

Medicine Hat CAHS Chapter Activity Report for Year 2023

Prepared by: Roger Beebe (Membership, Treasurer and Presentation Recruiter)

Date: 12 January 2024

Activities Prose Report

Our activities include our evening in person and ZOOM presentations which take place at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 17 in downtown Medicine Hat, Alberta. We conduct a vigorous advertising program for CAHS which includes posters, several Facebook sites, and an extensive email campaign. We are actively recruiting anyone in the locality and away with an aviation interest. We have several international members because of that. We connect with local aviation community, police, and military both serving and retired members. We do outreach to the local cadet corps.

Membership 2023

Twenty-Three paid members for the year 2023.

Budget Projection for 2024

Projected Income

Total projected income is two thousand and seven hundred and fifty (\$2750.00).

- From approximately twenty members at \$20 each for annual membership, equals \$400.
- Plus, \$200 in landing fees/ donations, plus calendar sales of \$235.
- The total 2024 budget income from sales and memberships & landing fees, may be \$735.
- Extraordinary donations may be \$2000.00 dollars.

Projected expenses

Total 2024 expenses may be \$2400.00.

- Legion rental \$300, printing \$100, speaker gifts \$200, travel expenses for speakers and National AGM \$1000.
- The RCAF anniversary activities \$800.

History Presentations

A historical record of speakers for 2023

- January 2023- Sterling Cripps, Drones
- February 2023- Richard De Boer, Calgary Mosquito
- March 2023 – Brain Whitehead – RAF to Wardair
- April 2023- Christopher terry – Travelair Company of the Nineteen Twenties
- May 2023 - Barry Prentice – Airships
- June /July 2023- Summer social and airshow
- September 2023 – Wes Krause – CAHS National Conference 2023- Kingston, ON
- October 2023 – Don Bradshaw – ME-109 Rebuilding in Saskatoon, SK
- November 2023 – Arnie Macauley CWO (Rtd.) - Boxtop 22- Air Rescue in Arctic
- December 2023 – Social- Mainliner Pub-Medicine Hat Flats

End of report; Roger Beebe, Treasurer, Membership, and Speaker Coordinator/Finder