



**5 Cyclone Squadron
Royal Canadian Air Cadets**



SPONSORING COMMITTEE MEETING - MINUTES

Date	Tuesday, January 16, 2018	Time	1900 – 1945hrs
Purpose	Parent Sponsoring Committee Meeting	Location	ESCE, Embrun, Ontario
Present	Executive: Co-Chair: Pam Furlong and Jennifer MacDonald Secretary: Kiersten Burke Treasurer: Andre Guilbault Director: Lisette Dufour Director: Cheryl Burke Director: Stephanie Schan	Tammy Somers Shawn Sinclair Nancy Dion Stéphane Chenier Kristina Neri Sylvia Theriault Matt McDonald Anita Vinette Claude Vinette	

Item	Presenter	Discussion	Action
1	Chair/Co-chair	<u>Meeting called to order</u>	
2	Treasurer	<u>Financial Report</u>	
3	Chair/Co-chair	<u>Activities Close-Out Reports</u> 1. Russell Meadows The visit to Russell Meadows went well. The elderly were very happy to have the cadets there. 2. Cheese Fundraiser The cheese fundraiser went well for the amount of people who participated. We would like to see more participation with the next fundraiser.	
4	Chair/Co-chair	<u>Upcoming Events</u> 1. Cadets Games The Cadet Games will take place on January 27 and 28 from 8-5 pm at the Hull Armories, 188 Alexandre-Taché Boulevard in Gatineau.	
5	Chair/Co-chair	<u>New Business</u> 1. Portraits Portraits will be February 20 and 27, with retakes in April. There will be three packages at the price points of \$20, \$25 and \$30, as well as individual photos. All	

		<p>pictures are available in digital for on a USB stick for a certain cost as well. Money made goes towards Squadron.</p> <p>2. Sign Night Sign Night is like Paint Nite but you will be making signs instead. This will take place at the Russell Legion in February or March. Participants must be 19 or older as there will be alcohol involved.</p> <p>3. Tag Day Tag Day will be April 12 to 15 and will have a new way to sign up. The sign up will be on a new site called signup.com. All links will be posted online. Level 5's will be required to sign up early so that they can be paired with new cadets.</p> <p>4. Bottle Drive There will be a Bottle Drive on April 7.</p> <p>5. FTX FTX will be April 27 to 29.</p>	
6	CO	<p><u>CO's Report</u></p> <p>We are trying to get a new date for the First Aid course, but we need a minimum of eight level two cadets. The date is looking to be on a Saturday or Sunday in February or March.</p> <p>Next Tuesday the 23rd is the Junior Camp briefing, and we would like as many parents to be there as possible. There is lots of information for the parents as well as the cadets, and even parents who went last year should come this year as well. Lots of questions will be answered.</p> <p>The Cadet Games will be January 27 and 28.</p> <p>There will be an Archery Tag outing coming up February 25 at 11 am to 2 pm, hosted by the new squadron in Barhaven. This is the same day as the Regional Effective Speaking Competition so anyone participating in that will not be able to attend the outing. Only 5 spots are available.</p> <p>There will be an Inter-Flight Competition, and along with this competition there will be a competition to see which cadet will bring in the most recruits. The recruits have to stay for a certain amount of time to qualify. The cadet who brings in the most recruits will receive a \$100 gift card to the place of their choosing, and the second most will get a \$50 gift card.</p>	

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Sponsoring Committee - Secretary