

BCGREA Branch 2100 Surrey Langley Langley/Surrey Branch 2100	June 16, 2025 1-3 pm Royal Canadian Legion, 17567 57 Ave, Surrey
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MINUTES

Program: Pre-summer social

1. Call to Order: 1:05 pm

2. Adoption of Agenda: M/S/C

3. Adoption of Minutes: from May 19, 2025 **M/S/C**

4. Reports:

a. **President**, Wilf Brodrick. Provincial Table Officers meeting

i. COSCO every 4 years; 2025 in October at Marriot, Richmond. BCGREA is sponsoring in the amount of \$10,000. Branches, if they have the funds, can attend by Zoom. Can also attend in person, \$250 registration fee covers 2 days of meetings and meals, including banquet.

ii. Survey. Results are on line.

1. Re: dues increase \$5.00 once – 70% in favour. Table officers are preparing for dues increase; Special AGM in October, meet timelines of the Pension Corp

iii. BCGREA name change. Only half worked directly for government; other organizations that are managed by the Pension Corp. Possible name 'BC Public Service Retirees Association'. Branch discussion, with vote on direction, delegates to vote a special meeting.

b. **Treasurer**, Lu Gaudet. Opening balance: \$5420.86; Closing balance \$5078.60.

c. **Membership**, Janice Leonard. 703 members; 1 new; 1 deceased. 5 potential members in

d. **Newsletter**, Janice Leonard end of July

e. **Merchandising**, Janice Leonard – new items tote with water bottle, coil bound notebook

f. **Good and Welfare**, Surrinder Angl – 1 card mailed

Accept reports: M/S/C

5. New Business:

a. **Presentation of Life Member certificates:**

In attendance: Surrinder Angl, Simon Beck, Keith Bospflug, Larry Kucille, Linda McCreath, Marina Stevens, Henry Strymecki, Bill Taylor, Helen Thompson.

In addition, Lionel Adams, William Argo, and Gordon Blackwell were recognized but could not attend the meeting.

6. Draws: 6 plants donated by Lu Gaudet, and BCGREA mugs

7. Registration: Marina Stevens
56 members; 7 guests

8. Member Donation: Marina Stevens: \$57.50

9. Adjournment: 2:55 pm

2025 meeting schedule:

Sep 15

Oct 20

Nov 17

Dec 8 – second Monday to avoid being too close to Christmas

AMENDED AND APPROVED SEPTEMBER 15, 2025

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