

THAT WAS A GREAT WORK WEEKEND AT CAMP KITCHIKEWANA!

The weather was superb. The meals were beautiful and the camaraderie was absolutely terrific - all of which made the "blitz reconstruction" of a camp staff cabin effective, efficient and very enjoyable.

I am very proud of the fact that our association is becoming more involved in community activities. It is great for our association - it's most helpful for the community and it's also excellent for the soul.

Our work crew consisted of:

Dave and Sandy Templeton	Templeton Windows
Don and Sylvia Bryant	Huron Alarms
Brian, Cindy and Kathryn Blair	Blair Window Fashions
Geoff and Paul Myers	Stone Tree Inc.
Jurgen and Betty Lou Pape	Topline Paint
Dave and Teresa Giffin	J.D. Do it All
Charles, Loes, Thijs and Ken Wenneker	Wenneker Woodworks
Ed and Elda Garraway	Garraway's Electrical Services
Jay Garraway	Garraway's Electrical Services
Austin Matthews	The "big chief" himself
Dennis and Brenda Robitaille	
Doug, Irene and Courtney Parker	The Countertop Specialist
Jason VanDerKooy and Millie	
Dave, Lia and Amy Travis	Midland Home Building Centre
Yvon, Kathy, Alyssa and Josee Gingras	Gingras Construction
Robert	Garraway's Electrical Services
Daryl and Natalie Parisien	Lighten up Electric
Al Sant	Al Sant Developments
Kai and Judy Stuewe	"Proteus" transport materials
Steve Josland	Transport Materials and Labour
Bob Bray	Tim-br Mart (supplier of materials)

Special thanks to the planning group of Dave and Geoff - a job well done!

NEW MEMBERSHIP ACTIVITY

We are always delighted to have membership renewals. Firms renewing their membership recently are:

Gilkon Construction	Antero Kontkanen	526-3364
Lafarge		726-6424
Spray it Blue	Marc Asselin	534-4345
The Sarjeant Co. Ltd.	Bill Fligg/Rob Schryer	728-2460
Remax Georgian Bay Realty	Gray Watters	526-9366
Tim-br Mart	Brian Giles	526-2264
Stone Tree Inc.	Geoff Myers	527-3009

Welcome back, everybody!

MAXIMIZE YOUR MEMBERSHIP

Many members use some of the perks that are available as part of the membership package, i.e.,:

- ★ One page promotional insert in newsletter
- ★ Business card enlarged and plasticized for display
- ★ 15% discount from NEBS on all your printing requirements
- ★ Opportunity for "table top" display of a new product or service
- ★ Table hand-outs
- ★ Bring a guest for \$15 per meal

JOHN WEEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Thanks to your continuing support of our Golf sponsorship program, we are able to again give to the community.

The 2002 MPDBA High School Scholarship recipients are:

MSS:	Chris Horton
LeCaron:	Jeff Gignac
EDHS:	TBA
PSS	Jenna Wayne
St. Theresa's:	Scott Beauchamp

Our congratulations to the above students who have been selected by their teachers for outstanding academic/technical/trades skills.

IT'S YOUR ASSOCIATION

Our Board of Directors tries to put together an annual program of our activities, speakers, tours and special events to answer the needs of our 65 members.

In order to be successful at this we need your input! What would you find of interest in:

- ★ Speakers?
- ★ Plant Tours?
- ★ Special Events?
- ★ Promotional Help?
- ★ ETC?????

Jot down your ideas and fax to 526-7443. All submissions will be considered.

DON'T BOOK YOUR STAFF XMAS PARTY ANYWHERE ELSE!

By popular request, we are planning a Builder's Association "exclusive" Christmas party. This means that we will not be sharing facilities (banquet hall and dance floor) with any other group.

Here are the details so far:

DATE: Friday, December 13th
PLACE: Country Mill - Balm Beach Road
WHAT: Xmas Dinner and Dance

Further details will be made available as soon as arrangements are firmed up, but we do know that it will be very cost effective and we will be able to accommodate upwards of 250 MPDBA members, staff and spouses. Stay tuned!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wed, September 25th: Dinner Meeting as described on front panel
Wed, October 30th: Dinner meeting featuring a presentation on "Hiring and Firing - doing it right" from the law firm of Deacon Taws
Wed, November 27th: Dinner meeting with a panel of financial experts to deal with your concerns regarding budget, borrowing, business plan, etc.
Fri, December 13th: Builders Christmas Party - Country Mill - details to be advised
Mon, December 23rd: Christmas Luncheon - Best Western - details to be advised.



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