

London Deaf News



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LCD President's Message:

- 1) Wow, where did the time go? It is already 2011! I hope you all have good Christmas and New Year.
- 2) Our LCD 50th Anniversary event, we did have full 250 people attended. It was the most memorial night for LCD! On behalf of LCD, we wanted to thank you to all (members, former members and non-members) who witnessed and celebrated LCD 50th Anniversary.
- 3) FYI - I know you all cannot wait to get the LCD 50th Anniversary DVD to come out. We, the committee, took a break in December. So the month of January was a busy month for all of us. Just recently, we agreed that whoever bought the DVD will get 2 DVDs in one cover (a film of this event and film of pictures and LCD history). Our committee saw the DVD and it was so outstanding! We, the committee did not expect it to be outstanding! I do guarantee to all of you that you all will be pleased with this DVD. Hopefully we will be able to mail it out to you in first to second week of February.
- 4) Most of us know what had happened to Lorne Mote, who passed away on October 11, 2010. We, the Deaf Communities in London area, want to thank to his wife Betty and his lovely big family for what he did in his spare time to help out with LCD/LADHHC/WOCD with his warm big heart! We will never forget that! Of course, I am sure that Lorne wants us to move on and keep Deaf Communities and LCD alive for as long as we can. We did make it to 50 years and we have more years to come.
- 5) We finally have two members that are interested to become LCD Vice President and LCD Director at Large. We will have to invite those two members to our next Board meeting on February 8th. We will announce it in our website afterward, so keep eye on website for the announcement.
- 6) Don't forget to come to our LCD General Meeting on September 24, 2011 at the Victory Royal Canadian Legion. The doors will be open at 1:00 pm and the meeting will start at 2:00 pm sharp. LCD General Meeting Package will be sending out in the mail this Fall.

We will have our annual Euchre and Golf Card Tournament after the LCD General Meeting.

- 7) It is saddened to hear our good standing member; Dorothy Lines has passed away on November 25, 2010 (81 years old). Also, former LADHH Board in 1972; Corresponding Secretary, Etta Dans passed away on December 3, 2010 (84 years old). She was mother of Ken and Ron Dans and grandmother of Tim, Jennifer, Matthew and Heather Dans. God bless them both.
- 8) Just want to remind you that Robarts School will be hosting "Deaf Children's Festival" (DCF) on May 25 and 26, 2011. If you know any Deaf or Hard of Hearing children, please let them know and have them to come and celebrate with us.

There will be a fundraising event "Minute to Win It" on February 26, 2011. Please check the website for more details. Susan Crockford at her email address: redhairbaby@hotmail.com

- 9) We have our 2011 Events schedule plan ready. You will see it in this newsletter and on our website. There are several good big events coming up in April, May and July.

LCD President and a proud member - Dana McCarthy

2011 LCD Golf League News



Hello Golfers and members,

LCDGL Committee has not held our first meeting and it will be done in February. We know for sure that we have agreed to golf at same place at Westminster Trail Golf Course all year. This will be the first time we will do this and see how it will go. The dates for the game will be announced soon after we have our first meeting this month.

This is going to be a busy year because we will be hosting two big events:

We will be hosting ODSA Dart Tournament for two days on April 8 and 9, 2011 all day (from 8 am to midnight)

We will be hosting 10th Canadian Deaf Golf Championship for four days on July 18 to 21, 2011.

We are counting on you to be our guest, helpers/volunteers for those two exciting events.

Are you looking forward to play golf real soon? Have you warmed up yet? Better get going ASAP! When our 2011 schedule is complete, we will email to you and also will be posted in our LCD website. Join with us and have fun playing golf! Let your friends know and they are most welcome to join with us.

Also, there will be a new point prizes system this year. We will discuss about this in our first meeting this month.

LCDGL Participation Rules

A) The LCDGL membership fee is \$25.00

PLEASE PAY IN FULL BEFORE YOU START GOLFING IN APRIL 2011 -
NO LAYAWAY PLAN !!

- B) To join our league, of course golfer are required to be a member of London Centre of the Deaf (\$20.00 for adult and \$15.00 for Senior Citizen)
- C) If golfer wants to come and play golf one or two times with us, they are welcome to come and do not have to be member of LCD/LCDGL

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LCDGL Participation Rules

- D) The membership that includes - one of four choices of accommodation stays which are:
- 1) With a group - 50% discount choice at Ontario Deaf Golf Association (ODGA) Tournament,
 - 2) Or with a group - 50% discount choice at Canadian Deaf Golf Association (CDGA) Championship,
 - 3) Or World Deaf Golf Federation (WDGF) Championship (limit \$100.00 per golfer)
 - 4) Or Ontario Deaf Sport Association (ODSA) - only one team per room for Dart Tournament - it is part of our three years (2010 - 2012) agreement with Dart players to show up ODSA Dart Tournaments from 2010-2012 so we can host the ODSA Dart Tournament in 2011. (It is ODSA Dart Tournament's rules). That mean the rule #4 will be removed at the end of 2012.
- Notice: New member will not be eligible to get one of four choices of accommodation stay until you are a member for two straight years and then you are eligible with us on the 2nd year.**
- E) ODGA Tournament Participate Fee is back - will draw two winners in August and rules are:
- 1) Must be a member of LCDGL/LCD
 - 2) New members are not eligible to win this draw until you have golf or be a member for two straight years and then you can be eligible on the second year.
 - 3) You have to show up 3 out of 5 golf game dates before September in order to qualify to win the draw.
 - 4) If a winner wins in 2010, will not be eligible for the draw in 2011 and will be eligible for draw in 2012.
- F) ODGA will host ODGA 3rd Annual Deaf Partner/Team Best Ball Tournament - TBA.
- G) ODGA 49th Annual Golf Tournament will be held in somewhere near Windsor on September 17th and 18th, 2011.
- H) The final game of LCDGL will be on Saturday in October - TBA. There will be prizes for low score, low putt, and most points will be given out after the golf game. LCDGL will pay all golf members their golf course fees and \$15.00 meal. If anyone is interested in host poker game at your own home, please contact the LCDGL Committee.
- I) We will provide 50/50 draw after each golf game. This will help us with our fund.

Thank you for your attention,

LCD Golf League Committee

(Dana McCarthy, Roger Beernink, Carl Tilford and Marilyn Beernink)





Deaf Children's Festival



Robarts School for the Deaf will be hosting DEAF CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL (DCF) on May 25 and 26, 2011.

Deaf Children Festival started in 1994 at EC Drury, Milton. It is for Deaf kids to appreciate their culture and language as well as socialize with other Deaf students across the province. All three provincial schools take turn to host the DCF (EC Drury, Robarts and SJW)

Robarts has hosted the DCF in the past in 1996, 2002 and this year, 2011.

If you know any Deaf or Hard of Hearing children, please let them know and have them to come and celebrate with us.

We will be having some fundraising events and we would like you to come and support us.

FEBRUARY 26th - "Minute to Win It" - fun and popular TV show game. It will be held at Robarts School from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm. Please see flyer for more information. You may contact Susan Crockford for any questions and/or information. You can contact her through email at: redhairbaby@hotmail.com

MAY 7th - Yard Sale at Royal View Church. It will run from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. If you have any stuff you want to donate, please feel free to donate. All kind of stuff is welcome. Please contact Susan Crockford at redhairbaby@hotmail.com.



2011 LCD Social/Sport Events and other events

January 5th: LCD Senior Citizen Socials begins (every Wednesdays) - Euchre and Golf Card at the Victory Royal Canadian Legion at 1:00 pm. Host by LCD Senior Citizen - contact Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com)

February 18 to 26: 17th Winter Deaflympics in Vysoke Tatry, Slovakia (www.deaflympics2011.com/en/news)

**February 26th: LCD support the DCF fundraising event - "Minute to Win It" at Robarts School for the Deaf from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm. Contact: Susan Crockford email: redhairbaby@hotmail.com
See flyer for more details**

March 5th: 25th ODSA 25th Ball Hockey Tournament at EC Drury in Milton.

March 26th: LCD 13th Invitational Euchre and Golf Card Tournament at the Victory Royal Canadian Legion at 6:00 pm. Contact William Wilks - email: wlucky@sympatico.ca, fax 519-539-9381, TTY 519-538-3646 and Margaret Earle email: dearle@execulink.com

April 8th & 9th: ODSA 24th Dart Tournament at Victory Royal Canadian Legion in London - host by LCD Golf League. Both days from 8:00 am to midnight. Contact - Dana McCarthy email: dhmccarthy@sympatico.ca

April 17th to 23rd: 32nd Canadian Deaf Curling Championship in Trois-Rivières, QC

May 7th: OBAD 72nd - 5 Pin Bowling Tournaments in Kitchener, ON

**May 7th: LCD supports the DCF fundraising event - Yard Sale at the Royal View Church from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Contact: Susan Crockford email: redhairbaby@hotmail.com
All kind of stuff is welcome to donate.**

May 21st: LCD 1st Annual Partner Euchre and Golf Card Tournament at the Victory Royal Canadian Legion at 5:30 pm. Contact William Wilks email: wlucky@sympatico.ca, fax 519-539-9381, TTY 519-538-3646 and Margaret Earle email: dearle@execulink.com

May 25 & 26: Robarts School for the Deaf is hosting Deaf Children's Festival (DCF) at Robarts School.

June 8th: Last day for the LCD Senior Citizen Wednesday Social - Euchre and Golf Card. Will reopen again on September 7th, 2011. Contact person - Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com)

June 10 to 17th: 13th World Deaf Cycling Championships in Mont-Tremblant, QC

June 18th: LCD 10th Annual Picnic - host by LCD Senior Citizen. Contact person(s): Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com), June Mallach (jmallach@rogers.com) and Margaret Earle (dearle@execulink.com)

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2011 LCD Social/Sport Events and other events

July 18th to 21st: 10th Canadian Deaf Golf Championship at Westminster Trail Golf Course in London. Host by LCD Golf League. Contact Marilyn Beernink email: mbeernink@sympatico.ca; Roger Beernink email: rbeernink@sympatico.ca; and Carl Tilford email: c.tilford@sympatico.ca

September 7th: LCD Senior Citizen Socials begins (every Wednesdays) - Euchre and Golf Card at the Victory Royal Canadian Legion at 1:00 pm. Host by LCD Senior Citizen - contact Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com)

September 17th and 18th: ODGA 49th Annual Golf Tournament near Windsor, ON

September 24th: LCD General Meeting - at the Victory Royal Canadian Legion. Door will be open at 1:00 pm. We will host 14th Invitational Euchre and Golf Card Tournament at 6:00 pm. Contact William Wilks email: wlucky@sympatico.ca, fax 519-539-9381, TTY 519-538-3646; and Margaret Earle email: dearle@execulink.com

November 5th: LCD 2nd Annual Euchre Partner and Golf Card Tournament at the Victory Royal Canadian - time will be announced later. Contact William Wilks email: wlucky@sympatico.ca, fax 519-539-9381, TTY 519-538-3646; and Margaret Earle email: dearle@execulink.com

November 12th to 20th: 16th Pan-American Games for the Deaf in Guadalajara, Mexico.
(http://www.guadalajara2011.org.mx/eng/01_inicio/index.asp)

December 7th: Last day for the LCD Senior Citizen Wednesday Social - Euchre and Golf Card. Will reopen again on January 4th, 2012. Contact person - Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com)



* News Bulletin *



LCD Board is happy to announce that they have accepted two new Board Position: Vice President - David Townsend and Director at Large - Shawn Coleman. Congratulation to David and Shawn!

LCD 50th Anniversary DVD is almost completed as we just finished editing it. Those who ordered at the LCD 50th Anniversary will be receiving 2 DVDs (1 DVD for presentation and other DVD is for photos, Ice Sculptor pictures and LCD History). Those two DVD can be shown either on computer or TV. We are now in copying stage and it should be ready to go by this Friday or next week on Monday. We will be mailing it out shortly after. We can give out next Wednesday at LCD Senior Citizen Wednesday Social. For your information, those who wish to buy it now - you can buy it for \$ 20.00.

LCD Senior Citizen had their election; Erwin Sinn is now LCD Senior Citizen Chairperson/ President, Margaret Earle and June Mallach remained in their position. Congratulation to Erwin and we want to thank to Jean Collins for her hard work running the Senior Citizen for many years.

From the Editor...

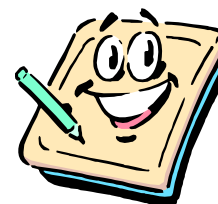
Hi!

There will be newsletter publish three times a year starting in February. This newsletter covers for the month of February, March and April and May. Then next newsletter covers from June, July, August and September. Third newsletter covers October, November, December and January.

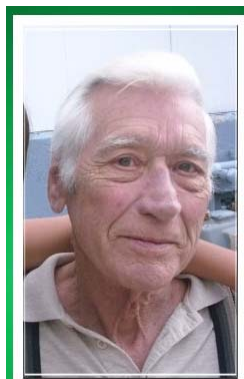
Any comments or complaints, please feel free to email to lcd64@sympatico.ca.

Next deadline for next newsletter (June, July, August and September) is April 15th.

Happy Reading!
Darcey Tilford



Announcements



Lorne Mote

Beulah (Betty) Mote and the entire family would like to thank all of you who came to the Celebration of Life for our Husband/Father/Grandfather/Great-Grandfather and Uncle - Lorne Mote.

Your presence, thoughts and kind words were truly appreciated. We will miss him. A special thank to all of the ladies, who worked hard to provide the lovely lunch. You know who you are, and thank you so much.

Also thank you to LCD and S.C. for the lovely flowers.



Our Sympathies:

Lorne Mote (78) - passed away on October 11, 2010.

Dorothy Lines (81) - passed away on November 25, 2010

Etta Dans (84) - passed away on December 3, 2010.

50th Wedding Anniversary

Congratulation!
Over 100 people Deaf & Hearing Families attended to celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary!

It was a nice party for them. They went to Panama Canal Cruise, Holland America Line (ms Zuiderdam)!



Jim & Monica Barron

LCD BOARD MEMBERS

President - Dana McCarthy
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Fax: (519) 473-0986

Vice President - David Townsend

Secretary - Sandra Adams
E-mail: lcdsecretary@yahoo.ca

Treasurer - Roger Beernink
E-mail: rbeernink@sympatico.ca

Director at Large - Shawn Coleman



Yearly Membership Information

Single (per person)..... \$ 20.00

Senior Citizen (per person).....\$15.00
(55 years and older)

If you wish to become a member, please send a cheque payable to:

London Centre of the Deaf

Mail it to:

Jane Beer - LCD Membership Coordinator
4 Stirling Crescent
St. Thomas, Ontario N5P 3R3



February 2011

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Schedule of Events

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 2 - GROUNDHOG DAY February 3: CHINESE NEW YEAR - Year of the Rabbit. February 14: VALENTINE'S DAY February 15: NATIONAL FLAG OF CANADA DAY http://www.pch.gc.ca/special/jdn-nfd/index-eng.cfm February 18 to 26: 17th Winter Deaflympics in Vysoké Tatry, Slovakia. http://www.2011deaflympics.org/en/news 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 21: FAMILY DAY February 26: Roberts School - DCF is hosting "Minute to Win It" at Roberts School from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm. See flyer Every Wednesdays: LCD Senior Citizens Afternoon Social at Victory Royal Canadian Legion starts at 1:00 pm Contact person Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com)
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • March 5: 25th ODSA Ball Hockey Tournament at EC Drury in Milton, ON • March 13: Daylight Saving Time begins - set your clock one hour forward on March 12th at bedtime. • March 17: ST. PATRICK'S DAY • March 26: LCD 13th Invitational Euchre and Golf Card Individual Tournament at Victory Royal Canadian Legion. Door open at 5:30 pm and game will start at 7:00 pm sharp. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Every Wednesdays: LCD Senior Citizens Afternoon Social at Victory Royal Canadian Legion starts at 1:00 pm. Contact person Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com) |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • April 1: APRIL FOOL'S DAY • April 8 and 9: LCDGL is hosting 24th ODSA Men and Women Dart Championship here in London at Victory Royal Canadian Legion from 8 am to midnight on both dates.
Contact person: Dana McCarthy (dhmccarthy@sympatico.ca) • April 22: GOOD FRIDAY • April 24: EASTER • April 25: EASTER MONDAY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Every Wednesdays: LCD Senior Citizens Afternoon Social at Victory Royal Canadian Legion starts at 1:00 pm. Contact person Jean Collins (cocobutter@rogers.com) |
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May 2011



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