



**June 5, 2019 at noon at the Beaverhill Museum and Nature Centre**  
**“Building a Strong Community by Promoting Business and Economic Growth”**

Sue Muma	Chamber Secretary / Human Resources Consulting	Ian Mansley	Chamber President / Tofield Liquor Mart
Belle Henderson	Chamber Treasurer / Tofield Golden Club	Rebecca Warkentin	Country Lane Pet Boarding
Amanda Calon	Beaver County CALP (Community Adult Learning Program)	Dave Spilchen	Spilchen Consulting Services
Sandy Brolly	Welcome Basket	Yvonne Brown	Busy Bee/ Farmers Market
Sharon Klassen	Klassco Interiors	Hazel Reid	Tofield/Ryley Foodbank
Barbara Ferguson	Royal Canadian Legion	Amanda Christopher	Sonshine Daycare
Bonnie Ferguson	Royal Canadian Legion	Paul Heide	Chamber Group Benefits Plan
Jessee Malica-Hare	Home-Time Realty		

1. Ian called the meeting to order at 12:15

2. Round Table

- **Spilchen Consulting** – Services including water and sewer installation and maintenance, Acreage water services, small plumbing projects.
- **Country Lane Pet Boarding** – Victim Services Gold Tournament coming up, as well commended the Promenade planning committee, everything was great from attending with the kids to being a corporate sponsor.
- **Royal Canadian Legion** – upcoming events include a 50’s and 60’s dance, Golf Tournament in August
- **Beavery County CALP** – Adult learning programs have been a success, the office is closed for the summer.
- **Welcome Basket / Health Foundation** – Culture days on Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>. Discussion regarding updating a map of the town on the street as you drive in. Bob Layton commended the Go East publication.
- **Tofield / Ryley Foodbank** – - are low on cash donations
- **Klassco Interiors** – Services include: getting homes ready for sale, help clean up properties that aren’t ready.
- **Sonshine Daycare** – Preschool licensing is in place now, for kids ages 3 and 4. They are getting ready for a busy summer.
- **Golden Club** – Promenade Burger and Hot Dog BBQ was sold out! There is a pancake breakfast on August 5.
- **Liquormart** – Things are going well, summer time sales increase.

3. Spotlights: –

**Chamber Group Plan – Paul Heide**

- The group benefits plan available through your chamber membership is a not for profit value.



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Qualification requirements are broad – can be a business of 1 (no minimum size), no Industry restrictions – Trucking, Farming, etc..., Guaranteed approval – no medical, Guaranteed renewal and rate stability due to sharing the risk with 30,000 other businesses.

- Available coverages include: Short and Long term disability, Life Insurance, Critical Illness, Out of country coverage, basic and extended health and dental benefits.
- For more information, please contact Paul at 780-929-8734

**4. Updates:**

- Looking forward to a fall networking and member spotlight event to celebrate small business week. Discussion about holding it on Oct 19 or 26 at the Legion. Provide a table for each member to showcase their company.
- Upcoming Chamber Executive Election may find us looking for a new Treasurer, Belle is unsure if she is in a position to renew.
- Discussion regarding the increased Rodeo traffic in town on Sunday, businesses might want to consider being open on a Sunday when there is a special event in town.

**5. Meeting adjourned at 1:00pm**

- Thank you to Yvonne for making the space available to us!
- Next Meeting: October 2, 2019 at the Legion