

QU'APPELLE LOCAL #1
LOCAL MEETING
FEBRUARY 3, 1992

Those present:

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| 1) ALBERT ROSS | 7) MARGARET LaFONTAINE |
| 2) BARRY DENOMIE | 8) BERNIE LaFONTAINE |
| 3) FRANK DENOMIE | 9) ROSE ROSS |
| 4) TAMMY CACHENE | 10) LORI MARENDIUK |
| 5) (AGNES SINCLAIR) -non-member | |
| 6) KEN DENOMIE | |

The local meeting was called to order at 8:05pm. Local President Bernie LaFontaine introduced the new executive and assured members that all member input would be dealt with as thoroughly as possible. He emphasized the importance of active contributing members.

Minutes of the January 15, 1992 local meeting were read by the Secretary.

MOTION #1

Moved by Frank Denomie.
Seconded by Albert Ross.

" That the minutes of the January 15 local meeting be accepted. "

Carried.

Lori Marendiuk presented a summary of the 1992 GDI Annual Conference. Pamphlets and information collected at the conference were shared with members. It was suggested by Tammy Cachene that the secretary hold all materials until committees are formed.

Bernie LaFontaine addressed the following;

- 1) Receiving Home for Native Children
 - A proposal for a similar project in Edmonton has been offered for our use.
 - It was determined that obtaining funds to construct a building, as opposed to renting, would be the best course to follow.
 - A single floor building to accommodate at least 20 children and hold an administration area would be ideal.
 - The centre should have a large outdoor recreation area.
 - It is important to get support and assistance from the Area Director and the Town of Qu'Appelle.
 - Suzanne Murray, Qu'Appelle-Lumsden MLA, was very supportive and has contacted the Minister of Social Services on our behalf. The Regional Director of Childcare has been notified of our interests and will be

meeting with local representatives.

2) Monthly Local Meetings

- day to be determined by local members.

3) Incorporation

- The local should be incorporated in order to properly organize programs and raise funds.
- Incorporation papers have been obtained and will be filed if there are no such papers already filed and registered.

A discussion on fundraising ideas followed. Members agreed to donate items/food and assist in operating fundraisers. An annual Metis Days celebration for the area is something the members would like to see organized. It was agreed that such an event could be held at the same location every year and on the same dates every year. To involve the Southeast Area Locals a planning committee should be formed. Qu'Appelle Local #1 will act as the host local for the 1992 year, with the intent that the event be hosted by a different Southeast Area Local each year.

4) Provincial Elections

- MSS Provincial President Jim Durocher has expressed an interest in attending a campaign meeting in Qu'Appelle for Southeast Area Members. He will bring running-mates Bernice Hammersmith and Ron Camponi.
- A dry dance after the meeting would be an added incentive to draw attendance.
- Voting for the Feb.22/92 Provincial Elections will be held at the Qu'Appelle Town Hall Library.
- As Rose Ross is unsure as to the duties of DRO, it was agreed that Lori Marendiuk would also act as DRO. Any compensation for this position will be split in two equal parts.
- Rides will be available to local members.

A discussion on Southeast Area Director Candidates followed. It was agreed that the local would support one candidate, as a whole, as opposed to splitting votes. The local will also support a slate for the Provincial Executive positions.

Ken Denomie announced the Lebret Farm Board Public Meeting to be held in Qu'Appelle Feb.19/92.

Albert Ross raised a question as to who MSS Senators are, how they are appointed and who is eligible. The Area Director's Office will be asked to provide this information.

MOTION #2

Moved by Ken Denomie.

Seconded by Albert Ross.

"That the meeting be adjourned."

Carried.

February 3, 1992 Local Meeting adjourned 9:55pm.

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Qu'Appelle
SOG 440

QU'APPELLE LOCAL#1
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JANUARY 15, 1992

1.

Temporary Secretary: Agnes Sinclair

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Ervin Portras: moves that Albert Ross be excused from his position of local president.

Seconded by Rose Ross.

Carried.

Bernie LaFontaine said that as the local executive positions are now all vacant, the object of this meeting should be to present nominations for a new executive. The secretary called for nominations from the members.

Rose Ross: moves that nominations be opened for president.

Seconded by Albert Ross.

Carried.

Albert Ross nominates Ken Denomie./ Ken declines immediately.

Margaret LaFontaine nominates Bernie LaFontaine.

There are no other nominations.

Ervin Portras: moves that nominations for president be closed.

Seconded by Bill Gensille.

Carried.

Bernie LaFontaine new President by acclamation.

Albert Ross: moves that nominations be opened for the position of vice-president.

Seconded by Bernie LaFontaine.

Carried.

Albert Ross nominates Rose Ross.

Bernie LaFontaine nominates Ken Denomie.

Rose Ross nominates Lori Marendiuk.

Albert Ross: moves that nominations for vice-president be closed.

Seconded by Ervin Portras.

Carried.

Secretary asks Rose Ross if she accepts.

Rose Ross declines.

Secretary asks Ken Denomie if he accepts.

Ken Denomie accepts.

Secretary asks Lori Marendiuk if she accepts.

Lori Marendiuk declines.

Ken Denomie new Vice-president by acclamation.

Rose Ross: moves that nominations for secretary be opened

Seconded by Barry Denomie.

Carried.

Albert Ross nominates Lori Marendiuk.

Tammy Cachene nominates Rose Ross.

Ervin Portras moves that nominations for secretary be closed.

Seconded by Valerie LaFontaine.

Carried.

Secretary asks Lori Marendiuk if she accepts.

Lori Marendiuk accepts.

Secretary asks Rose Ross if she accepts.

Rose Ross declines.

Lori Marendiuk new Secretary by acclamation.

Ken Denomie moves that nominations be opened for the position of treasurer.

Seconded by Margaret LaFontaine.

Carried.

Bernie LaFontaine nominates Ervin Portras.

Albert Ross nominates Margaret LaFontaine.

Barry Denomie nominates Rose Ross.

Lori Marendiuk moves that nominations for the position of treasurer be closed.

Seconded by Valerie LaFontaine.

Carried.

Secretary asks Ervin Portras if he accepts.

Ervin Portras declines.

Secretary asks Margaret LaFontaine if she accepts.

Margaret LaFontaine declines.

Secretary asks Rose Ross if she accepts.

Rose Ross accepts.

Rose Ross new Treasurer by acclamation.

New Executive- Qu'Appelle Local#1

PRESIDENT: Bernie LaFontaine

VICE-PRESIDENT: Ken Denomie

SECRETARY: Lori Marendiuk

TREASURER: Rose Ross

New Business:

Brenie LaFontaine stated that there is a need in this local for programs and employment. A program such as a group receiving home giving priority to native children would be beneficial. Albert Ross stressed the importance of organizing committees for the following; education, housing, welfare, and other activities such as recreation. He stated that there should be the president and two members on each of these committees.

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Programs:

Programs that would be beneficial to the local area; a group receiving home, a day care centre, job training, and a parent aid program.

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Deputy Returning Officer Selection

Members decided that the DRO would be selected on a voluntary basis.

The secretary called for a volunteer.

Rose Ross volunteered.

Bernie LaFontaine moves that Rose Ross be named Deputy Returning Officer for the February 22, 1992 MSS Provincial Election.

Seconded by Ervin Portras.

Carried.

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Seconded by Albert Ross.

Carried. (9:45pm)

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QU'APPELLE, LOCAL #1 MEETING SEPT. 29/1983.

ATTENDANCE: WILFRED PELLETIER paid
 RHODA ELLES PAID
 ALESTORE ROSS PAID
 BLONDIE ROSS PAID
 MARIE ROSS PAID
 ALBERT ROSS
 FREDA FAVEL PAID
 FRED CONSTABLE PAID
 ROSALIE ROSS PAID
 KIRBY WERNIG
 DARYL DESJARLAIS
 A, ROSS PAID
 ALFRED ROSS PAID
 KATHY ROSS PAID

NOMINATION of Chairman - Daryl Desjarlais.

Meeting was called to elect an executive and register the Local.
Membership fees have to be paid once a year.

President:

Allister nominates Albert Ross - declines
Frede nominates Marie Ross - accepts
Blondie moves nominates - cease
Marie Ross is president by acclamation.

Vice President:

Albert nominates Rose Marie Ross
All in favor - carried

Secretary: Treasurer:

Allister nominates Rhode Ellis
2nd by Wilfred Pelletier
Rhodw Ellis by acclamation

Area board ,member must attend all area board meetings of the
Southeast Area. Area board member is in office for a period of
5 years.

Area Board Member:

Albert Ross nominates Allister Ross

2nd by Albfred Ross

All in Favor Carried

President- Marie Ross

Vice President -Rose Marie Ross

Sec. Tresurer- Rhoda Ellis

Area Board Member - Allister Ross

Education- upgrading can be held in the local if enough students can be found minimum is 8 students.

Certified Training such as welding will take time to set up. SUNTEP interest, anyone interested should contact Paul Tourond at Kapachee 332-4598.

Welfare Committee - to provide support to local people who have problems with welfare workers.

ERP housing committee - priorze ERP according to needs.

Eva Peter- NAC Worker, anyone interested to have workshops on alcohol abuse contact Eva at Kapachee 332-4598. There is a treatment centre at Regina. Anyone who wants to attend AA meetings contact Eva.

Questions: Local meetings should be held at least once a month. Every 3rd Thursday of the month. Next meeting to be held Oct.20,1983.

Raffle for blanket, area will make tickets.

Recreation Committee- Albert Ross nominates Rosalie Ross and Fred Constab. Albert Ross adjourned the meeting.

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QU'APPELLE LOCAL #1 MEMBERSHIP LIST: 1986

ARNOLD, CHESTER JAMES

ARNOLD, DONNA MAY

ARNOLD, FLORENCE M.

ARNOLD, HAZEL I.

ARNOLD, LEONARD

ARNOLD, SHANNON

ARNOLD, SHAWN

ARNOLD, WAYNE SR.

DESNOMIE, FLORENCE

DESNOMIE, SANDRA

FAVEL, LYNDA

FAVEL, MICHAEL

KELLER, ALVINA

KELLER, PETER

KELLER, LAWRENCE

KLYNE, ALICE

KLYNE, KATHERINE

LAFONTAINE, EILEEN

LAFONTAINE, IRVIN

LAFONTAINE, LEROY

MARENDIUK, JOYCE

MARENDIUK, LORI

MARENDIUK, LEONARD

MEYERHOFFER, JEROME

MCNABB, BRENDA

MCNABB, KEVIN

MILKE, MARY

PELLETIER, ALFRED

PELLETIER, MATILDA

PELLETIER, GILBERT

ROSS, ALBERT

ROSS, ALFRED

ROSS, ALLISTER B.

ROSS, KATHLEEN M.

ROSS, MARGARET (MAGS)

ROSS, MARIE S.

ROSS, RASALIE M.

ROSS, ROSE MARIE

Local #1 Meeting,
Qu'Appelle, Sask.
March 4, 1981.

Attendance

Wayne Arnold
Debbie McNab
Lenny Beston
April Beston
Glen Fitzsimmons
Raymond Cardinal
Hazel Arnold
Willard Stone
Chester Arnold
Kenny Fitzsimmons
Florence Arnold

Read minutes from last meeting. There was no old business, went on to new business.

Discussed NRIM Training Days for next year. Chester Arnold made a motion to have a home maintenance program that is presently taking place in Lestock Local, be held in Qu'Appelle when the four houses being built are complete and to request that this be a 6-7 month class.

Raymond Cardinal seconded the motion.

No questions. The motion was carried.

Discussed houses in Qu'Appelle Debbie explained she is still waiting for selection criteria from Phil Benson. Filled out housing application for Lenard and April Beston.

Went on to discuss Sun-tee Program. April Beston and Kenny Fitzsimmons asked for local support for their suntee applications.

Wayne Arnold made a motion that the local support both April and Kenny, and that Debbie be responsible for writing letters of support.

Chester Arnold seconded the motion.

No questions. The motion was carried..

Discussed Area Meeting in Lebret on Sunday March 8/81 for Aboriginal Rights and Lebret Metis Farm. All members present stated they would try thier best to attend.

Set up a date for Aboriginal Rights Workshop in Qu'Appelle to be posted March 5/81 and held March 18, giving everyone two weeks notice.

Raymond Cardinal made a motion to close the meeting.

Lenard Beston seconded the motion.

Motion carried. Meeting closed.

Local Meeting
Qu'Appelle Local #1
May 27, 1980

Members Present:

Debbie McNab (President)
Hazel Arnold
Glen Fitzimmons
Raymond Cardinal
Chester Arnold
Florence Arnold
Frieda Favel
Lynda Favel
Willard Stone (Associate)-(vice-president)
Alfred Pelletier
Donna Arnold (Secretary)
Kim Marcia (Associate)

Debbie opened meeting by talking about programs in Southeast area, asked all members if they recieved list of people working in the Area. Went over area programs starting with 3 year leap (carpenters course). Mentioned the possibility of an opening in the course.

Motion: Chester Arnold moved that we support three members who have applications in for this course.

Seconded: Florence Arnold.

Discussion & Questions: It was decided by the members to put priority on applications.

#1 Priority - Glen Fitzimmons - good member of our local for two and one half years. Very involved locally.

#2 Priority - Alfred Pelletier - good member of our local for 1 year.

#3 Priority - Raymond Cardinal - good member of our local for 1 year.

All members were in favor of the motion: Motion carried

Asked members if they were interested in NRIM Training classes at Fort Qu'Appelle. Classes offered, Bookeeping & Sccounting in September. Local members would like a meeting with Andy Dumba and Barb Hitchens to discuss a Drivers Training Class.

Debbie McNab explained Tutoring Program and asked if anyone knew of anyone was interested in being tutored.

Hazel Arnold explained Aboriginal Rights Class now taking place at Ka-pa-chee in which she is enrolled. She talked about the class and is very enthusiastic.

Discussion on womans organization was held. All woman in our local will by memberships. Discussed Local membership, all members will re-new memberships.

Went over motions passed at Area Board meetin on May 6, 1980. All members agree and understood motions. Talked about Area Board member for five years. Chester Arnold nominated Florence Arnold for Area Board

member. Raymond Cardinal seconded the motion.

Discussion on why Area Board members should sit on board for five years. All in favor - motion carried.

Housing: Discussed vacant house in Qu'Appelle. All Local Members support John Gia Allarie for the vacant house. Debbie McNab will support him being she is a member for our organization on the selection committee.

Willard Stone argued that Mrs. McDougal can not sit on this committee. Debbie agreed to get facts about selection committee from Saskatchewan Housing.

Local elections were partically held:

Donna Arnold -resigned as (Secretary-Tresurer)
Raymon Cardinal-nominated Linda Favel
-Linda declined
Glen Fitzsimmons-nominated Hazel Arnold
-Hazel declined

No other nominations. All were in favor of Debbie McNab acting as Secretary-Tresurer until next meeting when the floor will be open for nominations.

No one was interested in running against Debbie McNab as President therefor all members voted Debbie stay in as president of Qu'Appelle Local #1 South East Area for one more year. Debbie McNab accepted.

There were no elections for Vice-President they will also come up at the next Local meeting with Secretary Position.

Discussion on Metis Heritage Days & Annual Assembly took place. Could not agree on delegates for assembly, we will also elecrt them at our next Local Meeting.

Those running:

Glen Fitzimmons
Florence Arnold
Raymond Cardinal
Chester Arnold
Frieda Favel
Willard Stone
Hazel Arnold

Debbie stressed the importance of the Annual Assembly & the vote of nonconfidence against Tom Roy Provincial Secretary and she asked Local members to elect delegates who know the issues and are involved and those delegates they feel will not give our local a bad name by drinking and disturbing or embarrassing our Local in any way, as has happened in the past. Willard Stone agreed.