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Volume 1

Friday - September 8th

#### **2017 REUNION COMMITTEE**

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& Fire Prevention Chuck Myers, North Waterloo

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Control (Ebor) David Wiebe - Fruitbelt

**Elections and** 

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**Log 'N Beads** Spud Ramsay - Mississauga

Meet & Greet Kim Connors – South Lake Simcoe

Parking Audrey Pascoe - OWASCO

**Registration** Jacquie Bujold – Canal Connection

Sanitation Kristel Knabenschuh - Wellington

Scout Shop David Robak - London

Many thanks to all the committee members for their outstanding work this year.



This year's Committee would like to welcome every one of you to the 66<sup>th</sup> Gilwell Reunion.

We are confident that all our hard work and effort will result in an informative and fun weekend for all!



Did you meet up with this "clown" and his cohort on your way in? Our diligent parking authority hard at work.

Do you have any **stories**, **poems** or **photos** you would like to see in the Log 'N' Beads? Any ideas for pretty much **anything**?

Drop off in person, or send submissions to logandbeads2017@gmail.com

## Attention Candidates for Election

Please ensure you drop in to the Log 'N' Beads office for your interview, before noon Saturday to ensure inclusion prior to elections.

Or, if you prefer, drop off your write-up in person, or send it to our email: **logandbeads2017@gmail.com** 

#### **CLASSIFIEDS**

#### Blue Springs Gillwell Pipe Band - Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Blue Springs Gilwell Pipe Band and Colour Party at Oshawa contingent at 8:00 Friday evening. Band members and those interested in joining the band are welcome, and encouraged to attend!

#### North Waterloo Contingent Needs Your Help

North Waterloo is looking for large tin coffee cans for their butt (smokes) stops. If anyone has any available, please bring them to the North Waterloo contingent. Thank you.

#### **West Scarborough - Earrings and Zipper Pulls**

Gilwellian / Woodbadge Earrings – two, three and four-bead varieties are available. See Ted Severe at West Scarborough Contingent (Pipe Band Drum Major) to purchase these delightful accessories. Also available are zipper pulls in same varieties. Prices range from \$5 to \$20 (USD / CDN at par).

#### Want to get your word out?

To place an ad in our "Classified" section, please drop off your write-up to our office, or email it to logandbeads2017@gmail.com (Subject to spacing availability)

#### **Saturday Activities**

In order for us to publish a complete listing of Saturday afternoon and evening activities we need to hear back from all contingents. Please return the questionnaire that was distributed with this Log 'N' Beads to the Log 'N' Beads office as soon as possible. If you did not receive the questionnaire, please come see us!



Unfortunately there will be no separate **recycling** collection this weekend at BSSR so please take your recycling **home** to deposit it otherwise it is going to end up in the garbage.

### Weather Prediction

Saturday – sunny, high of 20 C. Remember your sun screen and hat!



#### **Scout Shop Hours**

Fri. 7:00pm - 11:00pm Sat. 8:30am - 10:00pm 10:30am - 3:00pm 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Store will be closed during all ceremonies



#### Library



Fri. 7:00pm - 11:00pm

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3:30pm - 5:00pm

If you cannot make it during these hours, contact Wendy from London for special accommodation.

If you want to access an on-line copy of the program, follow the QR code below.

## Use your Smart Phone to access the Reunion Program



#### Or visit

## http://bit.ly/ReunionProgram

Gone



Home

Scarborough South Moe

Moe Ewell

John MacNamara

Joe Simon

**Essex** 

Art Marchand

Please let us know of any events you wish
us to acknowledge
(Awards, Gone Home,
Newbies, Birthdays, etc.)

#### PROGRAM...

#### **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8**

1:00-8:00PM Welcome Table

(Parking, Whiskin, Ebor)

7:00-9:00PM Registration (Ridley)

7:00PM BSSR Camp Tour (Welcome Table)

8:00-11:00PM Friday Evening Activity

(In the Loop)

(Hosted by South Lake Simcoe)
REUNION ON THE CAMPGROUND

#### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9**

7:00AM Rise and Shine, Breakfast 8:30-9:45AM Registration (Ridley) 8:30AM-5:00PM Welcome Table

(Parking, Whiskin, Ebor)

10:00AM OPENING CEREMONIES

GUEST SPEAKER – Robert Prentice Jr

(Whiskin Field)

11:00AM-5:00PM Badgers (Yak Shack)

Note: The road will be closed to all traffic during ceremonies as will the Scout Shop

11:00AM-2:30PM Registration (Ridley)
11:45AM Lunch (Contingents)

12:45-3:00PM CONTINGENT AFTERNOON

**ACTIVITIES (Contingents)** 

12:45-3:00PM MARKETPLACE

(Closed during ceremonies)

I :00PM BSSR Camp Tour

(Welcome Table)

3:00-4:00PM PARADE OF YEARS (Whiskin Field) ELECTION SPEECHES

TEA ON THE LAWN

(Bring Your Own Mug)

Note: The road will be closed to all traffic during ceremonies as will the Scout Shop

4:00-4:30PM Registration (Ridley)

4:00-5:00PM ELECTIONS - Polls Open

(Various locations around the Reunion)

4:00-5:00PM FOOD COMPETITION

(Whiskin Field)

5:30PM Dinner (Contingents)
6:30-7:30PM Registration (Ridley)
7:45PM Gather for Campfire
8:00PM REUNION CAMPFIRE

(Campfire Circle)

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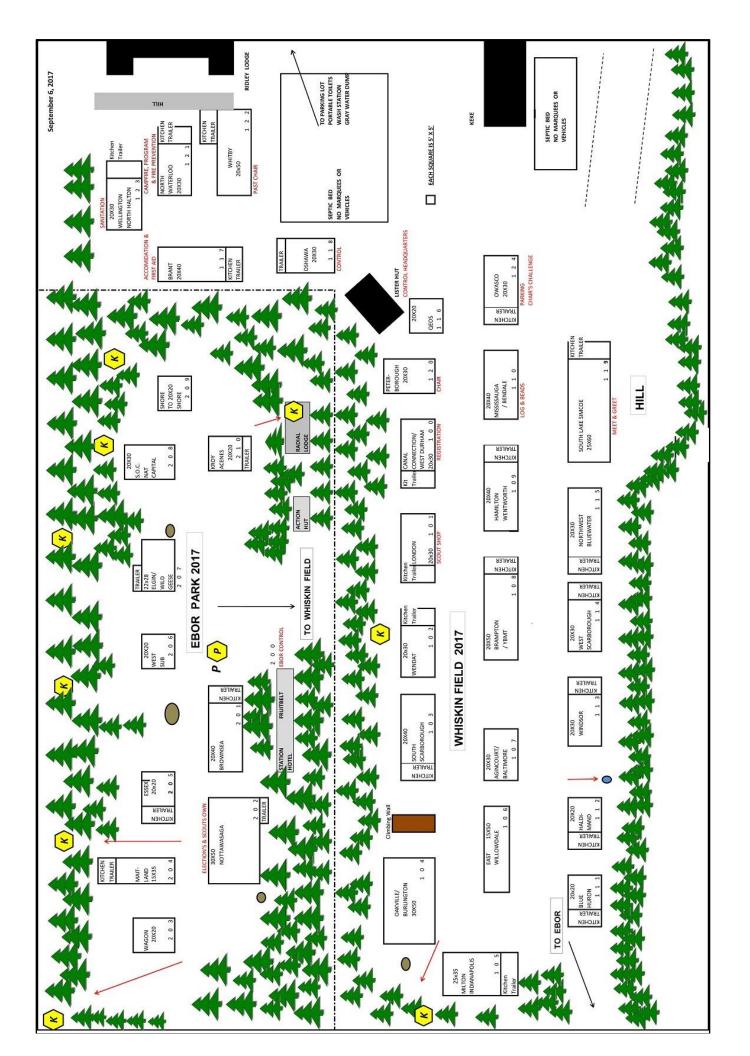
will the Scout Shop

8:45-11:00PM CONTINGENT EVENING

PROGRAM (Contingents)

10:00PM-???? Young Gilwellian Event

Canada 150 Birthday Event (Keke)



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Saturday September 9th



Susan
Gord
Glenn
Tim

## NOMINEES FOR ELECTION



**Susan Forsey** 

Susan's Contingent is incredibly supportive of her decision to run for the Committee, as they have been in the past. She has been off the Committee for one year, but missed it so much, that she felt the need to run again. This is her 30<sup>th</sup> year in Scouting and she has no plans to ever because she stop, enjoys it immensely. She was a Beaver leader for 20 years, so she is used to dealing with immature minds, which rates as invaluable experience. If elected, she will have the full her support of Contingent standing behind her. (Look, there they are!)



**Gord Varey** 

Gord has 30 years in Scouting, as a youth and a leader, as well as having held various positions in different Section, Group, Area District, and National Councils. He is a strong believer in quality training, and that everybody must have fun! Gord is also Guild Master for the 83<sup>rd</sup> BP Guild, Owasco. His family has all been involved in Scouting and Guiding (he gets it from his parents), and Scouting runs in his blood. Owasco loves being on Committee, and believes Gord is their best candidate.



**Glenn Bryers** 

Santa Glenn's Whitby Contingent is happy he is running, because then no one else in the Contingent needs to. He has been really overwhelmed with their support, really! Glenn believes he can be a voice of reason, while also adding a little colour to the Committee. He has close to 45 years in Scouting, and is still going strong. Even dirt doesn't have the same amount of experience Glenn. Glenn believes that he can contribute to the committee the question is: Do YOU believe in Santa?

Santa says, "Vote for Glenn, or there will be consequences."



**Tim Hayes** 

Tim started out as a Cub in Agincourt, and moved up to Scouts. After a short hiatus, he enrolled his son in Scouting, and became a leader. He now has over vears of Scouting 25 experience. As a leader, he was involved in Colony, Pack Troup for and numerous cycles, and continued the work even after becoming а Gillwellian. He got his beads at CJ01, after a very long bus trip, in incredible ceremony PEI. For the first time, he was Camp Chief Mississauga Area Cuboree this summer. He is an avid cyclist, which means he has been to every CEC cycle camp, and he has true drive!

If you like the job this year's committee is doing and want to be part of it next year, or, if you have ideas for future Reunions, get yourself nominated for the **election**, which is being held Saturday afternoon.

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ACTIVITIES (Contingents)

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(Closed during ceremonies)

1:00PM **BSSR Camp Tour** 

(Welcome Table)

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(Bring Your Own Mug)

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(Various locations around the Reunion)

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(Whiskin Field)

5:30PM Dinner (Contingents) 6:30-7:30PM Registration (Ridley) 7:45PM Gather for Campfire 8:00PM **REUNION CAMPFIRE** (Campfire Circle)

Note: The road will be closed to all traffic during ceremonies as will

the Scout Shop

8:45-11:00PM **CONTINGENT EVENING** 

PROGRAM (Contingents)

10:00PM-???? Young Gilwellian Event

Canada 150 Birthday Celebration (Keke)

#### Wanted

Essex would like the return of the Cookie Monster Mascot back to his home with Essex.

#### **Awards**

Bar to Silver Acorn – Robert Boose (Essex)

Bar to Silver Acorn – Doug Watson (Scarborough S)

The Batman and Robin of the 2017 Reunion **Committee – our Registration Ladies** 

Guess who these two are!

#### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10**

7:00AM Rise and Shine, Breakfast

9:30AM FLAG BREAK **SCOUTS OWN** 10:00AM 11:00AM OFFICIAL CLOSING (Whiskin Field)

Food Competition Trophy

Presentation

Chair's Challenge Winner

Presentation

Note: The road will be closed to all traffic during ceremonies.

11:30AM Log 'N' Beads Pick Up

(Contingent Rep Only - Ridley)

**Immediately** after Closing until 2:00PM Lunch and Break Camp

**West Scarborough** Geoff Osborn

Gone

Joan Thompson

Home

**Gerherd Schroeter Kroy Acenes** 

Peterborough Kathy Ivin

If you have any Gone Homes not shown here, let us know so that we can get them in the next issue.



Photo submitted by Dave Wiebe - Fruitbelt

Contingent	Afternoon Activity	Evening Activity
Blue Huron		
East Willowdale	Raffle – Newbie, American, etc.	
Essex	Give Away Raffle Table Branding Iron	Hot Goldfish Soup
Haldimand		
Hamilton		
Kroy Acenes	L.O.G.I.C.	Pirate Murder Mystery
London		
Milton		
Mississauga	Log Sawing	Lumberjack Games
North Waterloo	Be Knotty	Family Feud
Northwest Blue Waters		
Nottawasaga		
Oakville		
Oshawa		
Owasco		
QEOS		
(Quinte East & Odds & Sods)	Hop Scotch - Jenga	Draw for cubs/beavers
Scarborough South	Fire Lighting	
Shore to Shore		
SOCS - NCR	Down on the Farm V2.0	Grilled Cheese-o-Rama
South Lake Simcoe		
Wellington		
Wendat		
Whitby	Photos with Santa 1:00-2:00pm	Christmas Games
Windsor		

If your contingent's activities are not listed above, please get us your afternoon and evening activities and we will include them in the noon issue.

#### **Newbies**

WhitbyMichelle MokedanzKevin MoritzSteven PaulBeth McWhorterRoger CookGlen Healey

Ryan Rozicki Heather Bonsell Matthew Mokedanz

Hillary Hamilton Jones

North

Waterloo Sheldon Leameu

Mississauga John Vogel Sharon Johnston

Charlotte Vogel Raffi Choulijan

**Kroy Acenes** Nadine Gregoris Sheheen Datoo

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#### <u>Drinking Water at Blue Springs Scout Reserve as of September 2015</u>

Water sample(s) collected from the *Blue Springs Scout Reserve* identified the sodium level in the water is greater than the Ontario Drinking Water Quality Standards of 20mg/L. Sodium levels that exceed 20mg/L are reported to the Halton Region Health Department. The average intake of sodium from water is only a small fraction of that consumed in a normal diet. A maximum acceptable concentration for sodium in drinking water has, therefore, not been specified.

#### What these results mean for you:

If you do not have any health problems that could be affected by sodium intake, these results of elevated levels of sodium are not a health concern. You can continue to drink this tap water.

If you have been advised to monitor your sodium intake or are on a sodium-reduced diet due to a chronic illness such as high blood pressure or congestive heart failure, you should discuss drinking this water with your physician. If you consume three or more litres of this water each day, you should discuss these results with your physician.

In closing, this water is safe to drink and the sodium is unlikely to cause health concerns for the majority of people consuming the water. However, if you do have a health concern, please see your physician.

Any health concerns you may have with respect to sodium content in your water (e.g. sodium restricted diet) should be directed to a physician. Please do not drink the water. Use bottled water.

#### **Get Your Souvenir Bookmark**

Collect five (5) different coloured beads from containers scattered around Blue Springs Scout Reserve.

Take the beads to the Fruitbelt Contingent at Station Hotel, Ebor Park, and receive your souvenir bookmark.



Discover Blue Springs Enrich your world.



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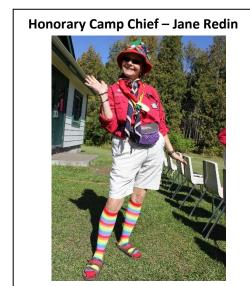
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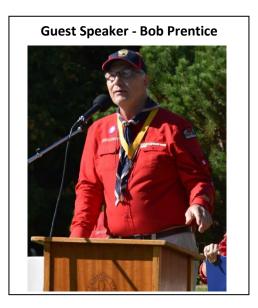
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Gilwell Pipe and Drum Corps parading in for the opening of this weekend's 66th annual Gilwell Reunion









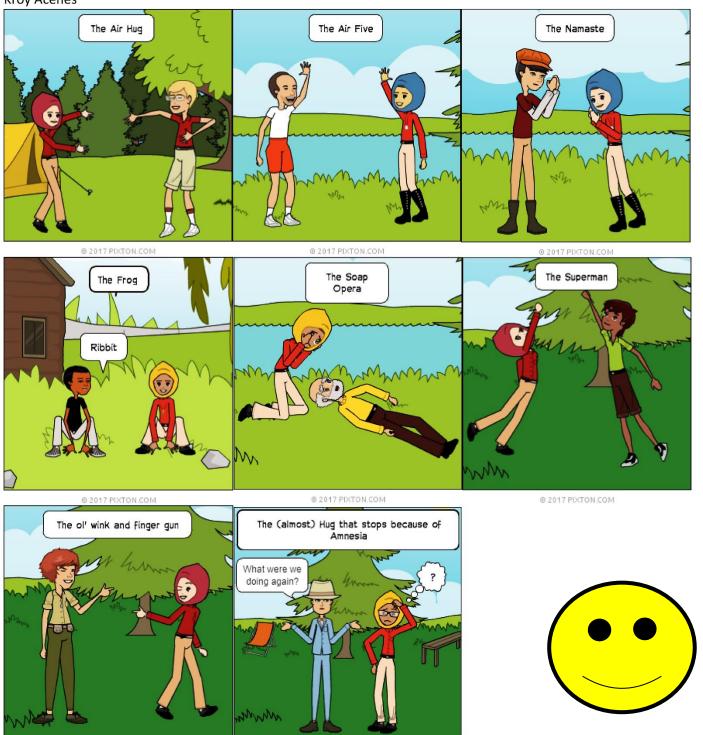
Salam mun alaykum! That's how we greet others in our Muslim faith; it means we are wishing peace on you.

Last year, we had an awesome time as "newbies" and we've been counting the days 'til Gilwell. Seeing the comradery, openness, and inclusiveness was heartwarming and inspiring. It makes us proud to be part of the scouting community.

Please don't be offended if we don't shake your hand or return the hug to a person of the opposite gender. It is a way of preserving modesty and respect of both genders in our religion. Although we can't hug you, we still want to join in the Gilwell spirit! So here are some other Islam-friendly options we put together for you:

See you at Gilwell, Alina, Fatima and Zaynab Kroy Acenes

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#### 2017 - 66th Ontario Gilwell Reunion Opening Song

Tune: I Walk the Line by Johnny Cash

We're here to learn, and we're also here to play;
Both make us stronger, each and every day;
Like all good Scouts we work better as a team;
We must redeem, this Gilwell theme.
A well-played game is a satisfying thing;
We learn new words when a new song we do sing;
To be prepared and in case you haven't guessed:

To be prepared and in case you haven't guessed;

Let's reinvest, to do our best.

#### **Reunion Train**

to the tune of "City of New Orleans" by Steve Goodman Courtesy of *Owasco* 

Riding on the Reunion train to Blue Springs Woodbadge Central on Old B.P.'s Trail Many a Scouter gathers here at Blue Springs We arrive here each September without fail The Game starts here outside Kee Kee

With Opening for all to see,

The Camp Chief tells us all the news

We sing our anthems, raise our Flags

And say a prayer so proud and glad

And the Gilwell band drones well its soulful blues.

"Good Morning Reunion, How are you?"

Can't you see we're gathered here for fun?

We're all aboard the Reunion Train to Blue Springs

Greet many a friend before the weekend's done.

#### **Accessible vs Handicapped**

Did you know that the term "handicapped" is insulting to those that are physically challenged? They don't consider themselves handicapped, and you shouldn't either! Quite often, a bit of accessibility consideration is all that is needed.

Never assume your help is needed - always ask first if you see someone struggling, but please be considerate to those with accessibility requirements, especially in marked areas.

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Northwest Blue Waters Shirley Earle

Oakville Erik Wiklund

**Burlington** Bill Rice

Windsor David McWha

Fruitbelt Ken Mackie

Gerry van den Bogerd

#### **Newbies**

Owasco Tim Hyatt

Nick Colasurdo Krystle Forsyth Teresa Rudd Jeff Bennett

Nottawasaga Mike Galgoczy

John Krauss

North Waterloo Sheldon Leaman

Oakville Jackie (Jie) Chen

Windsor Matt Begin

If your contingent's newbies are not listed above, get us their names and we will include them in the next issue.

#### **Awards**

Owasco Lloyd Sass - Medal of Good Service

Northwest Blue Waters Carol Grozelle – 25 years

**Haldimand** Bonnie Imstead – 30 years

**Windsor** Cliff Gauthier – 50 years

**Wanted**: Deborah from Peterborough is looking for a 1969 Gilwell Mug. If you can help her out, please contact at: deborahderijke@gmail.com

#### **Thumb Drives**



All contingents need to provide a USB thumb drive or SD card if you want an archive copy of the Log 'N' Beads

Contingent	Afternoon Activity	Evening Activity
East Willowdale	Raffle – Newbie, American, etc.	
Elgin	Silk Screening	Airbrush Art
Essex	Give Away Raffle Table Branding Iron	Hot Goldfish Soup
Haldimand	Puzzle Me This	
Kroy Acenes	L.O.G.I.C.	Pirate Murder Mystery
Mississauga	Log Sawing	Lumberjack Games
North Waterloo	Get Knotty with North Waterloo	Family Feud
Nottawasaga	Knots by George	Innukshuks and Hot Chocolate with Ice Burgs by Kevin
Oakville	Ranger Beads & Activity Hand-Outs	Trivia
Owasco	Fire Lighting Techniques	Sock Hop
QEOS (Quinte East & Odds & Sods)	Hop Scotch - Jenga	Draw for cubs/beavers
Scarborough South	Fire Lighting	
SOCS - NCR	Down on the Farm V2.0	Grilled Cheese-o-Rama
Wellington	Knot Crafting	Harry Potter Photo Booth
Whitby	Photos with Santa 1:00-2:00pm	Christmas Games
Windsor	Teddy Bear Raffle	Teddy Snacks
YBMT	Dirty Jobs	Dirty Jobs

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150 Year Old Ensign

Courtesy of Harold Connell



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Merryweather

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Took part in the Living Flag of Victoria

(BC) with 4,999 other people on July 1

· -		Where were they then?	Where are they now?
Gillw	ellian	¥¥¥ 1967 →	¥ 2017 <b>∳</b>
	Dale Snively	43 <sup>rd</sup> A Scout Troop London (Ontario) Started High School Went to Expo '67	On a Service Team with Tri-Shores Council Only missed one Gilwell Reunion since 1975
	Kim Friday	Brownies in Thunder Bay Went to Disneyland First ever ride in a plane and a helicopter	A Beaver Leader with 20 <sup>th</sup> Burlington Group Commissioner with same Went to CJ '17 in Nova Scotia
	Bryan Cowell	Assistant Scout Master with 180 <sup>th</sup> North London (England) Got Married	Registrar for 5 <sup>th</sup> Meadowvale West (Mississauga) Attended CJ '17 and SCOPE 2017
	Barbie McLean	Member of St. Alban's Brownies (Peterborough) Visited the Confederation Train when it came to Peterborough	Leader with 4 <sup>th</sup> Westdale Beavers (Peterborough) Attended the 150 <sup>th</sup> themed Beaveree in Peterborough
	John Edwards	St. Georges Scout Group in Chateauguay (Quebec) Member of the Corps at Expo '67	Mayor of Blue Springs Participant at 4 <sup>th</sup> Annual CEC Cycle Camp
	Bent Andersen	With the Cimberne Scout Group (Aalborg, Denmark) Went to the Danish Jamboree	Member of 17 <sup>th</sup> Guelph Beavers Went to Denmark to visit a Danish Scout Camp with all 5 corps! Attended an adult Viking camp
	Rev. John Rogers	Scout with 214 <sup>th</sup> Clinton Township (Michigan) Was drafted into US Army	With Pack 391 in Macombe, Michigan Went to the US National Jamboree in Mount Hope, West Virginia
	Mark Merryweather	Scout with 27 <sup>th</sup> Niagara Troop Started grade 9	On Blue Spring Camp Committee as Graphic Artist Took part in the Living Flag of Victoria

Went to Expo '67 (six times!)

Contingent	Evening Activity
Elgin	Airbrush Art
Essex	Hot Goldfish Soup
Hamilton	Glow in the Dark Dance Party
Kroy Acenes	Pirate Murder Mystery
Mississauga	Lumberjack Games
North Waterloo	Family Feud
Nottawasaga	Innukshuks and Hot Chocolate with Ice Burgs by Kevin
Oakville	Trivia
Owasco	Sock Hop
QEOS (Quinte East & Odds & Sods)	Draw for cubs/beavers
SOCS - NCR	Grilled Cheese-o-Rama
Wellington	Harry Potter Photo Booth
Wendat	Brazil Carnivale Party with Karaoke
West Durham	Sumo Wrestling
Whitby	Christmas Games
Windsor	Teddy Snacks
YBMT	Dirty Jobs

#### **Election Results**

As there were only four candidates for the four positions, the Committee positions were filled by acclimation.

Tim Hayes from Mississauga continues to stump, after all four candidates having been accepted already.

#### What's wrong with this picture?

Repairs were required after the rumoured removal of a pair of "shorts" from our flag pole.





#### Soap Box Derby – Won by a landslide

Whitby was the clear winner in our Soap Box Derby today. Congratulations on your hard work!



#### Gone ( ) Home

Hamilton Clyde Shaw Colin Barty

Bohdan Mykolyn

Willow Valley Wilf Ferda

John MacNamara and Joe Simon, previously reported as Gone Home under Scarborough South, were also long-time members of Willow Valley

#### **Newbies**

Hamilton Allison Rielly Bill Szigeti

Michael Henderson

Oshawa Charity Dorsett Melissa Hogan

Sandra McKinnon

Wendat Diana MacDonald

West Durham David Charlesworth

Owasco Cat Beleskey

#### Awards

**Hamilton** Joan Barty – Order of Niagara

Owasco Rob Vaillancourt - District Award of Merit

Wendat Suzanne Hussey – Bar to the Medal Merit

> Judi Chartrand – Silver Acorn Richard Billing - Silver Acorn Lucy Bray – Silver Acorn

Phillip Landry - Medal of Merit

Colin Hampton – Bar to the Medial of Merit

**SOCS** Peter Dederer - Medal for Fortitude and

Bar to the Medal of Merit

Jim Adams – Medal of Merit

#### 2016-2017 UPDATES TO MEMORIAL LANE PLAQUES In memory of Gilwellians gone home

#### **WILLOW VALLEY**

John MacNamara Wilf Ferda Joseph Lewis Simon

#### **NORTH HALTON**

Walter Peters **Mary Peters** Jean Layman

#### NORTHWEST BLUEWATER

Shirley Earle

99th BP GUILD

Colin Barty Seor - Golden Retriever

#### **SOUTH LAKE SIMCOE**

Douglas Cahill Joan Fuller

Phillip Hart

#### **BYGTWO**

Ron Dunning Cameron Sauder Ted Locke **Graham Jarvis** 

#### **NORTHERN ONTARIO COUNCIL**

Candy Stott Sandra Barnes

Lionel Mongrain

#### 1<sup>st</sup> GILWELL TROOP BRAMPTON PATROL

Charlene Billeter

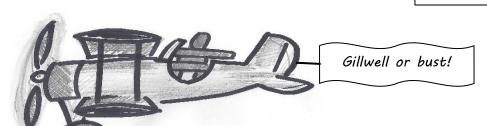
#### **MILTON - INDIANAPOLIS - FIRELANDS**

Jim Carmichael **Bob Edwards** Thomas Hazlett Don McClelland Terry Ward Jim Strain

Jerry Korn Pam Laframboise John Goulding Terry Ryan

Ann Buttrey **Rick Collins** 

Warren Jackman, Blue Springs Camp Committee wjackman@xplornet.com



#### **Long Distance Award:**

Debbie Lyng, with West Durham is here from Iqaluit, Nunavut! Welcome to the "South", Debbie!

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#### **Parade of Years**

The embodiment of the decades of experience of the participants at Gilwell.











#### **Sample of Afternoon Activities**

Did *you* partake of some donuts?

Did you create your own fire starter?

How about some fun playing Jenga?

Gilwell Reunion, September 8th-10th, 2017

# THE L@G 'N' BEADS

Registration Number 818

Volume 5

Sunday - September 10<sup>th</sup>

Due to unforeseen demand for extra newsletters, we have run out of sufficient toner to continue printing in colour, in case you thought you had suddenly gone colour blind.



Find out the winner of the cook-off competition in the final edition of Log 'N' Beads!



Come for Flag Break at 9:30, travel to Scout's Own at the Chapel at 10:00! Closing will follow.



Someone took the words "wait here 'till I get back" a little too seriously!



#### **Saturday Evening Events**

Thanks to those Contingents that participated with an evening event. Here are a couple we captured:



Cooking up some Kettle Corn



Log Sawing – the most strenuous activity!

#### **Thumb Drives – Final Notice**



All contingents need to provide a USB thumb drive or SD card if you want an archive copy of the Log 'N' Beads.

Remember to come pick them up by 1 pm on Sunday.

#### Do Something Nice

Here's a thought for today and a little advice: To brighten your day, try to do something nice.



Do something nice for a friend down the street. Do something nice for that stranger you meet. Do something nice for a pal good and true.

Do something nice for your family, too,

And never forget, as you travel life's way, Always do something nice for yourself every day.



Thomas Henry Wheatley, Poet Laureate, Blue Springs, Canada Courtesy: Scarborough South Contingent My new e-mail: TomThePoet@gmail.com

(I could have called this, "Do a Good Turn Daily," but I didn't want to be a copycat.)

#### **Awards**

**London** Michelle Martin – Bar to the Silver Acorn

Velma Hackeson – 65 years as a Scouter

Roy Hind – Bar to the Silver Acorn

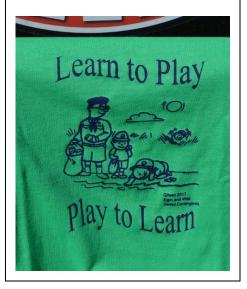
Angie Albert – Bar to the Medal of Good Service
Jeff Albert – Bar to the Medal of Good Service



**London** Nancy Shepherd Audrey Barber

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Nostalgia corner with Jane Redin Can you spot the similarities? 1994 2017





#### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10**

7:00AM Rise and Shine, Breakfast

9:30AM FLAG BREAK
10:00AM SCOUTS OWN
11:00AM OFFICIAL CLOSING
(Whiskin Field)

Food Competition Trophy Presentation Chair's Challenge Winner Presentation

Note: The road will be closed to all traffic during ceremonies.

11:30AM Log 'N' Beads Pick Up

(Contingent Rep Only - Ridley)

Immediately after

Closing until 2:00PM Lunch and Break Camp



Log 'N' Beads team at midnight on Saturday!





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#### 2017 - 66th Ontario Gilwell Reunion Closing Song

Tune: The Pennsylvania Polka

Pack up equipment, the camping is done;

It's the Reunion polka,

Learning and playing, we had so much fun;

It's the Reunion polka.

Safe be, your journey, when heading for home,

And in a year, we'll see ya;

Thanks from all committee members, Now sing this polka 'til next September!

#### **Gone Home**

**Brant** Rev. Carl Diegel Barry Hunter

#### **Newbies**

**Brant** Nancy Nedenauer Rob Johnston Christopher Hewitt

#### Scouts' Own Opening Hymn

It's tones so sweetly are calling,

O, come to the church in the vale.

There's a church in the valley by the Wildwood.
No lovelier place in the dale,
No spot is so dear to my childhood,
As the Little Brown Church in the vale.
O, come, come, come,
Come to the Church in the Wildwood,
O, come to the Church in the dale.
No spot is so dear to my childhood,
As the Little Brown Church in the vale.
How sweet on a bright Sabbath morning,
To listen to the clear ringing bell;





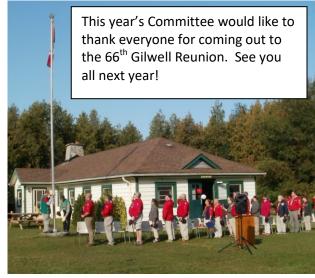




Monies collected from Scouts Own are going towards the repair of the Chapel Roof. We raised an amazing \$957!

## A Wood Badge Prayer (From Sunday's Scouts Own)

Father, creator of Heaven and Earth,
As a new day dawns on our endeavour, we ask you to
open our hearts and minds to the knowledge and values
being presented to us. Make us aware of the talents of
others and the strengths that lie in our differences.
Provide for us the wisdom to work our tickets well, for
the benefit of others and ourselves. Help us to build
teams to ensure the future and vitality of Scouting.
Bring us back to Gilwell, making it genuine in our hearts
and minds, in order to revitalize us for the tasks ahead.
And above all, keep all Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Venturers
and Rovers eager for the challenges that have been
presented. Amen.





Congratulations to **Northwest Bluewater** for winning the Cook-Off Competition



