another holiday season has come and gone and a new year is upon us. With the new year comes a time of reflection, 2016 was great for the clubs of Zone G. There were several successful fundraisers, service projects, and events. I was able to attend many of them and it was certainly time well spent! I love seeing the work the clubs are doing in their communities.

Unfortunately 2016 ended on a sad note with the passing of Moose Jaw Kinsmen Life Member, Russ McKnight. Russ was a tireless volunteer for his community, serving in many different organizations. His legacy of service and dedication to Kin Canada will be forever remembered.

As we look forward towards the future, 2017 also looks to be a promising year for Zone G. Our clubs have so much planned; sports celebrity nights, ladies movie nights, bonspiels, and fishing derbys just to name a few. I am so looking forward to attending them all and seeing our great clubs at work!

YIK, Jacylyn Gibson  
Zone G Deputy Governor

**Zone H: Broadview Kin Club, Estevan Kinsmen, Estevan Kinettes, Moosomin Kinsmen, Moosomin Kinettes, Pilot Butte and District Kinettes, Regina Queen City Kinsmen, Regina Queen City Kinettes, U of R Kin Club, Weyburn Kin Club**

*"PROUD TO BE KIN"*



*Russell James McKnight*

October 12, 1946 – December 2, 2016

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of a dear friend and devoted kin. Russ McKnight was a long-standing member of our club, and an active member of our community. From community theatre, to Canada Day committee, to Kinsmen, and multiple other endeavors, he was a true example of what it means to serve one's community. His happy demeanor and his eclectic, but endearing sense of humor, were infectious, and one could not help but smile when he cracked one of his trademark jokes or uttered a pun.

A lifetime member of our club, he served in various roles, from treasurer, to registrar, to media and public relations director, and likely everything in between that we probably don't know about with his experience and willingness to step up and take on projects that may otherwise have fallen by the wayside. His dedication to service was unrivaled and we, along with the entire city, have lost a true friend with his passing.

His legacy, is one for us all to admire and aspire to, and his impact on our lives will not be forgotten. Rest in peace and God speed, brother Russ.

- Moose Jaw Kinsmen

# LOST & FOUND

In the organization known as Kin Canada, silly shenanigan offences are considered especially hilarious. In D3, the dedicated individuals who initiate these vicious felonies are members of an elite squad known as the Thieving Bastards Unit. These are their stories.



**FOUND:** Watrous Kinsmen Gavel, Prince Albert Kinsmen Gavel, Martensville Kinsmen Gavel & Bell  
**GET IT AT:** The Saskatoon POW City Kinsmen Clubhouse  
**WHEN:** The 2nd & 4th Wednesday each month

# KINETTE CLUB OF ASSINIBOIA



SERVING THE COMMUNITY'S GREATEST NEEDS

## ABOVE

**FOUND:** Assiniboia Kinettes banner

**GET IT AT:** Saskatoon & District Kinettes meeting  
in exchange for snuggles with S&D Kinette babies

**WHEN:** 2nd Thursday each month

\*\* Will also accept a bribery of a bottle (or two) of wine...

*“Hurry Up Lorraine, Erin’s kids  
aren’t getting any smaller!!!”*

## RIGHT

**FOUND:** Yorkton Kinsmen name tag

**GET IT AT:** The U of R Campus Club meeting

**WHEN:** Sunday, February 5th in Regina (Kin House)  
(Or usually the first Sunday of each month)



# SOCIAL KIN – SOCIAL MEDIA SECURITY

## FACEBOOK PRIVACY SETTINGS

**PRO: Everyone is on Facebook!**

**CON: Everyone is on Facebook...**

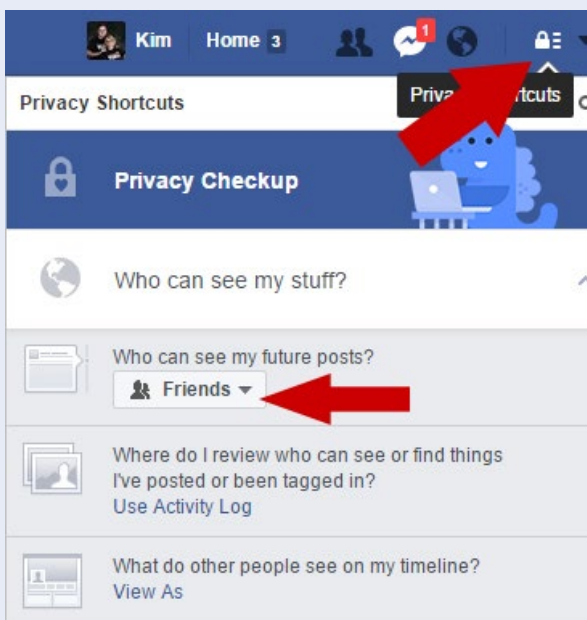
Facebook is a great site for keeping up to date with your friends, posting things you like/hate, and more. Facebook is a tool to connect with others. But what if you don't want everyone to see your posts?...



If you see a little icon of two people beside your name, then only your friends can see your post. MOST people these days have it set this way. If you haven't changed your Facebook settings, it will show a little *globe* beside your name, which means it is Public and ANYONE can see your posts. If you are a "big deal" (musician, public figure, business) and are using a profile instead of a page, then leave it global. As for the rest of us, "Friends" is a great setting, so that random people on the internet won't come peeking through all your photos of your kids (or pets, parties, etc).

### Privacy Checkup:

It used to be a pain in the butt to change settings... Facebook has made it easier with this little Privacy Checkup tool. I recommend going through it and changing your settings to more secure settings.



### BUT WAIT, THERE'S MORE!

Not everything is solved using the "Privacy Checkup" tool, just some things. Want to dive deeper? Follow along.

In the top right corner of your screen, click on the little upside down triangle. Then click on SETTINGS.



Go through ALL the sections, and lock down your Privacy settings, Timeline and Tagging Settings, Notifications, etc.

For example, I have my profile locked down so that new shares/tags will not automatically show up on my wall, I have to review and allow them first. This means the "silly" (and I'm being nice here) posts that some friends or family might want to post me in but I don't want on my page, won't appear, ever, if I choose to not allow them on.

Another thing that I have on my account, since I am responsible for a few high-profile accounts, is "Code Generator". This way whenever I sign in to my Facebook profile on a new device, I will have to go to the code generator on my phone first, get the code, put it in, then the app will allow me access. Why the hassle? Because if someone tries hacking your account from their device, they will not get on, thanks to the Code Generator. (This can be found under "Security" at the top left, just under "General".

Hopefully this article has helped at least one person in locking down their settings. You never know who is looking at your account...now you can be sure it is only friends looking at your posts & pictures! As always, if you need help, just ask!

YIK, Kim Schmidt

# SOCIAL KIN – TWITTER TAGS

## TAG... I'M IT!

Twitter is a great tool to send out a quick message and hope that all your followers see it, and share it, or even come to your event. But not everyone will be watching their feed at all times, and that's where TAGGING comes into play.

- **To Tag, write your info/text as normal, THEN**
- **ADD a [hashtag](#)** if relevant (I like to add [#yqr](#) if it's in Regina, so that people searching the [#yqr](#) hashtag will see it... media outlets will usually monitor your city airport code! [#sask](#) is also a good one... [#TM41](#))

- **MENTION/TAG someone...**

Example: Check out our [#TM41](#) event we're hosting this weekend! [@sask\\_kin](#) [@SC\\_Kinsmen](#) [@Telemiracle](#) (This tweet talks about TM41 and will notify the Swift Current Kinsmen, Telemiracle and Sask Kin Twitter accounts of this tweet, making them see the tweet, and then like it, and retweet (share) it for their followers, thus hopefully getting you some more people out to your event, etc.)

- **ADD a photo!** Tweets will get noticed much better if something draws your eyes to it. Photos are great if you have one. ALSO if you add a photo, you can tag other twitter accounts in that photo without using characters in the body of your tweet! See the examples to the right for tagging a photo. This will let you add up to 10 twitter accounts to your tweet, effectively branching out and hopefully spreading your word further!

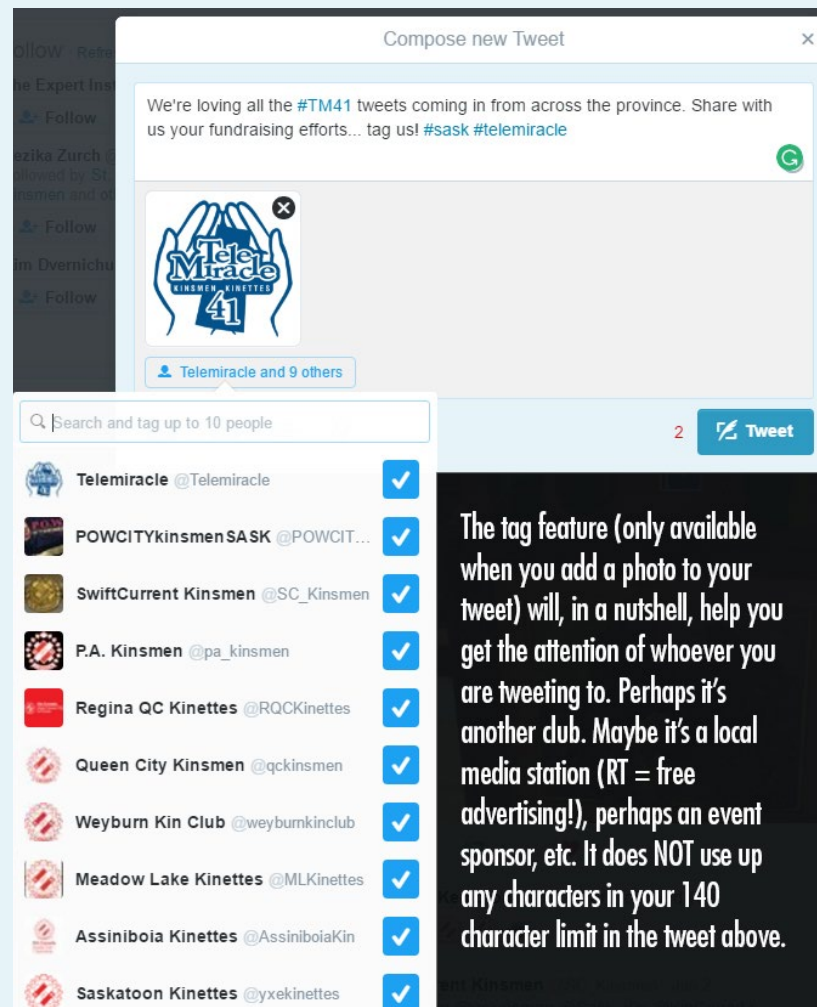
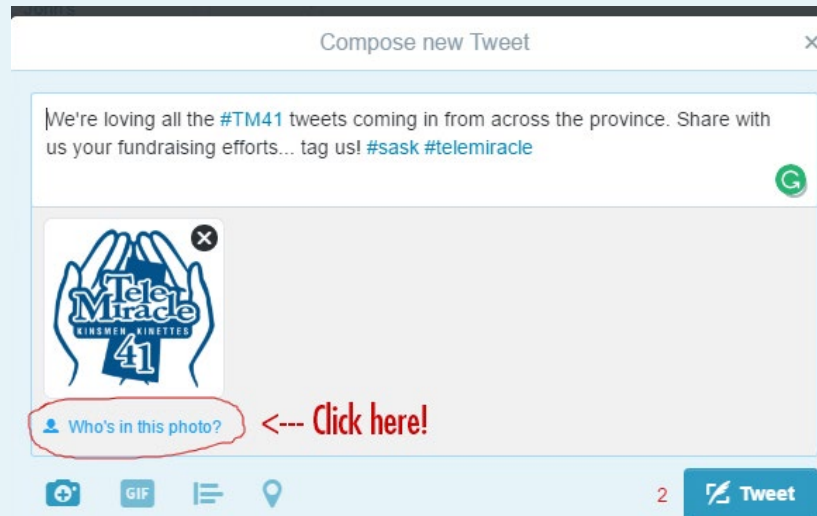
Put it this way... I'm not actually always checking this Twitter account. I monitor about 6 other accounts, so unless you tag me, I'm not going to see your stuff, unless I go randomly browsing... (ain't nobody got time fo' that!) So if you TAG my account, I'll see then, I'll share it. Deal? Awesome.

Need some help? Still stuck? What the heck is a hashtag? Check out other D3 Twitter accounts! Want help setting up a Twitter account for your club? Email me (Kim Schmidt at [kns.sfp@gmail.com](mailto:kns.sfp@gmail.com)) and I'll be happy to help you out!

Follow us! [@sask\\_kin](#) on twitter

YIK, Kim Schmidt

## How to tag other accounts when you add a photo to your tweet (HIGHLY recommended)



The tag feature (only available when you add a photo to your tweet) will, in a nutshell, help you get the attention of whoever you are tweeting to. Perhaps it's another club. Maybe it's a local media station (RT = free advertising!), perhaps an event sponsor, etc. It does NOT use up any characters in your 140 character limit in the tweet above.

# FOUNDATION REPORTS

## Eli Rizk - Foundation Board Chair

Telemiracle season is upon us again!

As of this writing the campaign kick-offs in Regina and Saskatoon are occurring in the next week and the work that got us to this point by our Telemiracle Committee continues to move us forward. I'd like to thank Darcy Wildeman and his committee, Cindy Xavier and the office staff and last but not least the zone reps who do the tough work each month of reading through the applications, making the calls and keeping each other honest through tough questions, tough love and effective stewardship of our funds. Everyone involved is making sacrifices of time and effort away from family and other things and I want to acknowledge the commitment, dedication and kindness of these groups.

Since September we have discussed over 450 applications and gifted over 1.25 million dollars. Just take a moment to think about that. Someone asked us to give them their mobility back through a scooter, a power chair, a van conversion – a walker! Others ask for money to get their cancer treatments or to take their child for heart surgery or for dialysis. And we help them. And we do it all the time. It's an everyday miracle that it's so easy for us to take for granted because of the incredible commitment and caliber of people who are on committee, in the office or on the board – we just do it!

For those of you who have already attended a foundation meeting or who are sitting on our board, you already know the incredible experience it is. For those of you who have yet to attend one of our meetings – please accept my note here as your personal invitation. Contact me or contact the office and we will make sure to find you a spot to sit (it's a pretty crowded room – but always room for one more!) and show you what we do – you already know the why, and we'll show you the how. For those of you who haven't already submitted their information to the Manpower group, I strongly encourage you to do so – those of you who have already attended the show know what you're in for, and I encourage you to bring some new people to the show to share this incredible experience with them!

Whether through fundraising, positive social media, telling your neighbours or work colleagues about our great show and about Kin, thanks for what you do to help make these every day miracles happen – see you at the big show in March!

YIK, Eli Rizk  
Foundation Chair



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# FOUNDATION REPORTS

## Trent Fedorychka - Past Foundation Chair

Hello Fellow Kin!!

As Telemiracle 41 fast approaches I would like to give you all a quick heads up as to what we have been up to at the foundation. Happy to say that we are working on redeveloping the strategic plan. Although this is a huge undertaking we are taking it on at many different levels. We are working on developing 4-5 different committees with many different people. Right from conflict management right up to Finance and Government Relations. As you are all aware of the various issues that are happening in health. We too are trying to stay ahead of the curve with policy and make sure that we represent the donor dollars that we are trusted with. In a nut shell strategic planning is a very necessary part of the Foundation to guarantee the future success of the organization. We have some amazing talent with our board and members at large... stay tuned for more updates.

As I bring my report to a close, I wish you all the best with your TM fund raising efforts. Hope to see you all very soon.

YIK, Trent Fedorychka  
Past Foundation Chair

## Scott Lamb - Vice Foundation Chair

Kin Family!

I hope the new year is treating everyone well! It is a busy time of year for me as I am in the middle of calving. Yes I know everyone is wondering why the heck I am calving in January, well the answer is simple! I have to be done by Telemiracle!

I would like to take this time to thank all the Zone Reps and Members at Large for all the hard work they do with the Foundation. These people give up many hours every week to be away from family and friends. The hard work that these individuals put in is truly amazing, so thank your Zone Rep or Member at Large for the work they do! I would also like to invite anyone interested in the Foundation Board to attend a meeting. Everyone is welcome and it is a great way to see what goes on with the money raised at Telemiracle! The next few weeks are extremely busy with Board meetings, Telemiracle 41 meetings, Policy Meetings, Club Meetings and Telemiracle fundraisers! I know its a lot of work for Everyone and you all deserve a pat on the back for the hard work put in!

Cant wait to see everyone at Telemiracle 41!

YIK, Scott Lamb  
Vice Foundation Chair



## Cindy Xavier - Foundation Exec. Director

Hello SasKin,

It has been a flurry of activity at the office since we came back from the holidays! As the Telemiracle season is ramping up there are new and exciting things happening at Hanselman Court every day. Folks are calling in requesting fundraising kits and helping hands, Kinsmen and Kinettes are stopping by to shop for souvenirs and we are getting our Corporate sponsors on board. There is no end of work to do! And while I am on the topic of Corporate sponsors, if you know someone who might be a great Corporate sponsor let us know. We would be happy to talk to them about the benefits of Corporate sponsorship.

Another big part of my role this time of year is Estates and Bequests and gathering the information I need for the presentations on the show. I am spending a lot of time these days talking to the families of loved ones who have passed away and have left a generous donations to Telemiracle. I think that this is something that we as fundraisers are often hesitant to talk about or to bring up to potential donors but it is actually a very important part of every charitable organization. Did you know that

about four percent of Canadians leave a bequest to a charity either in their will or through planned giving? While we are busy asking for donations to Telemiracle at this time of year, we can also talk to our potential donors about also giving to Telemiracle through their Legacy planning. Giving back to your favorite charity by including them in your will or making them a beneficiary of your life insurance policy is a wonderful way to leave a memorable legacy. And, unlike other charities, with Telemiracle you can have your legacy honored on the stage during the show. It is a unique way to share your passion for the people of Saskatchewan and Telemiracle.

I am excited about the next couple of months. With this being my first "behind the scenes" Telemiracle I am thrilled, a little nervous and very happy to be a part of the "Miracle" that will happen again this year. All of this would not be possible with you, our most valuable Volunteers and I am sure, the envy of every other non-profit out there! So Thank You, for your time, your dedication and your passion. We will see you in March!

Cindy Xavier,  
Kinsmen Foundation Executive Director

## IT'S A TREASURY BALANCING ACT!

Things balance better when both sides are covered. We know you work hard to raise money in your communities and are excited to bring the funds to Telemiracle to present. THANK YOU!

BUT – that is only one side. All those donors want and need to receive a receipt. Until we get the temporary receipt forms you fill out when you get their donation, we don't balance. If we don't get them until the next fiscal year, we don't balance from one year to the next. And Canada Revenue Agency doesn't like that much....

Please help keep us balanced! When you bring your fundraised dollars to Telemiracle, please remember to bring your donor forms and backup with you. Thanks!



# FOUNDATION REP REPORTS

## ZONE A Rep

Hello Fellow Kin,

-50 with wind-chill but that doesn't slow Saskatchewan down. People seem to become even more determined when conditions are less than ideal. This is why Telemiracle has been such a success. The last few months have been very rewarding from long conversations with individuals, texts and messages.

People are so appreciative of any help they can receive and take time to express it, even in dire situations. Sitting on the foundation board has been such an eye opener. To see how much Telemiracle is needed and how much Saskatchewan gives. No words can describe the emotions that go around at each meeting, it is something every Kin should experience.

As Telemiracle is coming up, I applaud each and every one of you, for all the hard work and dedication you put towards the fundraising events in your communities and to the main event. Hats off to Saskatchewan and Kin

YIK, Louise Slater  
Zone A Rep

## ZONE C Rep

Hello fellow Kin!

I am Brittany Corbett and my stint as Zone C's Board Rep on the Foundation Board is soon to be over. That means Zone C is looking for their next Zone Rep, if you think you may be interested feel free to get in touch with me or even think about attending a board meeting in the next few months. It's hard work but believe me it is the most rewarding thing I have done in my 23 years.

I hope you all had a fantastic Christmas and happy New Year! I can't wait to see you all at Telemiracle 41 and see what kind of numbers roll across our board this year. Thank you all for the work you do, every little thing helps us give the residents of Saskatchewan the assistance they need. Let's ring those phones!

If you are interested in becoming a zone rep in the fall of 2017 please feel free to contact me at [brit.l.corbett@gmail.com](mailto:brit.l.corbett@gmail.com).

YIK, Brittany Corbett  
Zone C Rep



## ZONE D Rep

Hello D3 Kin!

Welcome to 2017! I hope everyone was blessed with a wonderful Christmas season and New Year!

With the New Year brings new applications to our Foundation and I look forward to reading each and every one of them. A new year sometimes marks a good time for reflection of oneself and, as I reflect on 2016, there is not one thing I would change about it. Being on the Kinsmen Foundation Board is still the one thing I am most grateful for. It has brought new friendships into my life and lit a passion inside of me that I didn't know

I had. I still highly recommend that you try this journey at some point in your Kin career. You will not regret it at all! If you wish to come out and see what a meeting is like, you are welcome to attend as my guest. As Kin, we are all accustomed to what goes on behind the scenes of Telemiracle and this meeting will show you what goes on behind the scenes once all of that money is raised! Feel free to reach me at [pamzonedtm@gmail.com](mailto:pamzonedtm@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining, even if only for part of a meeting. Thank you family of Kin for everything you do to make this Foundation possible!

YIK, Pam Massine  
Zone D Rep



Happy New Year my fellow Kin!

This is my second year on the Foundation Board and it's been a wonderful experience. I see my fellow board members putting in 110% for their applicants and I am lucky to be on a board with such great people. I also can't forget about the great staff in the office. If you are interested in attending a meeting to see what it's like please don't hesitate to contact me about attending one. Telemiracle is approaching fast and I can't wait to see everyone in March!

YIK, Natasha Shutiak  
Zone E Rep



Hello Zone I!

Looks like many clubs have been having a busy and fun year. We are gearing up for Telemiracle and the fundraiser looks like it is in full swing! I love the passion that each club member has for raising money for Telemiracle!

2016 has been very busy with Telemiracle applications. I look forward to our monthly meeting and seeing everyone around the very large boardroom table!!! I am looking forward to 2017 and what applications it will bring to the table. I have build amazing friendships on the board and I really look forward to make phone calls to my applications.

I encourage anyone from Zone I to reach out to me at [jbmolsberry@sasktel.net](mailto:jbmolsberry@sasktel.net) if you are interested in being my guest at a Board meeting this year. I am still making a great effort to attend club meetings this year alongside with Shantel Prentice our DG.

YIK, Jodie Molsberry  
Zone I Rep



Fellow Kin,

Thank you for the opportunity to represent Zone G on the Telemiracle Foundation Board, my time thus far has been an incredible and rewarding journey. I've had the honor to represent well over 20 applicants during my first 4 official meetings on the board, with several more to follow in the upcoming January meeting. All of these applicants have had some form of difficulties in their lives, and their path(s) have been at times incredibly difficult and almost too much to overcome. I've been fortunate to be able to get to know these applicants on a level that brings me an incredible sense of joy and fulfillment when our board approves their application for funding. The joy in their voice and that of their family is so fulfilling and powerful it's hard to describe besides immense pride in what Telemiracle does everyday for the people of this province. As I stated before, the fellow members of the Foundation Board are nothing short of amazing, we share tears, laughs, sorrow and joy at every meeting, without them and their support and fellowship, we would struggle as a group to keep it together for the entire meeting.

I simply want to say thank you for what you do for Telemiracle, all the projects, service hours, and the funds you raise, please know that whatever you do it's directly helping another resident in Saskatchewan that needs assistance. Thank you (again) to Zone G for allowing me the opportunity to represent you on the Foundation Board, you have given me the most challenging and rewarding opportunity of my Kin career, THANK YOU!!!

YIK, Ted Moir  
Zone G Rep



# THE BASICS OF PLANNED GIVING



## What is Planned Giving?

A planned gift is a charitable gift that is integrated into your overall financial and estate plans. Generally, the most effective planned gifts tend to be gifts of appreciated property. This is because the greater the gift's appreciation, the greater the charitable deduction to the donor and the lower the "net" cost of gifting by the donor! A gift of appreciated property to charity directly may avoid capital gains tax and may qualify for an income tax charitable deduction.

*Bequests represent probably the most popular form of planned gift, along with making charities beneficiaries of life insurance policies or gifting the policies themselves.*

**1. Wills and bequests**—Bequests are a gift that is transferred after death by will or trust. A bequest may be in cash, marketable securities, tangible personal property or in a percentage of the residue of your estate. The estate is reduced by the full fair market value of a charitable gift, thereby potentially reducing the impact of the federal transfer tax on the donor's estate.

**2. Life insurance and annuities**—Life insurance can make an excellent charitable gift. The substantial leverage involved in insurance affords you the capability of gifting a significant amount for a relatively small cost. You have several options in making a life insurance gift:

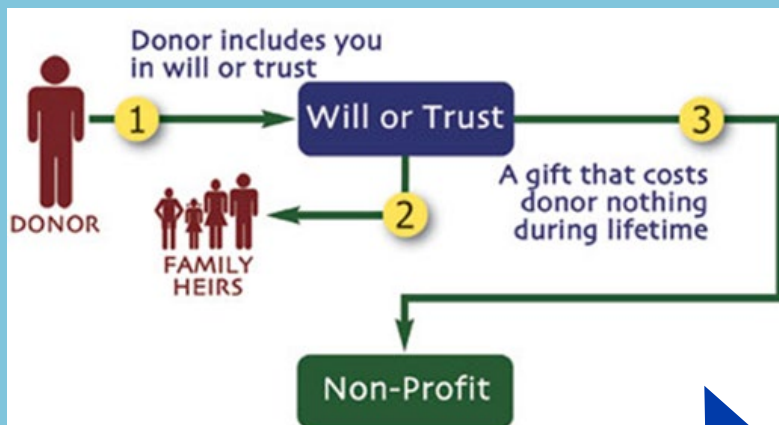
- a) You can give a fully paid-up life insurance policy or a single premium policy to your organization.
- b) You can give your organization a life insurance policy where premium payments are still being made. In order for the donor to qualify for a substantial deduction against adjusted gross income ("AGI"), you must continue to make contributions directly to your organization which, in turn, uses the contributions to pay premiums to the insurance company. Should you pay premiums directly to the insurance company on behalf of

the charity, you may qualify for a deduction for a significant percentage of the donor's AGI.

c) You can give your organization a brand new policy with no premiums paid in. Although this gift will not qualify for an income tax charitable deduction, any future premiums paid may be deductible.

**3. Large capital gifts**—You can make a contribution of large capital gifts of cash, stock and/or mutual funds in order to support your charitable. In addition to supporting your organization, you may be able to take a substantial income tax charitable deduction.

For more information regarding Saskatchewan's deductions and regulations around planned giving go to: <http://plannedgivingguides.com/central-canada-planned-giving-guides/>



## SHARING KIN

Sharing the family of Kin with your children has great benefits. They learn camaraderie and have an opportunity to join their parents in volunteering. It may also encourage them to join Kin when they reach 18.

Kin Kids 16 years old and over are encouraged to come to and experience Telemiracle. These Kin Kids can work in food services, souvenirs or as a messenger. Kin Kids however cannot volunteer for Security, Stage Right (except toteboard volunteers), Treasury and Phones.

Sharing and growing the Family of Kin is all our responsibility. Take this opportunity to share it with your kids!

# FOUNDATION MEETING DATES/DEADLINES



The Kinsmen Foundation Board of Directors meets every four to six weeks during the Kin season to review funding applications and distribute the proceeds from Telemiracle.

KIN ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US! If you would like to attend a meeting and see how we make miracles for people, please call and let us know when you would like to come.

If you know or hear of someone in your community that needs special needs equipment or funds to travel away

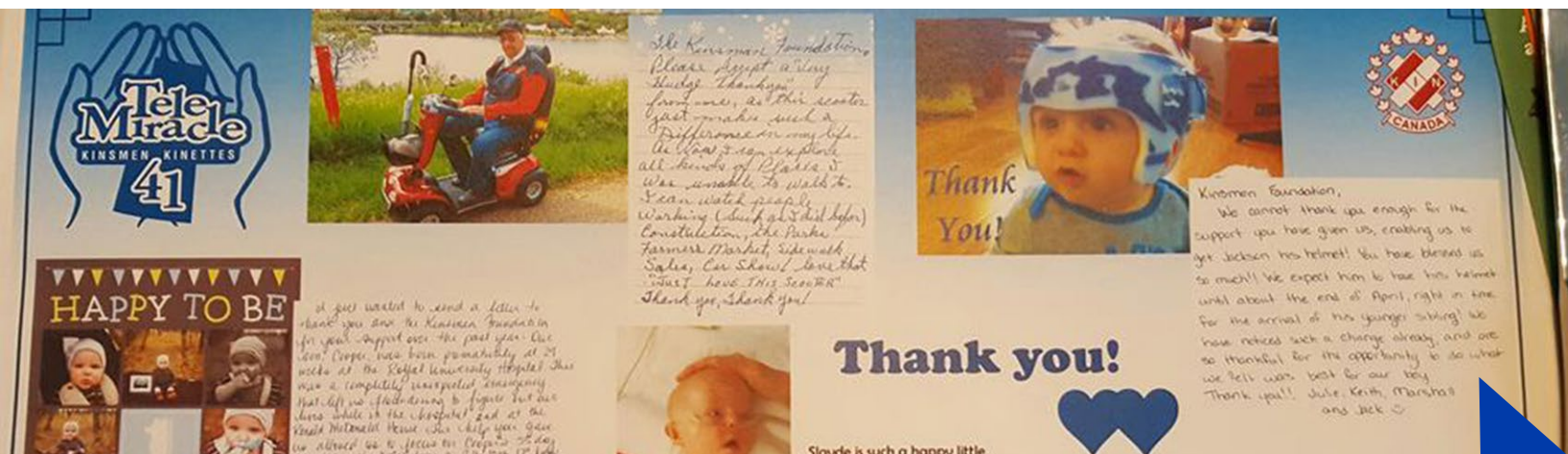
from home for medical treatment, please help them by getting them in touch with our office! Applications must be in by our deadline to be heard at the next meeting.

Meeting dates and application deadlines are as follows:

Application Submission Deadlines	Board of Directors Meeting Dates
February 10, 2017	February 25, 2017
March 17, 2017	April 1, 2017
April 21, 2017	May 6, 2017
June 9, 2017	June 24, 2017

**Contact:** Geneen Guinan

306-244-6400 ext. 1 or kin.geneen@telemiracle.com



## DID YOU KNOW? (TM FUNDRAISING AWARDS)

There are **TWO** awards given out annually for Telemiracle Fundraising?

One award goes to the club that raises the most money in any given year.

The second award goes to the most innovative and creative fundraiser.

Be sure to let the office know what your total is and how you did it so the staff can let the Kin judges know! The award for Telemiracle 41 will be presented at District Convention in June.



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# TM41 COMMITTEE LIST & REPORTS

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## Telemiracle 41 Chair

Greetings Fellow Kin,

I hope that everyone had a very Merry Christmas and all the best in the New Year.

WOW, can you believe that we are less than 2 months away for yet another magical Telemiracle weekend. I know that in my mind the time has sure flown by in the year and half that preceded what is going to be a most memorable experience in my Kin lifetime. It has been an amazing adventure, having the honour to chair Telemiracle as well sit on the Foundation Board.

I know that a lot of clubs are into the full swing of fundraising for Telemiracle and I always find it very interesting hearing the different and unique ways of doing this. Great work and keep it up! Sitting on the Foundation Board, I have seen a constant increase in applications so therefore we need to buckle down and focus on our fundraising even more to help the individuals

of Saskatchewan that need our help. If you are doing a fundraiser or have a Telemiracle event coming up please inform the office so that they can post it to the website and get some more awareness out there for your event. I look forward to seeing each and every one of you at Telemiracle and hearing all about the different fundraisers that the Kin clubs from across Saskatchewan have done.

Just a friendly reminder that Telemiracle is and always has been 100% zero tolerance for alcohol and substance abuse. Keep this in mind in helping our security team keep our Kin family safe and avoid being that club or individual that gets sent home from the show.

See you all March 4 & 5.

YIK, Darcy Wildeman  
Telemiracle 41 Chairperson  
tmchair@Telemiracle.com

## Shadow Chair

Hello District 3!

I hope everyone enjoyed some family time, food, fun and festivities during the holiday season. Now that life has returned to normal – as normal as life is for you, it is now time to get into the spirit of the Telemiracle season. It has been a great experience shadowing Darcy and his committee for Telemiracle 41. Because the people of Saskatchewan are so generous and you as Saskatchewan

Kin members are so passionate and do such a great job fund raising I know it will be another successful year. We are blessed to live in a province where we have this huge fundraiser we call Telemiracle that raises money for those who need help. Thank you to everyone who puts in so much of your precious time and effort. I look forward to seeing my KIN family in Saskatoon.

YIK, Susan Colbow  
Telemiracle 42 Chair

# TM41 COMMITTEE REPORTS

## Corporate Chairs

It's a New Telemiracle Year! We all know what that means...steak suppers, bake sales, Helping Hands and various other unique fundraisers for Telemiracle.

The Corporate Committee is busy doing our last minute jobs and finding new Helping Hands partners. This is where we need your help. We all know at least one "Mom and Pop" business that could be asked to help sell Helping Hands. If you could either contact us or the office, we will get them out to them.

Thanks so much and we will see you all soon!

YIK, Scott Lamb & Brenna Ekstrand  
Telemiracle 41 Corporate Co-chairs

## Education Chair

Hello everyone!

We had a good number of schools apply to work toteboard again this year! We have made our list of schools that will be invited to be a part of the show, and Debra has sent out the invitations! I believe that we will have a great group of kids again this year to help show off our wonderful totals! I hope many of you will be able to make it out to Telemiracle this year and be able to be a part of this amazing weekend! Travel safe, and see you soon!

YIK, Tracy Prang  
Telemiracle 41 Education Chair

## Facilities Chairs

Hi everyone,

Brian Angstadt here, Co-Chair for Telemiracle 41 Facilities. Rob Bateman gave me the responsibility for writing the SasKin report. So I guess I'll tell you that I've done everything... no it's been great co-chairing with Rob, I've learned a lot. He still hasn't taken off my training wheels yet.

Facilities is running very smoothly. Just some small odds and ends to take care of before the show. Some of the major things that facilities usually have trouble getting donated are the furniture and televisions. Rob and I both finalized our TV orders through Audio Warehouse this past week!! The furniture is also confirmed through Leon's.

After the show, the televisions and furniture will be for sale to the Telemiracle volunteers, at a discounted rate. Talk to myself or Rob about that during the show. One television has already been spoken for.

We look forward to seeing everyone at this year's Telemiracle. Let's make this year a year to remember!

YIK, Brian Angstadt & Rob Bateman  
Telemiracle 41 Facilities Chairs

## Food Services Chairs

Happy New Year Fellow Kin!

We are so excited to begin the countdown for Telemiracle 41!! We are in process of soliciting for donations for Food Services to keep our volunteers fed & watered!!! If you know of a business who you think would be interested in donating, please feel free to reach out to us. We will definitely give them a call! In past years, a baking table was created and was a huge hit. If your club would be interested in donating baking, or know of someone who would be, please let us know!

As always, we are always looking for people who want to hang out with us and work during Telemiracle, so please keep us in mind when filling out your Manpower preference!! It is a lot of fun! Please remember to eat prior to coming to work your shift!

If you have any question or concerns for us, please contact Erin at 306-227-4381 or text Dalyce at 306-717-4596.

YIK, Dalyce Oja and Erin Lengyel  
Telemiracle 41 Food Services Chairs

# TM41 COMMITTEE REPORTS

## Public Relations Chair

Happy 2017 District 3!

What on earth happened to 2016? It seemed like TM41 was so far off into the future but nope, here we are. It's coming quick but this committee has been working diligently to ensure we have another super successful year.

Our official kick-offs are coming up January 19 in Regina and 20 in Saskatoon where we get to announce the National Cast for TM41. As we have come to expect, it's going to be another great line-up of fresh new acts coupled with some of our old favorites.

The auditions were amazing as usual and we had so many talented Saskatchewan acts. One-man bands, country singers, fiddlers, Ukrainian dancers, rap artists, metal bands, and future rock Gods. You name it, we had it. Our producers had the tough job of selecting 60 acts to grace our stage on March 4 & 5 and the results will be awesome!

Last year, social media played a big role in our broadcast in parallel with television and this year we plan to build on that. Jesse Shkuratoff will once again be at stage right along with her team blasting you with tweets, Instagram photos and continuous Facebook updates. Don't forget to like and share!

I would love it if clubs reached out to me and let me know what you are doing for fundraising for Telemiracle 41 and I can get it on or social media and promote the heck out of it. I can be reached at [publicrelations@telemiracle.com](mailto:publicrelations@telemiracle.com) or look me up on "the" Facebook. See you in March!

YIK, Adam Logue  
Telemiracle 41 Public Relations Chair

## Finance Chair

Fellow Kin,

Happy New Year! I hope and trust that you had a restful, enjoyable holiday season with your friends and family. Along with 2017 comes new challenges, good times, and a lot to look forward to. In particular, Telemiracle 41 is right around the corner and as a member of your TM 41 committee I am hard at work along with the rest ensuring that everything is good to go for the show this year March 4 & 5.

I can report that all is going well in the area of Finance and that we are on schedule filling positions and making arrangements to ensure that the treasury area runs smoothly. If you haven't signed up to work in one area or another at Telemiracle this year, make sure you do so as it's a unique experience you don't want to miss! The show is always a good time and you're bound to make new friends while supporting a worthwhile cause.

If you happen to be partially (or totally!) responsible for preparing your club's donation to Telemiracle this year, check this edition of the SasKin magazine for an article called It's a Treasury Balancing Act for some helpful information that will support both you and the Treasury in getting your donation ready to go!

That's all for me folks. So far I have to say it's been pretty incredible getting to see firsthand all of the work that goes into putting on a successful production like Telemiracle; we've got a lot of great people working in the office and the volunteers managing things behind the scenes are top notch. As always, I encourage you to get involved and help out. There's a reason people keep coming back year after year, and we are always looking for more! See you in a couple months!

YIK, Michael Chapman  
Telemiracle 41 Finance Chair

# TM41 COMMITTEE REPORTS

## Kin Coordinator

Dear Fellow Kin,

As I'm writing this report, the wind-chill is at a balmy -43C. I hope that as your reading this, the temperature has become as warm as your generous volunteer spirit.

Thank you all for the amazing work that you do, not only for Telemiracle, but all year long in your communities. This continuous volunteer spirit helps to foster the trust and goodwill towards Telemiracle and allows people to believe in our organization and the work that we do. It is hard to believe that in a few short weeks, the phones will start ringing and we will be off on this 20 hour ride.

As Kin Coordinator, I've been working with the other committee members to create a fantastic event. Thank you to all those that have volunteered to work as TM Teddy. We now have the shifts filled with a couple of others interested. I would encourage you to contact me if you are still interested. While we may not have a spot for you this year, we will certainly make a note of your interest for the future. We have also been working on lining up volunteers massage therapists for the national cast to assist them in staying relaxed as they lead us through the telethon... but don't worry...we haven't forgot about our lovely volunteers downstairs! We will have massage therapy students volunteering their time on Sunday to help you get out the kinks too!!!

## Security Chair

It is crunch time for the committee as it gets all its ducks lined up to make another miracle for Saskatchewan. The next two months will fly by so get done what needs to be as soon as you can. If you plan to join us at TM, get signed up as soon as possible to make the committee's job easier. Have fun doing your projects to help raise those funds for TM. It has been wonderful being a part of the committee because you get to see so much more of how TM is run and all the work that it takes to make the miracle happen.

YIK, Jason Bacon  
Telemiracle 41 Security Chair

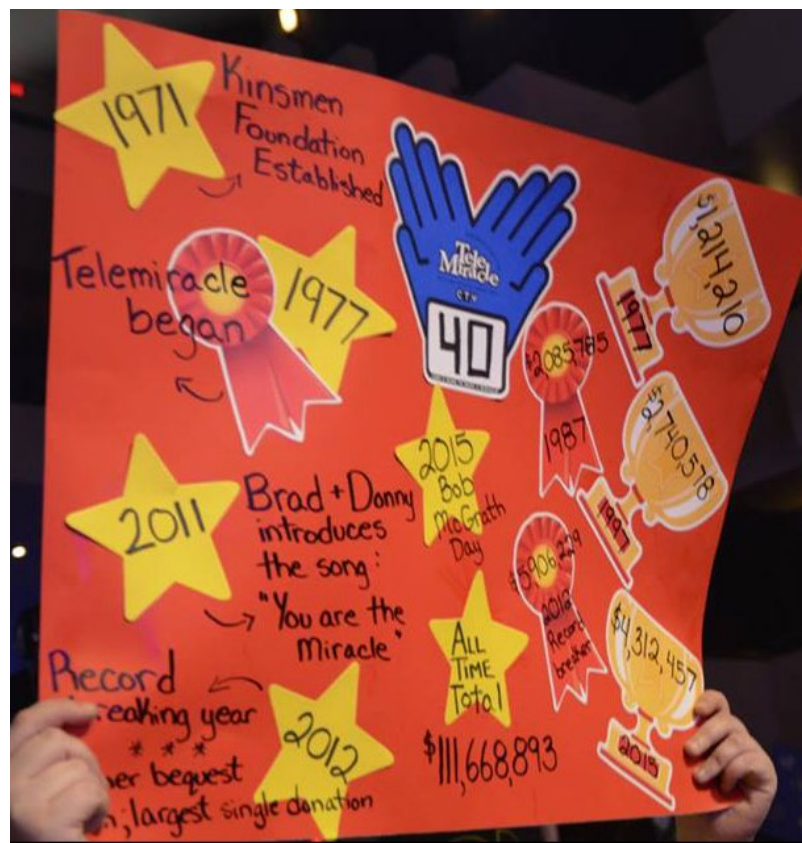
**"PROUD TO BE KIN"**

We have been hearing about both unique and traditional fundraisers around the province and encourage you to keep posting on the Telemiracle Facebook page, contacting the office and sharing your information. You never know how it might spark an idea or inspire someone else to contribute. We encourage you to engage your communities with Helping Hands or coin collection boxes. These small sales add up in a big way and at a time when the economy is suffering, people will always find a dollar to help someone. One dollar at a time will build our foundation the same way one brick at a time builds a house.

Just a reminder to review the requirements for on-air presentations. If you haven't booked yet and are interested, please contact the Kinsmen Foundation Office at (306) 244-6400, ext. 2. Your time is limited to 45 seconds and no more than five people to go onstage. If you have special circumstances or are not sure, please either contact me or the office and we will see what we can do for you.

Can't wait to see you all in March!

YIK, Wendy Weinkauf  
Telemiracle 41 Kin Coordinator



Join the POW City Kinsmen at the

# Telemiracle 41 Kin Pub Crawl\*



**Friday, March 3rd**

Starts at Sutherland Bar (bus leaves at 9pm!)

**Rain Nightclub • Outlaws • The Scuzz**

*Starts after the Steak Night Fundraiser!*

**70's theme! BOOGIE & GET GROOVY!**

**Tickets Only \$10**

**Contact** Brian Angstadt - (306) 880-5508

*\*All TM41 Volunteers & Spouses Welcome!*



*Please join us in celebrating the charter of the Pilot Butte & District Kinette Club, as well as the life membership award for Corie Ruzicka-Olson*

*When: February 4th, 2017*

*Cocktails at 5:00pm, Supper at 6:00pm*

*Where: Pilot Butte Town Hall*

*Diamond Pl, Pilot Butte, SK S0G 3Z0*

*Price: \$30 per person (includes supper)*

*Other: Cash Bar, Business Casual Dress Code*

*We hope to see you there!*

*\*Please RSVP by email to [r.g.nicholson@sasktel.net](mailto:r.g.nicholson@sasktel.net) by January 27th, 2017.*

*\*Accommodations can be made at the Ramada in Emerald Park by calling (306) 525-5300 (ref# 5255300). Kindly reserve by January 3rd, 2017.*



*Life Membership*

&

*Charter Night*



**KIN CANADA**  
Kinette Club of  
Pilot Butte &  
District

## HOW TO BOOK TEDDY

Telemiracle Teddy is available to come to your community to promote your fundraising event, club or just have some fun. If you would like to borrow Teddy, we would be pleased to hear from you!

Please contact Pamela at the Telemiracle Office (306-244-6400 Ext. 4 or [kin.pamela@telemiracle.com](mailto:kin.pamela@telemiracle.com)) and let her know:

1. What day(s) you need him so she can check the schedule to make sure that he is available;
2. Contact information – name of person who will be taking care of Teddy, address where he is being shipped and a phone number; and
3. If you need any additional supplies – balloons, stickers, etc.

We ship Teddy out by bus on our dime and ask that you ship him back to us by bus on your dime. You can also make arrangements to pick him up if you want.





Beverly Mahood



Jill Straker



Sierra Noble



Jeffery Straker



Big Daddy Tazz

**D3 Please  
Welcome Your  
TeleMiracle 41  
National Cast!  
March 4&5  
Saskatoon, SK**



Brad Johner and the Johner Boys



The Sojourners



The Hunter Brothers



Chris Henderson



Donny Parenteau



Delhi 2 Dublin



Holly Woods and Toronto



# TM41 SASKATCHEWAN TALENT

Performer	Town/City	Performer	Town/City
Abby Wilson	Canora	Lii Pchi Daanseur di la Prayrii	Saskatoon
Aneurin Sheasby	Saskatoon	Lisa Moen	Saskatoon
Ashley Peterson	St. Walburg	Lloydminster Malanka Dancers	Lloydminster
Atlanta Wagmann	Goodsoil	Mackenzie Sproat	Regina
Autumn Alexander	Weyburn	Marlee Gerde & Taylor McPeck	Coronach
Ava Zoller	North Battleford	Matt Bantle - One Man Band	Saskatoon
Beau Duckarmie	Macoun	Melody Sterner	Saskatoon
Bold Dance Productions	Prince Albert	Mike Wowk	Langham
Bryce King	Saskatoon	Nathan Pylypuk	Regina
Chelsea Sauve	Wapella	Newera	Regina
Claire Swidzinski	Yorkton	Regina Mini Express	Regina
Dale Von Bieker	Nipawin	and the Expressions	
Dance INK	Saskatoon	Ryan Riopay	Regina
Emilie Kirchgessner	Saskatoon	Saskatoon Expressions	Saskatoon
Encore Musical Theatre	Fillmore	Saskatoon Mini Express	Saskatoon
and Dance Company		Scott Dreveny	Regina
Garden Dance	North Battleford	Shayla Ulmer	Neudorf
Get Up and Sing	Marengo	Shell Shocked	Davidson
Graham Dyck	Warman	Sheri-Lynn Turgeon	Martensville
Hallelujah	Moose Jaw	Stella & Rowan Mansell	Saskatoon
Hana Coates	Saskatoon	Sweet Note Harmony	Indian Head
Ignite Danceworks Inc.	Saskatoon	Sylvia Chave	Delisle
James "Jimbo" Betts	Melville	Taylor Tluchak &	Regina
Jayneika Okemow-Bull	Cut Knife	Chris Sikorsky	
Joy of Vox	Saskatoon	The Hourhand	Regina
Justin Labrash & True North	Lumsden	The Journalist	Caronport
Kaitlyn Clark & Alysa MacDonald	Rosetown	The Sundrops	Swift Current
Karissa Hoffart	Minton	Trinity Moostoos	Prince Albert
Katherine Downton	Saskatoon	Tyson Grismer	Saskatoon
Kayla Perkins	Yorkton	Winston Garage Band	Imperial
Latin Dance Academy	Saskatoon	Zack Halkett &	Hagen
Danza Morena		Tynaël Lundquist	

# Kinsmen & Kinettes **TELEMIRACLE STEAK NIGHT**

## WHEN

**Saturday, February 4th  
Doors Open at 5:00 p.m.**

## WHERE

**Stockade Convention  
Centre in Lloydminster**

## FEATURING

**THE DIRT RICH BAND**

**CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK**

**TELEMIRACLE STEAK NIGHT**

**LLOYDMINSTER**

# ZONE A



**Kin Canada**

Kinsmen • Kinettes • Kin

## TICKETS

**\$45.00**

**Call Louis**

**306-821-7275**

**or contact any  
local member of  
the Kinettes or  
Kinsmen**

## SPONSORS

**Music**

**Redhead** EQUIPMENT  
The Power of Choice.

**Bar**



**Steak**



Dynasoft  
Communications  
Inc.

**Safe Ride**



# Telemiracle Family Dance

## ZONE B

Come For supper and stay for the dance!

TJ's Pizza available by the slice

Full concession will be available.

Music provided by Steve Yaremy

*Location: Kerry Vickar Centre*

*Date: February 3, 2017*

*Time: 5pm to 8pm*

*Tickets: \$5 per person available at the door*

*\*\*All children must be accompanied by an adult\*\**



**Kin Canada**

**Melfort  
Kinette Club**

All proceeds going to:



# What's UP

Martensville and District Kinsmen  
North Battleford Kinsmen  
Prince Albert Kinsmen  
Prince Albert Kinettes  
Saskatoon and District Kinettes  
Kinsmen Club of Saskatoon  
Pow City Kinsmen- Saskatoon  
U of S Kin Campus Club  
Shellbrook Kinsmen  
Shellbrook Kinettes

## ZONE D



The 7th Annual Prince Albert Kinsmen Telemiracle Cabaret is Feb 24th at 8 p.m. at the Art Hauser Centre. As always, this party will be a safe atmosphere for a fun night out. The Tim Toutant Band will provide entertainment. Get ready for a night of music, dancing, games, and drinks. \*\*The first 50 people through the door between 8 & 9 have the opportunity to buy a bottomless mug for the evening!\*\* This event also marks the beginning of our PA "Telemiracle week" fundraisers: We host a pancake breakfast and PA Raiders Hockey night with proceeds supporting Telemiracle.

Photos from last year. (Same band... Tim Toutant)  
<https://www.facebook.com/princealbertkinsmen/posts/830686193721354>

The Kinsmen Club of Prince Albert is also excited to announce the return of the Kinsmen Hockey Playoff Draft Night! The event will take place on April 7, 2017 at the Carlton Park Hall, with doors & bar open at 6:30 PM; Draft starts at 7:30 PM.

This will be a great night featuring an NHL Playoff Draft, cold beer, snacks, prize items, and Calcutta auction all in one great night. Wear your jersey! Watch for more information and a Facebook event soon at <https://www.facebook.com/princealbertkinsmen/>

YIK, Marcus Abrametz  
Prince Albert Kinsmen



Photos (right) from The Kinsmen Club of Saskatoon  
(Top) - Kinsmen Football League Championships  
(Middle) - Kinsmen Community Stage  
(Bottom) - Elmwood Lodge Christmas Party

*Kinsmen Sports Celebrity Dinner*

PRESENTED BY BRANDT GROUP OF COMPANIES

LAFLEUR

A TRIBUTE WITH

*Mario Lemieux*

& SPECIAL GUESTS

ZONE D

✦ FEBRUARY 3, 2017 ✦

CORPORATE TABLES ON SALE OCTOBER 24TH AT [KCOS.CA](http://KCOS.CA)



It's time for the 6th Annual  
**Pizza Eating Contest at TJ's Pizza!**

Please share in this amazingly fun way to support  
a worthwhile cause!

100% off the money raised during this event is  
donated to TeleMiracle!

Come and cheer, donate, and  
have a blast!

**Tuesday, January 31st 7 pm**

Melfort Legion Hall

Downtown Melfort

101 MacLeod Ave East, Back Door

Contact TJ's Pizza 306-752-5299  
for more details or to register!

**2017**  
**Pizza**  
**Eating**  
**Contest**  
**ZONE B**



**Kin Canada**  
**Prince Albert**  
**Kinette Club**



# ZONE D

## The Kinette Club's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual...

- ♦ Cash only
- ♦ No minors
- ♦ Pizza available




*\$320.00 ~ table*  
*(8 seats per table)*

**Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017** ♦ **Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

**Plaza 88 - #888 Central Avenue**

*7:30 pm ~ Doors open ♦ 8:00 pm ~ Show starts*

They're coming back! Come check out *The Famous Ivory Club Dueling Pianos* while you can for their exclusive two night show! They are best known for their show in Las Vegas! These World class entertainers play your requested songs and provide an evening of fun interactive entertainment.

For more info, check out the *Prince Albert Kinette Club* on  or scan



**In partnership with:**



**This is a fast seller!**

To purchase a table please call or text Melissa @ 306-960-2331

A portion of fundraiser proceeds will be donated to Telemiracle

# ZONE E



**Kin Canada**  
**Kinsmen Club**  
**of Yorkton**

Please consider this your invite to the  
**42<sup>nd</sup> Annual PEROGY CUP HOCKEY TOURNAMENT.**

A great way for Kinsmen (Kin) to play some  
hockey and celebrate a great season of Kin.

## **March 17-19**

Yorkton, SK

\$950 entry fee/team

(this includes the Saturday night banquet and dance)

\$120 liquid mugs for the weekend

Bar opens Thursday at the Kinsmen Arena (blue room)

Please reserve your teams spot by email to

[kinsmenclubofyorkton@sasktel.net](mailto:kinsmenclubofyorkton@sasktel.net)

Reserve your spot with a cheque mailed to:

Kinsmen Club of Yorkton

Box 275

C/O Perogy Cup

Yorkton, SK

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**PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED TO YORKTON KINSMEN BY MARCH 10/17**

**A block of rooms have been set aside at the following hotel.**

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# 2017 Feb 25th Telemiracle Funspiel

Presented by The Weyburn Kinsmen & Kinette Club

**Register Today!**

**\$100 Entry Fee**

3 Game Guarantee

4 End Games

**First Draw @ 1PM**

**Dinner @ 7PM**

Live Entertainment!

Silent Auction, Raffle  
Prizes & 50/50!

**Dinner Only = \$15**

**All Proceeds go to Telemiracle**



For More info:

Brittany @ 306-717-9354

huberbrit@gmail.com

## ZONE H



# What's UP

Assiniboia Kinsmen  
Assiniboia Kinettes  
Coronach Kinsmen  
Coronach Kinettes  
Moose Jaw Kinsmen  
Moose Jaw Kinettes  
Parkland Kinsmen  
Parkland Kinettes  
Thundercreek Kinsmen

## ZONE G

The Thunder Creek Kinsmen will be hosting our first ever Ice Fishing Derby on Lake Diefenbaker on Saturday Feb 25th. We are limiting this to 400 holes and will be holding a steak supper in Riverhurst following the conclusion of the Derby to give out prizes, steak supper is open to the public. In conjunction to the event we will be holding a 50/50 draw with those proceeds going directly to Telemiracle, we will also be taking donations for Telemiracle.

YIK, Ted Moir  
Thunder Creek Kinsmen

The Knette Club of Assiniboia held our annual Breakfast with Santa on Dec. 3. We shared our morning with over 150 kids and their families, and of course the big man himself - Santa! We collected over \$300 in donations to put toward our Adopt-a-Family Christmas basket! #amazingAssiniboia came through once again!

We are looking forward to our Ladies Movie Night in support of Cystic Fibrosis Canada on January 26.

We will be holding a Pub Night concert with Jeffery Straker on February 17th, in support of Telemiracle! If any of our fellow Kin are interested in joining us, send an email to [assiniboiakinettes@gmail.com](mailto:assiniboiakinettes@gmail.com) and we will hook you up with tickets!! After Telemiracle is done, we'll be hosting our annual Children's Fantasy Ball on March 19th, with a Harry Potter theme this year.

YIK, Amanda Duxbury  
President, Assiniboia Kinettes



The Assiniboia Kinettes at their annual Breakfast with Santa on Dec. 3rd for Adopt-a-Family!



# What's UP

Broadview Kin Club  
Estevan Kinsmen  
Estevan Kinettes  
Moosomin Kinsmen  
Moosomin Kinettes  
Pilot Butte and District Kinettes  
Regina Queen City Kinsmen  
Regina Queen City Kinettes  
U of R Kin Club  
Weyburn Kin Club

## ZONE H

The Pilot Butte Kinettes have been running Chase the Ace since May 2016. We have given away a jackpot of \$3,122.00 and we are \$400 deep into our next round. This progressive 50/50 can NOT be beat as far as being a cost effective (total cost was a deck of cards, a few posters and a lotto license) and has raised our profile in the community enormously. We have gained several members based entirely on their seeing us do this and wanting in on the fun, and it provides us with the opportunity to be visible in the community, speak to people about who we are and what Kin is AND have a lot of fun every Friday night in the local bar.

We have developed a strong partnership with the local bar and the local coffee shop, will be supporting the Volunteer Fire Department and attending a Town Meeting to create further relationships in the town. We will be celebrating our charter anniversary and a life membership on February 4th and we are planning a TeleMiracle cabaret on February 25th featuring Slow Motion Walter. Members will also be attending TeleMiracle 41 in Saskatoon.

The club has also had visitations with Estevan Kin, the Queen City Kinettes and the Queen City Kinsmen.

YIK, Corie Ruzicka-Olson  
President, Pilot Butte Kinettes

The Queen City Kinette & Kinsmen clubs in Regina are busy with many projects, including the Kinettes Ladies Night Out Fundraiser on January 28th (for TeleMiracle), Kinsmen Sports Celebrity Dinner on February 9th (for Big Brothers), and planning this year's District Convention, to be held in Regina June 9th & 10th! Watch for more info!

YIK, Kim Schmidt,  
Regina Queen City Kinettes

**"PROUD TO BE KIN"**

The Broadview Kin Club will be hosting our annual TeleMiracle poker tournament on Saturday, February 18th, at the Happy Hours Club in Broadview (see poster on page 52). We are also hosting a concert with Beverley Mahood, on February 24th at the Broadview Community Hall (see poster on page 53).

YIK, Laurie Heisler  
Broadview Kin Club



The Pilot Butte Kinettes at one of their many Chase the Ace nights! (Below, Kin from neighbouring clubs getting in on the action too!)



# POKER night

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 18TH

REGISTRATION AT 1:00PM GAME STARTS AT 2:00PM

HAPPY HOURS CLUB

MAIN STREET, BROADVIEW SK

\$40 BUY IN WITH \$40 RE-BUY

JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL TELEMIRACLE POKER TOURNAMENT. OPTIONAL  
PRE-REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE BY CONTACTING AMANDA RIENKS AT

306-696-7502

ZONE H



# ZONE H



BROADVIEW KIN CLUB PRESENTS

## BEVERLEY MAHOOD

FEB 24TH 2017

AT THE BROADVIEW COMMUNITY HALL

WITH SPECIAL GUEST LAUREN KLEIN

\*\*\*\*\*EARLY BIRD TICKET INCENTIVE\*\*\*\*\*

Supper and Show - \$75 - doors open at 5:30pm - Supper at 6:00pm

Show only - \$50 - Doors open at 7:00pm - Show at 7:30pm

10 random early bird ticket holders will be drawn on Feb 11th for a special  
Meet and Greet VIP Experience

### PROCEEDS TO TELEMIRACLE 41

\*\*\*\*\*TICKET PRICES AFTER FEB 10TH\*\*\*\*\*

Show Only - \$60

At The Door - \$75

For Children pricing, more information and to order your tickets  
please call

1-306-736-3519



**THE PILOT BUTTE KINETTES**  
**Present**  
**WINTER WARM UP CABARET**  
**Featuring**  
**SLOW MOTION WALTER**

All proceeds support

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Telemiracle 41

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**CJME**  
NEWS TALK SPORTS

Pilot Butte Kinettes

February 25 2017

Doors open at 8 PM

White City Community Centre

12 Ramm Ave

\$25.00 in advance \$30.00 at the door

For tickets

email [pilotbuttekinettes@gmail.com](mailto:pilotbuttekinettes@gmail.com)

Or call 306-533-5621 or 306-642-7089

NO MINORS

**ZONE H**



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Humboldt & District Kinettes

ZONE I

PRESENTS

# Valentine's Dine & Dance

February 11th, 2017  
St. Augustine Church Hall

ALL PROCEEDS TO TELEMIRACLE 41

Cocktails 6:00  Supper 7:00  
then Dance the Night Away with:

## DJ Darren Yungmann

Tickets \$40/person or \$75/couple

Tickets available at:

Humboldt Co-op Grocery or Infinite Creations

MUST BE 19 - ID REQUIRED

# What's UP

Davidson Kinetite Club  
Davidson Kinsmen Club,  
Humboldt and District Kinsmen  
Humboldt and District Kinettes  
Jansen and District Kinettes  
Jansen Kinsmen  
Watrous Kinettes  
Watrous Kinsmen  
Wynyard Kinsmen  
Wynyard Kinettes

## ZONE I

Humboldt Kinettes will be busy for the next few months. We have a wonderful group of ladies always willing to help out wherever and whenever needed.

Festival of Lights is a great fundraiser in the community and this year the raised funds were gifted to St. Augustine School playground project. Humboldt Kinettes put on a display!

Our annual Christmas Cheer Campaign was a huge success. We were able to provide 89 hampers to the less fortunate in our community. Many families from Humboldt and surrounding communities were very kind and wanted to sponsor a family for Christmas. Hampers included groceries for families to enjoy a delicious Christmas dinner, and several toys and necessities for all family members!

We started off 2017 with our first Telemiracle Fundraiser on Sunday, January 8th. We partnered with the Knights of Columbus for our third year and provided a pancake breakfast to approximately 320 people from Humboldt and area. Telemiracle Teddy was on site!!!

Second fundraiser for Telemiracle will be on Saturday, January 28th. We will be hosting a ladderlift, for \$141 you can donate to have the firefighters climb higher on their firetruck ladder!!! Telemiracle Teddy will be on site!!!

Our Third Telemiracle event is on Saturday, February 11th and it will be our Sweetheart Valentine's dine and dance! Whose got the moves!?!

YIK, Jodie Ewert Molsberry  
Humboldt and District Kinettes



Photos from The Humboldt and District Kinettes  
(Top two) - Pancake Breakfast  
(Middle) - Festival of Lights  
(Bottom) - Ladder Lift Fundraiser (2016)



# TELEMIRACLE 41 SOUVENIR ORDER FORM

Kinsmen Telemiracle Foundation  
2217C Hanselman Court  
Saskatoon, SK S7L 6A8  
Phone: 306-244-6400 Fax: 306-653-5730

Date Order Taken: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Ship To:</b>	<b>Phone No.**:</b>
<b>Shipping Address:</b>	
<b>City/Town:</b>	<b>Prov:                      PC:</b>

**\*\*PLEASE PROVIDE A CONTACT PHONE NUMBER WITH ALL ORDERS**

Payment Method (please check one): Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Cheque \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_  
 VISA/MASTERCARD/AMEX/DISCOVER # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
 Date Shipped: \_\_\_\_\_ Shipped Via (please check one): Bus \_\_\_\_\_ Post \_\_\_\_\_ P/U \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM	SIZE/STYLE/DESCRIPTION	QTY	PRICE	TOTAL \$
Baseball Jersey - Adult	S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL _____ 4XL _____		\$15.00	
Baseball Jersey - Kid/Youth	S _____ M _____ L _____		\$10.00	
Flexfit Ball Cap	S/M _____ L/XL _____		\$10.00	
Ladies' Hoodie	S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL _____ 4XL _____		\$30.00	
Ladies' V-Neck T-Shirt	S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL (Available in Nov) _____		\$15.00	
Men's Golf Shirt	M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL _____ 4XL _____		\$30.00	
Men's Hoodie	S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL _____ 4XL _____		\$30.00	
Unisex Adult T-Shirt	S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL _____		\$10.00	
Coffee Mug	Barrel style, white exterior with blue interior		\$5.00	
Contigo Travel Mug	Cobalt blue, 16 oz double wall vacuum insulated mug		\$25.00	
Lanyard	Dark green		\$2.00	
Mason Jar Tumbler	Clear with blue lid and straw		\$5.00	
Morris the Moose Stuffedie	Moose with white t-shirt		\$10.00	
Paper Cubes	White with purple print		\$2.00	
Passport Holder	Black		\$7.00	
Pen	Blue with black ink		\$1.00	
Phone Pal Keychain	Green phone stand with screen cleaner		\$2.00	
Phone Wallet	Blue with adhesive back		\$2.00	
Piggy Bank	Transparent blue		\$5.00	
Pin	TM 41 logo		\$1.00	
Sleeved Blanket	Blue fleece, one size fits all		\$25.00	
Spoon	Silver spoon with TM 41 logo (NOTE: Not available until October)		\$3.00	
\$100 Fundraiser Kit - Men's	Hoodie (lg), Adult Shirt (lg), Adult Jersey (lg), Coffee Mug, Phone Wallet, Ball Cap, Pin, Pen (x4), Keychain, Paper Cube (x2), Piggy Bank, Lanyard, Moose		\$100.00	
\$100 Fundraiser Kit - Ladies'	Hoodie (lg), Adult Shirt (lg), Women's Shirt (lg), Coffee Mug, Phone Wallet, Mason Jar Tumbler (x2), Pin, Pen (x4), Keychain, Paper Cube (x2), Piggy Bank, Lanyard, Moose		\$100.00	
Raffle Kit	Adult Shirt (L), Baseball Hat (L/XL), Teddy Bear		N/C	N/C
Elementary School Kit	TO ORDER PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE WITH YOUR LIST OF SCHOOLS		N/C	N/C
High School Kit	TO ORDER PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE WITH YOUR LIST OF SCHOOLS		N/C	N/C
Balloons	Assorted colours		N/C	N/C
Stickers	Red with white print, cloth-safe		N/C	N/C
Coin Box	N/A		N/C	N/C
Hands	N/A		N/C	N/C
Posters	N/A		N/C	N/C
Pledge Books	25 pledge sheets/book		N/C	N/C
<b>Shipping</b>	\$15.00 per package/parcel		\$15.00	
<b>TOTAL (PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO TELEMIRACLE)</b>				

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## TELEMIRACLE 41 SOUVENIRS

TM 41 Pin



Morris the Moose Stuffie



Paper Cube



Phone Stand/Screen Cleaner Keychain



Pen



Contigo Travel Mug



Piggy Bank



Sleeved Blanket



Lanyard



Mason Jar Tumbler  
(Please note: Jar is clear plastic, not white)



## TELEMIRACLE 41 SOUVENIRS

Barrel Coffee Mug  
(Front and back view.)



Men's Golf Shirt



Baseball Cap  
(Front and Side)



Ladies' Hoodie



Men's Hoodie



Baseball Jersey  
(Available in both Adult + Youth)  
(Front) (Back)



Adult Unisex T-Shirt



Ladies' V-Neck



Phone Wallet



Passport Holder

