

# ALGONQUIN SHRINE CLUB



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## NEWSLETTER

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### **NOTICE: Our New Website**

To access the Website enter: www.AlgonquinShrineClub.ca
For e-mail info enter: info@AlgonquinShrineClub.ca

### **Executive Meeting**

June 11, 2014, 10:00 AM
Wilberforce Legion
General Meeting
June 17, 2014 - Wilberforce Legion
Meet and Greet 6:00 PM - Dinner 6:30 PM
Ladies Welcome at all meetings

NOTE: This is our Annual Barbeque - casual wear (wear fez)

### FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK . . .

### Greetings Nobles:

By the time this message reaches you, we will have attended our Spring Ceremonial and our newest members will have walked the burning sands. We welcome Nobles Wayne Elson and his Lady Marilyn and Vaughn Lloyd and his Lady Cathy.

Thanks to Noble Ron Mark for arranging our guest speaker Tina Jackson from "A Place Called Home" and for presiding as Chairman for the evening.

Our next meeting, on June 17th, will be our usual BBQ. Dress is casual but remember to bring your FEZ. Please confirm with your telephone convenor so that we will have enough steaks for all to enjoy.

Even though there are no meetings in July and August there are several parades scheduled. The first two parades are on July 1st in Bancroft and Apsley. Please check your bulletins for time and place of all parades and please plan to attend as many as you can. We do good work in support of our kids and hospitals and a good showing will enhance our image in the community and promote our club.

Lady Susan and I extend our best wishes for an enjoyable and safe summer and look forward to seeing you again in September,

Noble Barry Robb President.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

June 12 – 15, 2014 Spring Ceremonial Sudbury, ON.

Summer Parades

June 14 Ceremonial Parade Sudbury, ON 1:00 PM start

> July 1st Apsley, ON 4:00 PM

August 6th Haliburton, ON 6:30 PM

August 30th Maynooth, ON

September 6th Kinmount, ON 12:00 NOON

(Dates and Start Times to Be Verified)

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**Sick and Visiting**All Shriners

Hospital
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Lottery Tickets
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Fruit Cakes
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# "FROM THE DESK OF YOUR AMBASSADOR"

**Greetings Nobles** 

III. Sir Terry Fulton and His Lady Helen send their warmest greetings as we head towards our summer break and the Spring Ceremonial.

The Shrine Hospitals have embarked on a new fund raiser and awareness program. Check Out the "Lovetotherescue.org/shop" website for some new and exciting products.

With summer on us and many of us with children and grandchildren visiting, check out these safety tips at "ShrinersHospitalsforChildren.org/safesummer.

There is a new brochure out targeting lawn mower safety and fire safety. This is another way for us to increase our exposure by teaming up with the many local fire services in our areas to promote these safety concerns.

A startling fact: 40 percent of all injury related emergency room visits and 42 percent of all injury deaths happen between May and August, summer is also a time of higher risk of serious childhood injuries. There are too many tips to outline in this newsletter, but all the information is available at the above website.

June 6th is Shriners International Day, Wear your Fez, promote Shrine to as many new people as you can.

Remember Nobles, in many cases of disaster, be it a house fire, flood, ice storm, etc. we may not be able to help financially to the people in need but we could assist with food, clothing and man power. OUR AID IS NOT LIMITED TO OUR POCKET BOOK. We can promote the Hospitals and our Fraternity in many ways.

I will see those who attend at Wilberforce for the steak dinner, to everyone else have a safe summer, travel safe, be safe.

Noble Boyd Donaldson is home and doing well.

Aye Noble Ambassador Sean Cook

### The Chaplain's Corner - Noble Andy Gray

Greetings, Nobles & Ladies;

Finally the Good Lord has looked down on us favourably, & seems to be making up for the awful winter we had by providing us with some beautiful weather. Hope everyone is taking full advantage of it.

I'm sure we are all looking forward to our June steak BBQ; always a good day of food & fellowship. What more could we ask.

Trust everyone will have an enjoyable summer, & if you're travelling please drive safe; we want you back in the fall.

Yours in the Faith. Andy

### SICK AND VISITING

Noble Boyd DONALDSON undergoing tests for heart related problems Noble Peter VERNON suffered a mild stroke (he is home)



#### **Prince Edward**

June 17thMadoc, Marmora, Tweed #48InstallationJune 19thStirling #69InstallationJune 23rdLake #215Installation

#### **Victoria District**

June 13thBrock #354InstallationJune 19thArcadia #440InstallationJune 24thNorth Entrance #463Installation

NOTE: Annual Grand Lodge Communication, July 15th – 17th, Toronto.

