



The Air Cadet League of Canada (Manitoba) Inc.

NEWSLETTER



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Supporting the Youth of Manitoba since 1941

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2016 MANITOBA AIR CADET EFFECTIVE SPEAKING COMPETITION



**2016 MEDAL RECIPIENTS
(LEFT TO RIGHT) SERGEANT DHILLON, CORPORAL AGGERWAL, AND
SERGEANT LINCOLN.
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The 2016 Provincial Effective Speaking Competition was held on Sunday the 14th of February, 2016 in BLDG 90 at 17 Wing Winnipeg.

Twenty-two Air Cadets competed for the 2016 Manitoba Effective Speaking Competition medals. Top awards were presented to the winners by the Manitoba Provincial Committee Past Chair, Howard Mar.

The Gold medal was awarded to Corporal Aggerwal of 575 RCACS Portage La Prairie, the Silver medal was awarded to Sergeant Sukhcharhat Dhillon of 170 RCACS Winnipeg and the Bronze Medal was awarded to Sergeant Cody Lincoln of 249 RCACS Beausejour.

A special thanks to the judges, Mr. Guerrard and Mr. Best, and all the event's organizers and participants. The 2016 winner is eligible to represent Manitoba's Air Cadets in the National Effective Speaking Competition to be held in Richmond, BC this coming June.



SUPPORTED BY:





Andrew Swan, Manitoba's Special Envoy for Military Affairs presents Howard Mar, 75th Anniversary Events Coordinator, with the Province of Manitoba Proclamation declaring "The Year of The Air Cadet In Manitoba."



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

YEAR OF THE AIR CADET IN MANITOBA

WHEREAS the Air Cadet League of Canada carries out its obligations at national, provincial and local levels with dedicated civilian members from the community and the Canadian Armed Forces providing the professional staff to implement the program; and

WHEREAS on April 9, 1941, the Air Cadet League of Canada (Manitoba) was granted a Dominion Charter authorizing it to operate as a charitable, non-profit corporation and will celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of its founding during the year of 2016; and

WHEREAS the first Air Cadet Squadron in Manitoba was formed in Winnipeg as "#6 Winnipeg Lions Air Cadet Squadron"; and

WHEREAS more than 55,000 young Manitobans have participated in the Air Cadet Program in Manitoba since its inception with squadrons currently located in The Pas, Swan River, Russell, Neepawa, Strathclair, Dauphin, Melita, Brandon, Morden, Portage La Prairie, Stonewall, Steinbach, Beausejour, Fisher Branch, Gimli, Thompson and Winnipeg;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Andrew Swan, Special Envoy for Military Affairs, on behalf of the Government of Manitoba do hereby declare 2016 as,

YEAR OF THE AIR CADET IN MANITOBA

To recognize and honour seventy-five years of service to the youth of Manitoba.



2015 MANITOBA AIR CADET SCHOLARSHIPS

The Air Cadet League of Canada (Manitoba) Inc. is pleased to announce the 2016 Post-Secondary Scholarships. Eligibility includes students that are members of a Manitoba Squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Cadets or have aged out of the program during the Training Year 2015/16.

The 2016 awards include:

- **The Lieutenant-General G. Allan Mackenzie Post-Secondary Education Bursary**, a \$5,000 award – sponsored by the Lieutenant-General G. Allan Mackenzie Estate;
- **The Murphy Family Foundation Scholarships**, five \$2,500 awards— sponsored by the Murphy Family Foundation;
- **The Manitoba Air Cadet Post--Secondary Education Scholarships**, two \$1,000 awards;
- **The Professor Gregory Lindahl Music Bursary**, a \$500 award; plus
- **The Manitoba Squadron Leadership And Community Service Bursaries**, five \$500 awards— sponsored by the members of the Manitoba Provincial Committee and friends.

Cadets may be nominated for these scholarships by their Squadron Sponsoring Committee. The awards available and the guidelines for eligibility are recorded at <http://www.aircadetleaguemb.ca/scholarships.html>.

Each applicant will be considered for all the eligible awards, but a recipient may receive only one award.

Applicants must be graduates of a Secondary School (or equivalent) system of any Province or Territory and who are entering directly into a full program of studies or are undertaking a full program at a fully-accredited post-secondary education facility (university, college or technical institute) where the program to be undertaken leads to a degree, diploma, or professional or technical qualification.



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Now available on the national website at www.aircadetleague.com

2016 ANNIVERSARY CASH CALENDAR WINNERS

Six draws have taken place for the 2016 Cash Calendar prizes. The winners are:

DRAW DATE JANUARY 18, 2016

\$250 Draw celebrating 82 Squadron

Winner: Calendar number 0432, Steve Page, Winnipeg, MB

\$250 Draw celebrating 199 Squadron

Winner: Calendar number 0854, Antonio Avendano, Winnipeg, MB

\$250 Draw celebrating 301 Squadron

Winner: Calendar number 0183, Nancy Saxler, River Hills, MB

DRAW DATE FEBRUARY 15, 2016

\$250 Draw celebrating 307 Squadron

Winner: Calendar number 2265, Lorne Spence, Peguis, MB

\$250 Draw celebrating 519 Squadron

Winner: Calendar number 0298, Laurel Johannson, Winnipeg, MB

\$250 Draw celebrating 303 Squadron

Winner: Calendar number 1405, Allan Stewart, Bois-Sevain, MB

Congratulations to all. The monthly draw winners will be posted on our web site at <http://www.aircadetleaguemb.ca/75thanniversary.html>

Thank you for supporting Air Cadets



75TH ANNIVERSARY

The Air Cadet League is turning 75 this year and it's a time to celebrate! Join us as we commemorate our great history and prepare future generations of young people who will learn, serve and advance through the Air Cadet program.

This is the place to find out about – and get involved in – the many 75th Anniversary events taking place across the country throughout the year.

<http://aircadetleague.com/about-us/75th-anniversary/>



Overdue?

The 2014-15 ACC 9 Squadron Annual Financial Report
Is yours in?



2016 AIR CADET RAFFLE

Draw will be held on Monday June 13, 2016 at 7:00 PM at the #283 Army Navy & Air Force Veterans in Canada, 3584 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB.

DRAW ORDER AND PRIZE DISCRIPTION: (Value before taxes)

- **1st Draw** LIVCON On Ear Headphones - retail value \$7.31
- **2nd Draw** LIVCON On Ear Headphones - retail value \$7.31
- **3rd Draw** SONY Sound Bar with Wireless Sub-Woofer - retail value \$220.50
- **4th Draw** SONOS Play 1 Wi-Fi Speaker Package - retail value \$301.94
- **5th Draw** MARSHALL Blue Tooth Speaker - retail value \$328.13
- **6th Draw** SONY 40" LED Television - retail value \$491.17

Supplier: 

***** Number of tickets 15,000 *****

Ticket #s 00001 - 15000

Ticket Price \$2.00 each.

All sales will end at 7:00 PM, Monday June 6, 2016

All PROCEEDS are distributed to participating squadrons

"ALL DRAWS ARE OPEN TO ALL TICKET HOLDERS"

Squadrons wishing tickets can contact the [Raffle Coordinator, Howard Mar](#), or their League Liaison Member and advise how many books your squadron would like (**10 tickets per book**).



UPCOMING AIR CADET AND LEAGUE EVENTS

- **75th Anniversary Gala Dinner** - April 16, 2016 at Victoria Inn, Winnipeg
- **2016 Aerospace & Aviation in Manitoba AAiM Day** - May 27, 2016 at the Stevenson Campus, Red River Community College, Winnipeg
- **75th Anniversary Celebration/25th Golden Falcon** - June 10 - 12, 2016 at Winnipeg
- **2016 Manitoba Air Cadet Raffle** - June 13, 2016 at 283 ANAF, Winnipeg
- **2016 National Annual General Meeting** - June 16-18, 2016 at Richmond, BC
- **2016 Manitoba Air Cadet Scholarship Applications** - June 30, 2016 at ACL (MB), Winnipeg
- **76th Battle of Britain Ceremonies** - September 18, 2016 at 17 Wing Garden of Memories
- **2016 Manitoba ACL AGM** - October 15-16, 2016 at Victoria Inn, Winnipeg



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AIR CADET LEAGUE 75th ANNIVERSARY GALA FUNDRAISER DINNER

Saturday April 16, 2016

Cocktails 6:00 PM - Dinner 7:00 PM

Exhibits, Entertainment, Auction

Victoria Inn, 1808 Wellington Avenue, Winnipeg

Tickets \$90.00 (partial tax receipt available)

Dress: Mess Dress, black tie or business suit

(decorations may be worn)

*All proceeds support scholarships and programs for
Manitoba Air Cadets*

**Tickets are available from League Members or
contact 1-888-671-0841**

For more information or to purchase tickets you can send an email to:
gala@aircadetleaguemb.ca

Air Cadets!

NEED MONEY FOR SCHOOL?

Multiple Scholarships

Available only for Manitoba Air Cadets

We are pleased to announce the 2016 Post Secondary Scholarships

ONE (\$5,000) AWARD

G. Allan MacKenzie Bursary

Murphy Family Scholarships

FIVE (\$2,500) AWARDS

TWO (\$1,000) AWARDS

Education Scholarships

Lindhahl Music Bursary

ONE (\$500) AWARD

FIVE (\$500) AWARDS

Community Service Bursaries

Plus

National Air Cadet Scholarships

The Air Cadet League of Canada (Manitoba) Inc. can help!

How to apply before June 30, 2016 at

www.aircadetleaguemb.ca/scholarships.html