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President's Message



We are pleased to present this second edition of *The Canadian* as part of the promotion of our 3rd Annual Celebrate Canada BBQ Luncheon. This luncheon is the last one this season as everyone begins well deserved vacation time in July and August taking advantage of all of the things our great City, Province, and Country have to offer. We hope that you enjoy the information contained in this publication and reading about the work the Board of Directors has been doing to ensure that the Club continues to grow its membership, sponsor connections and most of all bring high calibre speakers and topics of interest to you at our monthly luncheon meetings. After a successful 2009/2010 season, we are excited about the many interesting speakers scheduled for our upcoming year which starts in September 2010! Thank you for your support this season and for taking the time to read this edition of *The Canadian*. As always, we welcome your feedback. I look forward to seeing you at the Celebrate Canada BBQ Luncheon on June 30th, at the Waterfront Centre.

Joanne Echlin

2009 - 2010

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ATTENTION!

Applications are due July 29, 2010. This is to advise all members that a call for nominations to the Board of Directors will be sent during the month of July along with the protocol and nomination form.

Canadian Club delivers solid line-up of 2010 / 2011 luncheon speakers

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Please attend our Club's AGM which is being held at 11:00a.m., September 29th, 2010, just prior to our first luncheon meeting of the season.

Wednesday, September 29, 2010



Richard Koroscil, President and Chief Executive Officer for the John C Munro Hamilton International Airport (Canada). Richard is also the Chair, Hamilton Chamber of Commerce.

Tuesday, October 20, 2010



Tim Hudak, Leader of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Party, MPP for Niagara West-Glanbrook.

Tuesday, November 9, 2010



Glad Bryce, author of the book *First In Last Out*, RCAF Women's Division & Nursing Sisters of WWII, has been a member of the University Women's Club of Toronto since 1974.

Tuesday, January 18, 2011



Dr. Michelle Gagnon, M.D., BSc, MEd, FRCPC, FACP, Professor, Division of Geriatric Medicine, Department of Medicine, Head of Geriatrics, St. Joseph's Healthcare, Hamilton.

Thursday, February 24, 2011



Antonio Cimolino, General Director of the Stratford Shakespeare Festival in Stratford, Ontario.

Wednesday, March 23, 2011



Dr. David Goldbloom, Senior Medical Advisor, Education and Public Affairs; Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, Professor of Psychiatry, University of Toronto.

April & May 2011

Details for April & May are being finalized by the Program Committee. Please watch for an update in our fall newsletter.

June 2011

4th Annual Celebrate Canada
BBQ Luncheon



Past Speakers



LUNCHEON POLICIES

Avoid the last-minute rush and register for luncheons in advance. A \$5.00 surcharge will be applied to members and guests who have not pre-registered. Consider registering for an upcoming luncheon today. To avoid charges to our Club we ask that if you must cancel your luncheon reservation that you do so 48 hours in advance of the event. We are charged for guests who do not attend so please keep this in mind.

MEETINGS

We hold 9 luncheon meetings each year and anyone may attend. Members are strongly encouraged to bring guests. Our speakers come from all sectors of Canadian society. We welcome suggestions or help from our members in selecting future speakers. All club meetings are normally held at the Waterfront Centre, (555 Bay St. N). Registration at 11:30 a.m. with lunch at 12 noon. Our events conclude at 1:30pm. **Tickets are \$30 for members and \$45 for guests.** Advance reservations are required. Call our Club office at: 905-521-8832 or download a luncheon order form from our website:

<http://www.canadianclubofhamilton.ca>

CLUB SPONSORS

It can't be said "too many times", our sponsors are vital to the club's financial position. Their help allows the club to bring its program to the community. Our thanks and appreciation to all our past and current sponsors. To learn about the benefits and opportunities of being a Canadian Club sponsor, please call Brian Harskamp, 905-521-8832 or email

admin@canadianclubofhamilton.ca

MEMBERSHIP

We now have more than 130 members in our Club! There is strength in numbers – a strong membership is the foundation for our Club to deliver the programme that you expect next year. Please be advised that your 2009-10 membership expires at midnight on June 30, 2010! Please renew your membership on or before that date. ***You may renew your membership at the BBQ on June 30.*** The membership form is available on the web site. You may also obtain a form by contacting the Club Administrator. Your completed membership form can be forwarded with your payment to the Club by mail or fax. Contact information is provided on page 4 of this newsletter.

*Mary-Lynn Fleming, Almut Sweet, and Ralph Rodgers,
Membership Committee*

As part of our celebration of Canada, we wanted to celebrate the history of the Canadian Club of Hamilton, therefore we are publishing the list of Past Presidents.

1893, W.S. Evans	1934, R.T. Kelley	1973, J.F. Reesor
1984, Dr. D. Storms	1935, W.E. Griffin	1974, H.G. Wilson
1895, Lt. Col. C.R. McCullough	1936, Major G.M. Thomson	1975, L.J. Hewitt
1896, S. Livingstone	1937, G.J.A. Reany	1976, Dr. J.I. Frid
1896, J.H. Long	1938, Prof. C.W. New	1977, B.W., Gillespie
1897, 1898, Rev. K. Martin	1939, O. Walsh	1978 A.B. Goddard
1899, F.F. Macpherson	1940, Rev. P.A. Dunn	1979, B.K.J. Bragoli
1900, A.E. Manning	1941, W.J. McCulloch	1980, William A.H. Filer
1901, Lt. Col. R.A. Robertson	1942, H.A. MacLennan	1981, Keith L. McIntyre
1902, J.S. Gordon	1943, not available	1982, Henry M. Hadley
1903, 1904, D.M. Cameron	1944, E.A. Bottrill	1983, Robert L. Hodgson
1905, J.T. Hull	1945, Dr. F.R. Bennetto	1984, Milton Lewis, Q.C.
1906, J.H. Smith	1946, M.J. Overell	1985, Joyce Cahill
1907, W.H. McClemont	1947, not available	1986, Peter J. Earle
1907, H.Hennesey	1948, R. Ingraham	1987, Leslie J. Pasis
1907, C.E. Kelly	1949, J.E. Williams	1988, Marvin Boughton
1907, G.C. Copley	1950, Dr. W.J. Deadman	1989, Roger Cryler
1908 - 1912, not available	1951, Col. G.T. Inch	1990, Jay Pollock
1913, G. Main	1952, Dr. G.P. Gilmour	1991, Richard Leppert
1914, not available	1953, R.H. Bissell	1992, 1993, Joe Smith
1915, N.D. Slater	1954, C.K. MacGillivray	1994, Harrison Arrell
1916, J.P. Bell	1955, A.C. Zimmerman	1995, Roger Trull
1917, W.H. Lovering	1956, Dr. D.D. Campbell	1996, Enzo Galano
1918, B.E. Johnson	1957, R.J. Menary	1997, Joseph Nusca
1919, W.R. Drynan	1958, H.C. Dixon	1998, Don Buntain
1920, G.C. Martin	1959, P.W. Hankinson	1999, Andy Tapajna
1921, Major J. Stephen	1960, W.A. Campbell	2000, Terry Mote
1922, Lt. Col. B.O. Hooper	1961, H.K. Wilby	2001, Geoff Scott
1924, E.V. Illsey	1962, D.A. Robinson	2002, Frank Ciarlo
1923, A.R. Lancefield	1963, Dr. D. MacClement	2003, 2004, Fern Viola
1925, L.W. Pratt	1964, Dr. H.E. Appleyard	2005, Colin Macsavaney
1926, F.E. Perney	1965, G.H. Smith	2006, Karin Vogt
1927, J.A. Webber	1966, Rev. Dr. A.L. Mackay	2007, Len Falco
1928, F.I. Ker	1967, J.G. Sheppard	2008, 2009, Joanne Echlin
1929, G.P. Smith	1968, Dr. G.E. Price	
1930, J.C. Callaghan	1969, A.R. Oliver	
1931, Dr. O.W. Neimeir	1970, Dr. S.M. Hudecki	
1932, F.F. Treleaven	1971, J.A. Macdonald	
1933, E.S. Mills	1972, Dr. A.G. McKay	

**THANK YOU TO OUR
MEMBERS THAT RENEWED
THEIR MEMBERSHIP!**

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW MEMBERS!

Richard Allen, Jim Barr, Randy Bassett, Franco Ciarlo, Mary Goldsberry, Sue Hawthorne-Bate, Len Lifchus, Nancy Martin, Dermot Nolan, Julie and Janet Petranovic, Sean Reid, Ines Rios, Andrew Sloan, Walter Veckie

NEWS FROM THE

THE WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB OF HAMILTON

We have had a very good year at the Women's Canadian Club of Hamilton. Our decision to move to the Scottish Rite has proved to be a good one for the club! The roster of our 2010-2011 speakers has been set. We look forward to the new season enthusiastically. Randy Barbour of the Winston Churchill Society will start our season on September 8th. Irene Turpie, a gerontologist, will speak on October 23rd. An author recommended by Bryan Prince will be with us on November 10th. Gary Smith, the entertainment critic and columnist at the Hamilton Spectator, will speak at our December luncheon on December 8th. We would love to have you use your membership to come to our meetings. All meetings are held at the Scottish Rite. Regular meetings start at 2:00 pm. There is no charge to our members for afternoon meetings. Luncheon meetings begin at 12:00 noon. Tickets must be reserved in advance. Please remember to mention your Canadian Club of Hamilton membership when reserving and to bring your membership card with you. For further information, please contact the Women's Canadian Club of Hamilton at 905-538-6634 to leave a message. You can also e-mail the club at wchamilton@yahoo.ca.

Mary-Lynn Fleming

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Two years ago, we had a sponsor and the Board of Directors of the Canadian Club of Hamilton established our Student Initiatives Program. This program allowed us to invite local high school students to attend our monthly luncheons at no charge. The response to the program from teachers and students was tremendous. We often had more students show an interest in our events than we could accommodate! This year's challenging economic times have presented us with difficulties in finding a sponsor for our Student Initiatives Program. We are turning to you, our members and friends to ask for your support. For \$25 you can sponsor a student to attend a luncheon. To kick off our new student program, the Board of Directors sponsored students to attend a luncheon earlier this year. We hope that you will take up our challenge and sponsor today.

Student testimonials:

The net result is that I have witnessed a perceptible shift and maturation in the twenty or so HDCH students that I have been able to bring to the Canadian Club of Hamilton's events this year. I believe that the Canadian Club of Hamilton does the city's youth a valuable service by including them in these events, and fosters future leadership. I thank you and the corporate sponsors for making this possible. **Harry Meester, Teacher, Hamilton District Christian High School**

"Listening to Bob Rae speak in person was a dream of mine, but actually being able to meet him and shake his hand at the Luncheon was an amazing experience for a student who hopes to become a politician". **David, Grade 12 Student, Cardinal Newman Catholic Secondary School, HWCDSB**

We would like to hear from you.....

Is there something you would like us to announce in our next newsletter? If so, please contact Ruby Sarmiento Amog, Newsletter Editor, at ruby@mountainable.net

We look forward to seeing you at one of our upcoming events! This newsletter is just one way to learn about The Canadian Club of Hamilton. You can also visit our website: www.canadianclubofhamilton.ca or contact us at: 905-521-8832 for up-to-date luncheon information. Thank you for your continued support.

Did You
Know

A Canadian invented Superman.

The baseball glove was invented in Canada in 1883.

The zipper was invented by a Canadian.

The Hudsons Bay Company once owned over 10% of the earth's surface.

The television and the telephone were invented by a Canadian.

The smallest jail in the world is in Rodney, Ontario.

"O Canada" was proclaimed Canada's national anthem on July 1, 1980.

The largest lake in Canada is Great Bear Lake at 31326 kms.