

Feb 6, 1989.

Public Notice

Dear Membership,

Please be advised, that on Feb 25, 1989, there will be a provincial wide election of the M.S.S., this election will cover —
ballots,

Provincial

- president
- * Treasurer
- Secretary

* Area director

* Local executive

- The adoption of the ~~Rules~~ Society of Saskatchewan

By* laws.

- Locals be registered with Saskatchewan Head office
- do advance polls due to cost
- Notice of any changes to adopted by-laws
- possible declaration as to status of voters

808 Broadway.
Moosomin Sk.

135 Rocanville
Secretary
Kim Scribner

MINUTES

Meeting was held on July 11/84, at Joe Blondeau's in Rocanville.

Irene Blondeau opened meeting with elections.

Kim makes motion for President. Paul Jourond is Chairperson. All in favor, Irene Blondeau is Pres. Paul makes motion for vice-president. Irene makes motion for Kim Scribner as V.P. Kim is elected.

Motion ceased.

Edith Caplette moves that V.P. + Secretary be combined. All in favor. Seconded by Daryl Desjarlais. Carried.

Nominations opened for Treasurer. Joe Blondeau nominates Rose Desjarlais. Motion carried.

Nominations for Housing Committee open: Joe Blondeau, Edith Caplette and Joe Pritchard. All in favor. Motion carried.

Nominations for Education Committee open: Edith Caplette, Edith Angell and Glen Ireland. All in favor. Motion carried.

Paul Jourond mentioned Section 38-workers begin on Monday, July 16/84.

Next meeting will be held at Irene Blondeau's on August 15/84, at 7:00 PM.

Meeting started at 7:00 PM, finished at 7:45 PM.

Edith Caplette closed meeting.

Those in attendance were:

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| Rose Desjarlais | Joseph Caplette |
| Velma Desjarlais | Irene Angell |
| Daryl Desjarlais | Paul Jourond. |

Joe Blondeau

Edith Angell

Glen Ireland

Irene Blondeau

Francis Angell

Nap Blondeau

Kim Scribner

Edith Caplette

President: Irene Blondeau
Vice-President & Secretary, J. Kim Scribner

Meeting At Rocanville

Report from Debbie McNabb on Tutoring. Explained Tutoring program.

-How it is funded.

-Forty people to be tutored in this area in basic reading and writing.

- Start recruiting students in middle of March and start tutoring in April.

- Tutors will be tutored at their convenience.

- Hiring a secretary on April 1. Anyone want to apply can send application to Fort . Applicant must have a referral slip from Manpower.

Margie gave report on Leap programs.

-Told of position of Housemother.

Daryle asked if they wanted to talk of the new houses.

Edith Caplette cancelled their application because it was taking too long and because their income is too high.

Dominic explained why they were taking so long.

- Contract Sept. 15

- month and a half for money to come out.

-too close to winter.

Houses will be started when the frost comes out of the ground.

Vera: - Income budget has been revised.

- You can make up to 15,000 a year.

- Local ERP funds are cut back again.

-1400 dollars for each local.

- Approximately 1 applicant.

Local Housing Committee will revise the lists of applicants who will be priority for E.R.P.

-Send name to Vera.

Vera explained Moran's case in Le Bret.

Vera explained the Dumont Institute.

Mary Ann Pritchard asked why they weren't let know about the program. Vera said Daryle was to handle it. Discussion on this.

Vera told of the ten steps to get a house.

Discussion on why Rocanville houses were held up.

Box 578, Rocanville, Sask.

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March 3rd 1980

Mr. Napp Lafontaine
Box 1159, Fort Qu'Appelle
Saskatchewan S0G 1S0

Dear Mr. Lafontaine

The Rocanville Life Skills Class is holding an open house on Thursday, March 13th from 1-3 p.m. and extend a warm invitation to you and any or all of your staff to join us on that occasion.

We are expecting a number of dignitaries to attend and bring greetings that day and hope that you might be able to take part as well.

Perhaps you could get word to us if you are able or unable to come. Thank you.

Yours truly

Dave Eskdale

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ROCANVILLE LOCAL #135
ROCANVILLE, SASKATCHEWAN
SOA 3LO

APRIL 18, 1980

DEAR SIR OR MADAM:

The Rocanville A.M.N.S.I.S. Local #135 are inviting you to a communications workshop that will be held at Moosomin Roman Catholic Church on May 7/80 at 10:00 A.M.

The workshop is to set up a communication between the South East Area locals of Rocanville, Welwyn, Moosomin, and Wapelle. The town councils, principals and teachers, clergy, and RCMP from each of these towns will be invited to this workshop.

There will also be a representative from Human Rights at this workshop.

We will be discussing education, Economic Development, Housing and Aboriginal Rights.

Thank you for your anticipated co-operation.

Sincerely

Daryle Desjarlais
President of Rocanville
Local # 135.

DD/jed

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ROCANVILLE, SASKATCHEWAN
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MAY 2, 1980

DEAR SIR OR MADAM:

The Rocanville A.M.N.S.I.S. Local #135 are inviting you to a communications workshop that will be held at Moosomin Roman Catholic Church Hall on May 14/80 at 5:30 P.M.

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COMMUNICATIONS WORKSHOP FOR ROCANVILLE, MOOSSOMIN, WAPELLA, AND WELWYN
ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH HALL - MOOSSOMIN 5:30 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

Nap opens workshop. He also explains who we are - non registered or Metis. He explains that we once lived on the fringes of towns and why we never participated in either direction. He explained what a local is and how it is set up. We are registered under the Societies Act and we have an annual meeting once a year.

Housing, Education, and Economic Development was set up at the annual assembly. Nap explains how welfare started and why there is so much alcohol. He also explained why we need training.

He explained the Area Board and who is on it. We have a good accounting system set up as we are not out one cent on our audits. He explained why KaPaChee was set up and that it is looked after by the native people.

We need to get native people involved in construction and housing. Nap explained housing and what the roles of the Housing Committee are. He said why the local housing is important and why there is a priority list - to those who really need it badly.

Nap explained Valley Services.

Alcohol is a very serious problem, caused by lost pride and Welfare.

Nap explained what Tutoring is and how it is set up.

He explained in simple terms the South Tep and the Dumont Institute.

He introduced Debbie McNab and told how Tutoring got started. Debbie explained the program and how they are doing.

Nap introduced Vera McLeod and Dominic for Housing report.

Vera McLeod explained what she is doing and how it is run. She discussed Valley Services. Dominic LaFontaine explained construction and how it is run. Also explained the Three year LEAP Carpenter's program.

Nap explained Aboriginal Rights. And Bev Worsley talked about Aboriginal Rights.

Daryle Desjarlais and Mary Ann Cameron introduced themselves. Daryle explained Economic Development and how they deal with Special Arda. Daryle then showed a slide presentation on the Special Arda Program.

Nap explained more on Economic Development. He also explained the Lebrat Training Farm and how, if we get it, it can be used.

Barb Hitchens explained Education and NRIM program. Nap explained more on Education.

Patsy explained NAC and John Tourand talked on NAC and it's prevention. Eva Peter showed a film called "Try for Tomorrow"

GUEST SPEAKERS:

Brian Caparello - Moosomin R.C.M.P.

Wishes us luck with all programs. I think you are headed in the right direction . There have always been problems between police officers and natives or any other minority group. We're only human and some in our force are prejudiced. You should be proud of your heritage. These workshops are a really good idea.

Sister McTaggart - Rocanville Pastors of Pentecostal Church

I would like to thank you. Nap is a really great speaker. I congratulate you on your workshop. I don't want you to feel that we are holier than you. We've had a native pastor , Bill Turner. It takes a native to understand natives. I stand 100% behind you and God Bless You.

Mr. Churocky - Teacher from Rocanville.

I'm really impressed and wish you the best of luck. In Ab. Rights - include culture and guidance. Please get more involved in the role of the University.

Nap spoke of the Dumont institute and told of Mr. Curry and Mr. White - Native Professors.

Presidents - Daryle, Rita, and Diana thanked everyone for coming out to the workshop.

Nap : Any questions ? Thank you for coming.

George Desjarlais made a motion that workshop be adjourned. Rita Blondeau seconded the motion.

SUPPER SERVED.

Rocanville Annual Elections May 1982

Minutes from Last Year's Election read.

Treasurer's Report of the year.

Nominations opened for President.

Edith Caplette nominated Mary Ann Pritchard - stand
Ida Langley nominated Rose Behumeur - declined
George Tourond nominated Nick Hayden - declined

Mary Ann Prichard in by acclamation.

Nominations opened for Vice President

Rose Desjarlais nominated Edith Caplette - stand
Bill Hayden nominated Jane Jopp - declined
Shirley Belhumeur nominated Joan Pritchard - stand

Edith Caplette won the majority of votes

Nomination for Secretary & Treasurer.

Edith Caplette nominated Rose Desjarlais - stand

No other nominations were made.

Rose Desjarlais in by acclamation

Selection of Committees tabled for the next Local Meeting.

President - Mary Ann Pritchard

Vice President - Edith Caplette

Secretary & Treasurer - Rose Desjarlais