

## THE ORDER OF UNITED COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS

"People Helping People"

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#### SUDBURY COUNCIL 1051 • FEBRUARY 2018

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## **Upcoming Events**

February 1	General Meeting Stu Thomas Railway Museum presentation	Trevi	6:00 pm
February 15	Executive Meeting	Trevi	6:00 pm
March 1	Election Meeting	Tap House	6:00 pm
March 8	Executive Meeting	Trevi	6:00 pm

### President's Message - Loretta Carnes

The best part about February is that it is our shortest month and we are that much closer to the first day of Spring and warmer weather. We notice the days are getting longer. We have Valentine's Day and Family Day holiday on the 19th. Our General Meeting at The Trevi will be on Thursday February 1 with another great speaker lined up - Stu Thomas from the Capreol Railway Museum. He will give a presentation about this gem of a local attraction.

A BIG THANK YOU goes out to our Ham Team headed by Rob Rehill and Joe Wilcox and all the salesmen and women who helped get the hams out to so many. Your activity means so much. We really appreciate your efforts.

Elections will be held at our March meeting at the TapHouse and our Striking Committee is busy coordinating the next board of directors. Please contact John Varney or Doug Honeyford, if you are interested in serving on the board.

## **Heart Issues Affect Most Families**

Your Sudbury Council 1051 will again this year, make a financial contribution to the Heart and Stroke Fund on your behalf. Thank you for helping raise funds to make donations but we could use a hand. Please join me in February (Heart Month) and volunteer a couple of hours to canvass in your neighborhood. Every dollar helps. Please give me a call and I will arrange to get you a Canvasser Kit. Thanks in advance. Doug Honeyford @ 705-525-7777

### Membership Corner - by Doug Honeyford

Your Council will finish it's fiscal year shortly, we will hold elections, and we'll move forward and say goodbye to a wonderful year of fraternalism. What you have accomplished is truly amazing and together we have helped so many in our community. Membership is vital. You and I need to bring others in to our club so our spectacular work will continue. Please nominate someone you respect and care deeply about. It can make a difference in many lives, especially theirs.

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## General Meeting Notes - Connie Zwarich

January 4th was our General Meeting. Frigid temperatures and the flu season kept our attendance down to 14 members and 1 guest. Normal protocols were followed. Our Chaplain Tracey Urso, who was under the weather, made a valiant effort and remained long enough to say Grace. Doug Honeyford presented the calendars from Our Children Our Future. Our Logo can be found on the back cover and September.

Dave Carnes introduced our guest speaker Chantal Gladu from Big Brothers Big Sisters. This organization receives no government funding and services children from ages 6 to 18 years. Their purpose is to find Big Brother and Big Sisters to be mentors and role models to their little brother or sister. Their goal is to show them they are not alone, someone does care for them. They also have Caring Couples and Caring Families.

Doug Honeyford thanked Chantal. This is the organization we have partnered with for our Touch a Truck event in June.

Rob Rehill reported our ham sales went very well with 1600 hams being sold.

Dave Carnes gave an update on our President's progress. Loretta is recovering well.

Good of the Order - Shirley Giff is anxious to get back in the Spring and work on our Murder Mystery Night in September. If this weather keeps up she may want to remain in Florida a little longer. Dale Hartley has been under the weather.

Doug Honeyford reported there have been inquiries about setting up new councils in Southern Ontario.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

Members draw of \$63.00 was won by Dave Carnes

# Humour

During his physical, the doctor asked the patient about his daily activity level. He described a typical day this way: "Well yesterday afternoon, I waded along the edge of a lake, drank eight beers, escaped from wild dogs in the heavy brush, jumped away from an aggressive rattlesnake, marched up and down several rocky hills, stood in a patch a poison ivy, crawled out of quicksand and took four leaks behind big trees." Inspired by the story, the doctor said, "You must be one hell of an outdoors man!" "Nah," he replied, "I'm just a shitty golfer"

### **February Birthdays**

- Feb 12 REG DONALDSON
- Feb 21 MONIQUE FORSYTH
- Feb 21 JOHN FORSYTH
- Feb 23 BRENDA BROWNLEE
- Feb 24 WILBERT FOSTER
- Feb 24 JOHN CARREY
- Feb 26 MICHAEL BATCHELOR
- Feb 28 ROBERT REHILL

#### **General Meeting** Usually the first Thursday of <u>Each</u> month Trevi

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Monthly Executive Meeting Usually the Second Thursday of Each month. **Sudbury Office** 

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## Know Your Benefits -

Doug Honeyford

Did you know that in addition to the array of Insurance Products available to UCT members we also have fantastic Scholarship programs available. The UCT Heaston Scholarships is given to three students annually for four years of education \$6,000, \$3,000 and \$3,000. Applications are due by March 15.

The UCT Scholarship Program is for those seeking a degree to work with people with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. Applications are due by Nov 15.

The May Tisdale Scholarship Fund is for children and grandchildren.

Sudbury 1051 also has annual Education Awards for Member's Children and dependent Grandchildren.

Information is yours for the asking...it pays to belong.