



# The Beacon



## Newsletter of the Brighton Probus Club Volume 3, Issue 12 – November 22, 2006

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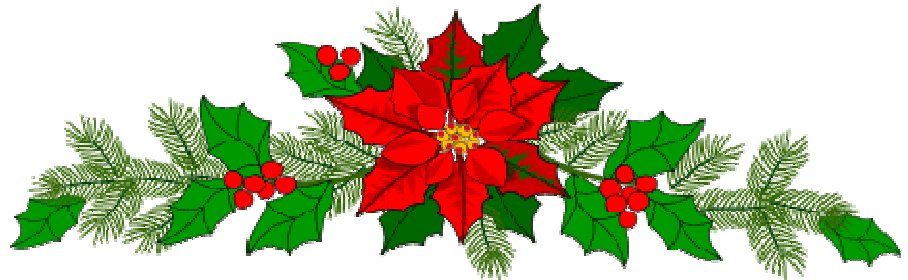
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*May the special beauty  
of the Christmas season  
touch your heart  
and brighten your world.*

The Management Team

**SOCIAL DATES TO MARK IN YOUR CALENDAR:**

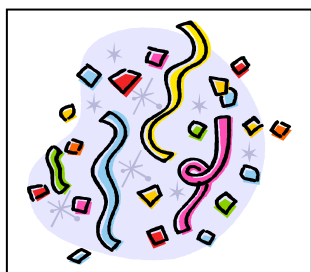
**Thursday November 30, 2006  
Upper Canada Village Christmas Bus Tour**

Departure Time: Bus leaves the parking lot at 1:15 pm  
Dorothy suggests you put your 'snuggies' on to keep warm.

**Contact: Dorothy Miller 613 475-9503**

**Thursday, December 7, 2006  
Brighton Probud Christmas Party  
At the Keeler Centre, Colborne, Ontario**

As already announced, our club will be subsidizing the cost of members' tickets for this event, so the price will be \$15.00 for members. The cost to guests will be \$30.00 per ticket.



We already have a good crowd signed up and arrangements are going well.  
**Anybody who hasn't signed up and would like to attend please do so today and pick up your ticket.**  
**Cocktails: 5:30 p. m . Dinner: 6:30 p. m.**

**Contact: Dorothy Miller 613-475-9503**

**Wednesday, January 17, 2007  
Stage West Dinner Theatre, Mississauga  
Show: "California Dreaming"**

Cost: \$99.00 all inclusive. Payment is required by December 13<sup>th</sup>.

The sign-up sheet will be available November 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Contact: Margaret Foreman 613-475-2271  
or: Bonnie Minns 613 475-4684**

**New Year's Eve Dinner  
Brighton Antiques Café **CANCELLED****

**DOROTHY CURRENTLY LOOKING FOR AN ALTERNATIVE**

**THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE SUGGESTS:**

**If you leave your vehicle in the Parking Lot when going on Probud outings, please have your Probud Crest or Decal on your dashboard. This will resolve any possible parking issues. Thank you.**

**CLUB INTEREST GROUPS**

**Bid Euchre**

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays 1:00 p.m.  
Anglican Church Hall  
Karen Faulkner 613 475-0211

**Bridge**

**First Wednesday only in December**  
1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays 1:00 p.m.  
Anglican Church Hall  
Dolores Holm 613 475-4371

**Chapter One Book Club**

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 10:00 a.m.  
Kate Cattell 613 475-1613

**Chapter Two Book Club**

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 10:00 a.m.  
Rosemary Kennedy 613 475-1741

**Single Diners**

Ruth Bennett 613 475-5026

**Scrabble**

If interested, please call  
Celia Miles: 613 475-1524

**SPEAKERS**

**November 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Rene Schmidt, Author  
"Canadian Disasters" \$6.99 Available today  
Author of 3 books and has won several awards

**December 13<sup>th</sup>**

Entertainer, Ralph Kuster  
A return engagement - Our Christmas Program.

**January 10, 2007**

Robert Davies  
Quinte Branch of the Ontario Genealogical Society  
Will speak on Genealogy in general

**January 24, 2007**

Mr. Jeff Brace  
Speaking on The Cancer Society and its functions  
- Prostate Cancer

**The PROBUS Bylaw change, approved at our last meeting is attached to this newsletter. Please take a moment to insert this page into your own copy of the Constitution and Bylaws.**

### **The Telephone Committee**

On occasion, the Telephone Committee is called upon to relay information quickly. However, on such occasions, if a member has given us an email address, this address will be the primary contact link.

*Also, for your information: Joanne Goodfellow is now the second in command on the committee. 613 475-9562.*

### **Community Events**

#### **Flu Shots - For BHSC patients**

November 22<sup>nd</sup> and November 29<sup>th</sup>  
1 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

#### **Free Flu Vaccination Clinic at**

Lions Community Hall, 81 Elizabeth St.  
December 1<sup>st</sup> 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Trenton Memorial Hospital

**Holly Tea and Bazaar** will be held on  
December 1<sup>st</sup> from 1 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

#### **Friends of the Library**

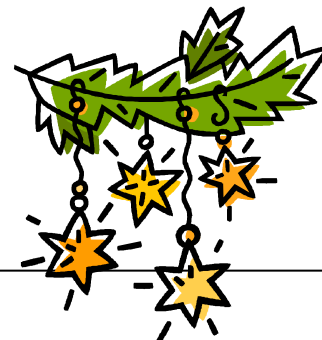
“An Evening with Eric Wright”, author  
November 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7 p.m.  
Brighton Municipal Chambers

#### **Important Reminder from the Management Committee:**

Please shred all old copies of the Membership Listing for security reasons. If you do not have a shredder, Ralph Sydney will be happy to dispose of them for you..

Don't wait for your ship to  
come in – swim out to it!

*Anonymous*



### **Snowbird Chatter**

Report from our Roving Reporter Alec McVean...

It will make you happy to know that on Nov 16 the weather was warmer in Brighton than in Lady Lake, Florida!

Margaret and Alec had a challenging trip down to Florida – the weather being the challenge – but eventually arrived safely.

Gilles C. and Rosemary O. are enjoying the sunshine and the golf.

Alec reported that the Christmas Shoebox program for needy kids is well underway with many involved.

We'd love to hear more of the Snowbirds' activities, but it's early days yet – and there's plenty of time.

A very Merry Christmas to all our members who will be in warmer climes and have a peaceful and positive 2007.

Please email Alec and keep in touch....

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#### **NEW MEMBER:**

This month we welcome :

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# December, 2006

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
					<b>1</b> Flu Shots Lions Hall TMH Holly Tea & Bazaar 1-3:30 pm	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Bid Euchre 1 pm Anglican Church Hall	<b>5</b> Chapter 1 Book Club 10 am	<b>6</b> Bridge 1 pm Anglican Church Hall	<b>7</b> Chapter 2 Book Club 10 am Christmas Party at Keeler Centre	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> The Only General Meeting in December - 10am	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Bid Euchre 1 pm Anglican Church Hall	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <u>Merry</u>	<b>26</b> <u>Christmas</u>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>31</b>	Happy New Year!		Next Gen Mtg ...Jan 10 <sup>th</sup>		<b>2007</b>	