

Minutes of the November meeting.

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November 21, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 10:02 am by **V.P. Don LeBlanc**.

Gordon Mouland led the sing along with had a St. Andrews theme.

A motion to accept the minutes of the October meeting was made by **Gordon Dempsey** and second by **George McCauhey**.

Chip Lawton introduced a new member, **Howard Pearn**. He was presented with his certificate and pin by **VP Don LeBlanc**.

Chip Lawton also presented long service pins to members who were not able to attend October's meeting. They are:

- 10-year pin to **Ron Lister and Dale Stevens**.
- 15-year pin to **Glen Mac Donald**.
- 20-year pin to **Randy Giffin**.

Howard Pearn is off to a flying start by introducing a new member. **Donald Connolly**.

Bill Covert read from the Saint John Book, "**Snippets**".

23 Members stayed for lunch of delicious "Ham and Potatoes".

Robert Taylor report on our finances with \$2,200.00 in the bank.

Chip Lawton (again) won the 50/50 draw.

A note that our December's meeting is one week early for December, the 12th.

Jim Wilson was our guest speaker and gave an outstanding talk on the **Bay of Funday**. We don't realize what a treasure we have at our doorstep.

Jim told about the thousands of fish that inhabit the Bay of Funday and showed slides of the different species of whales.

He described each kind. Birds are Jim's main interest and he talked about the millions of birds who fly over the Bay on their way **South and North**.

Jim was presented a **Probus** coffee mug by **Peter Jolly**.

Next meeting is on December 12th with the **String Quartet** provide the entertainment. A turkey meal is planned.

Acting Sectary, **Brian Mitchell**