



# The Beacon



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### President's Message

"The world is full of colour, 'Tis Autumn once again."

The days are getting shorter, and the nights longer. Soon we'll be changing our clocks back, changing our smoke detector batteries and getting our 'flu shots. All routine stuff!

However, your life can be enriched by partaking in the varied interest groups and social activities that Probus offers. Like every Probus Club it takes people who care and want to get just a little more from their retirement years and working together to make things happen.

Robert Browning wrote "Grow old along with me, The best is yet to be." I wonder if he had our Club in mind?

In closing, I'm sorry to say that we have had a complaint. It is quite distracting to other members when we continue to talk during our meetings. To the minority who do, please be considerate and save your conversation for our social time. Thank you.

*Celia Miles*



#### *Remembrance Day*

Celia Miles and Don Whalen will be laying a wreath at the Cenotaph on November 11<sup>th</sup> on behalf of the Probus Club of Brighton in remembrance of those who died.

## **SOCIAL DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR:**

### **NOVEMBER 13, 2007**

'GLANMORE HOUSE' Lunch and Tour  
Admission to Glanmore House: \$5.00.  
Payment will be required by October 24<sup>th</sup>.  
Lunch will be at Capers, 272 Front Street, Belleville, at noon. **If you plan on attending the lunch please let us know as numbers have to be confirmed with Capers.**  
The Tour itself starts at 2:00 p.m.

Contact: Gail Stanish 613 475-4657

### **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2007**



#### **The Christmas Dinner/Dance**

##### **At The Keeler Centre, Colborne**

This event is being subsidized by the Club.  
Cocktails: 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.  
Buffet dinner to follow.

The cost to members will be \$17.00  
The cost to guests will be \$34.00.  
The musicians will be Crumb Bun & Seagull who will play from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

The Sign-Up sheet will be at the Events Table.  
Payment will be accepted at sign-up or by the deadline date of November 28th

Contact: Sylvia Gerber: 613-475-1266

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE**

#### **DINNER AT THE APPLE CRATE**



Meet and Mingle and Appetizers at 6:00 p.m.  
Sit down Dinner at 7:00 p.m. 3 course meal.  
Cost: \$30.00 per person

We have quite a few people interested, so sign your name on the Sign-Up sheet if you'd like to be part of the party!.

Contact: Margaret Foreman- 613-475-2271

### **LAST WEEK JANUARY or FIRST WEEK OF FEBRUARY 2008**

#### **"Dirty Dancing" at the Royal Alexandra Theatre in Toronto**

The approximate cost will be \$100 per person for both theatre and bus tickets.

**Interest Only Sign-Up Sheet is available**

### **INTEREST GROUPS**

#### **Bid Euchre (New members welcome)**

Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays 1:00 p.m.  
Anglican Church Hall

*Karen Faulkner 613 475-0211*

#### **Chapter One Book Club**

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month 10:00 a.m.

*Kate Cattell 613 475-1613*

#### **Chapter Two Book Club**

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month 10:00 a.m.

*Rosemary Kennedy 613 475-1741*

#### **Scrabble Club**

The first meeting of this season will be on the first Thursday of November - Nov 1st at the home of Celia Miles at 2:00 p.m.  
Regular meetings will be held on every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. at different homes.

*Celia Miles 613-475-1524*

### **UPCOMING SPEAKERS**

Today, October 24

**Protecting Your Investments -**  
Spokesperson from the  
Ontario Securities Commission

## UPCOMING SPEAKERS

continued

Wed. November 14

### The 'New' Recycling Program in Northumberland

Speaker: Heather Nemic

Wed. November 28

### Fire Safety for Seniors

The Brighton Fire Department

### Program for Wed. December 12.....



E.N.S.S Jazz Group  
**RAZZ-MA-JAZZ**  
Will be performing for us

## COMMUNITY INFORMATION

There will be a **ROAST BEEF DINNER** at the Codrington Community Centre

On: Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Cost: \$12.50 Adults and \$8.00 for ages 8 to 12 years of age

For Tickets call 613 475-4005

Or Speak to Cy or Jean Peister

### The Trenton Memorial Hospital

#### Auxiliary

is holding its "Holly Bazaar" at the Hospital on Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup> from

2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

There will be Refreshments and many Craft Tables



## MEMBERSHIP

As of October 10, 2007, our Club has 150 Members.

Our newest member being:

**Yvonne Cooper**

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**Welcome Yvonne!**

Remember to get your  
Flu Shots!

# November 2007

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
				<b>1</b> Scrabble Club 2pm @ Celia Miles'home Chapter Two Book Club 10am	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Bid Euchre 1pm Anglican Church Hall	<b>6</b> Chapter One Book Club 10 am	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b> Remembrance Day	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> GLANMORE HOUSE & LUNCH Lunch – Noon Tour – 2 pm	<b>14</b> Probus General Meeting 10am	<b>15</b> Scrabble Club 2 pm Call Celia for venu	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Bid Euchre 1pm Anglican Church Hall	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Management Mtg Municipal Building 9.30 am	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Probus General Meeting 10 am	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	