January 2021

***Your Humber Heritage Executive:***

***Diane Biggs, President***

***Richard Schumann, 1st Vice President***

***Barnie Joosten, Treasurer***

***Jayne Clayton, Secretary***

**Presidents Message:**

**Since our last newsletter:**

This past year of 2020 the focus was solely on confusion, frustration and isolation by our family, friends and associates due to the Covid 19 impact. All holidays such as Birthdays, Christmas and New Years and unfortunately some funerals were spent without their family, friends and associates. Now we have been informed that there is a new altered virus labeled Sars Cov-2 (B-117) which spreads dangerously fast, especially with the elderly. On behalf of the Humber Heritage Club I wish to stress that we take this new altered virus very seriously and are asking everyone to stay home to stay safe and healthy.

The good news: Vaccines are on the horizon starting with seniors eighty years and older who will be first to receive their doses. I am optimistic by the Fall of this year we will celebrate the end of this stressful past year and time. Hopefully we can put all this behind us and eventually start to return to normal. So stay safe and healthy until we meet again.

**Chapter Membership Dues**

Chapter membership dues are now up for renewal. The cost is as follows:

$10.00 one year renewal

$25.00 three year renewal.

$5.00 one year for an Associate Member

Membership renewal form included

You can either send a cheque to our treasurer - Barnie Joosten, Box 461, Port Rowan, On.

N0E 1M0 or complete an E-transfer to [humberchapter2@hotmail.com](mailto:humberchapter2@hotmail.com)

Annual seed money from Head Office is administered by the number of active dues paying membership in our Chapter. This money supports our quarterly newsletters, donations to various charities and helps in supporting our chapter’s functions. Also, you receive discounted prices from Johnson Insurance, Medoc travel insurance, Good Life Fitness and discounts at selected hotel rates and tours. Please send in your dues payment in support of Humber Heritage Club.

**In Appreciation**

As a token of appreciation to all our paid up members, we will be initiating a quarterly draw of ($25.00) twenty-five dollars to four (4) lucky members. First draw on March1, June 1. September 1, December 1 2021.

**Charities Supported in 2020**

Veterans Society Lymphoma Society Mississauga Food Bank Salvation Army, Brampton

Salvation Army, Tillsonburg Fred Victor Society Canada Post Comm. Foundation

**Santa Elves HO-HO-HO Program**

We are deeply grateful for all our Christmas Elves who wrote nine hundred letters to help Santa Claus. In appreciation of the efforts made by our Santa Elves we initiated a thank-you draw. The draw was held at the Nobleton Post Office and assisted by the postal clerk.

Barry Gilbert was the ticket drawn and will receive a $25.00 gift card from Humber Heritage.

**Scholarships (Heritage Club Scholarship Program)**

Please find the following information with regards to the various Scholarship Programs available to our members:

Heritage Scholarship Program – This Scholarship Program is open to dependent children and grand-children of all active due paying members who have paid dues for two years or more. There are three scholarships of $1000.00 each. The application package is available on the [www.heritageclub.ca/links/](http://www.heritageclub.ca/links/) . Click on Links for the details and application form. Closing date is June 30, 2021. For more information contact Eldred Holmes at holmese@nl.rogers.com.

**Johnson Scholarship Program**

More information and the application for the Johnson Scholarship Program will be available in the early Spring. There will be 50 Scholarships of $1000.00 each. Open the Heritage Club website [www.heritageclub.ca](http://www.heritageclub.ca) and then click Links. Closing date is July 15, 2021. For more information call 1-844-567-1237 or at the website. [scholarshipfund@johnson.ca](mailto:scholarshipfund@johnson.ca).

**IN MEMORIAM**

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of the following CPC employees:

Sophie Chorney Toronto 2020 Olga Fraser Mississauga 2019

Thomas Gardiner Mississauga 2020 Luciano Giannotta Mississauga 2020

Paul Zarb Weston 2018 Antiono V. Folino Weston 2020

Cecil Hazel Mississauga 2020 Anthony Vale Brampton 2020

Ronald Badger Etobicoke 2020 Alan Radstaak Etobicoke 2020

Walter Semon Innisfil 2020 Herta Janusas Weston 2020

John Thompson Brampton 2020 Norman Bailey Toronto 2020

Wayne Eric Moore Midland 2020 Stephen Pycypczuk Mississauga, 2020

Ted Wood Toronto, 2020 Praveen Singh Brampton 2020

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**Benefit Contact Numbers**

CPC Pension: 1-877-480-9220 Questions will be answered at

Superannuation: 1-800-561-7930 humberchapter2@hotmail.com

Great West Life: 1-866-249-5723

CPP/OAS: 1-800-277-9914

Access HR: 1-877-807-9090