

# THE ORDER OF UNITED COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS



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**SUDBURY COUNCIL 1051 • MARCH 2018** 

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### **Upcoming Events**

March 1	Elections	Tap House	6:00 pm
March 8	Executive Meeting	Trevi	6:00 pm
April 5	General Meeting Angels of Hope	Trevi	6:00 pm
April 12	Executive Meeting	Trevi	6:00 pm
May 12	Members Appreciation Night	Curl Sudbury	6:00 pm

### President's Message - Loretta Carnes

I am filled with mixed emotions as I write my final President's newsletter report. It has been an awesome 3 years serving as the Local President of A.C.T./UCT 1051; an experience I will cherish for years. The dedicated and hard-working board of directors makes this position so gratifying.

Thank you, Don. As Vice-President, you were quick at stepping up when I was unable to perform my duties. Thank you, Connie. Behind every good President is a better secretary and Connie has kept us in order. Thank you, Dave. You have taken our organization's financial reporting to new levels. Thank you to Doug, John, Mike, Gil (times 2), George, Wayne and Jerry. Your experience and knowledge are the backbone of our organization. Thank you, Mel and Len. Your new and innovative ideas are so important in keeping us fresh and in tune with change. And thank you, Tracey. As chaplain, you speak from the heart and with such integrity.

Thank you to all committee members - Bingo, Farmers - Ham/Turkeys, Golf, Curling, Touch-A-Truck, 75th Anniversary to name a few. You are an integral part of our organization. Committees are the backbone to fund-raising and membership growth and retention.

Thank you to all members. Your encouragement and support, not just in these last few months but throughout my years as president is truly appreciated.

I look forward to serving you now as Immediate Past President as I hand over the gavel to your new President at our March 1st meeting at the Taphouse.

We have an awesome line-up for our upcoming meetings. On April 5 we will be back at the Trevi and Cristina Scarpellini will tell us about the Angels of Hope organization. Saturday May 12, will be the first of our 75th Birthday celebrations. The May 12 evening will be held at Curl Sudbury and will feature dinner, pins and awards and a 50-60's/ Country Music theme dance.



Happy faces...well with \$1000 from Council 1051 HEART MONTH just got a little more healthy

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### **February General Meeting**

Our meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm with 19 members and 1 guest in attendance. The usual opening protocols were followed. Tracey Urso reported that there were 240 items donated at our Christmas Meeting and the monies collected from attendees and the sheriff's pot winnings allowed her to purchase 200 more items (socks, scarves mittens) for the Out of the Cold Shelter and The Independent Living Centre. She thanked everyone for their donations.

Connie Zwarich introduced our guest speaker, Stu Thomas from the Northern Ontario Railway Museum. He had a power point presentation that outlined the history of the museum and the plans for future expansion. Loretta Carnes thanked Stu for his presentation.

George Faulkner and Loretta Carnes thanked members for all their support during their respective injuries. They spoke of the value of membership. Insurance for the injuries paid \$150.

David Carnes read our Code of Ethics. Motion to adjourned at 7:50 was made by Peter McLeod



Stu Thomas from NORMHC

Members Draw of \$19.00 plus \$50.00 was won by John Carrey but since he was not in attendance it is carried over to the March Meeting. Tracey Urso won the sheriff's pot of \$17.90.

### Northern Ontario Railway Museum

For all those who live in the Sudbury area and those who visit here did you know we have a hidden gem in Capreol - The Northern Ontario Railway Museum and Heritage Centre? It is housed in a Victorian era home. The museum itself has a wealth of artefacts and special exhibits related to lumbering, mining and railroading in Northern Ontario. Outside you will find Prescott Park where there is a lush garden, train themed playground and a unique collection of rolling stack. The train cars are accessible to the visitors. The Heritage Centre is located in the former Municipal building. It showcases the region's social heritage through photos and sports memorabilia. There is an antique Gotfredson Bickle fire engine, the town's original jail and an incredible model railway display. You can check out special event offerings and schedules by visiting their website www.normhc.ca It well worth a trip out to Capreal to visit this great attraction.

### **Membership Dues**

Yearly we each receive a notice that its renewal time and a couple of things you need to know. Many of us have insurance benefits with our Membership and if your Membership is not paid on time you risk the benefits not being there until you are paid to date. So if you are a snowbird, or just never get around to things on time authorize Joyce in Calgary to put it on your credit card when due.

You can call Calgary toll free and pay your dues right over the phone when the bill comes in. That saves you a cheque and a stamp and Joyce always likes to hear from you.

We need you as a Member. Your dues offset the cost of bulletins and help with "operational costs", and we must show positive growth to be eligible for Medal of Honor so please nominate someone you know right away. Our year end is upon us and we need three more Members.

Call Doug @ 705-525-7777 for Applications & Details

## **March Birthdays**

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Mar 04	PETER MICHELUTTI
Mar 06	PETER MCLEOD
Mar 07	CONRAD HOULE
Mar 09	PAULA VARNEY
Mar 13	DAN COLEMAN
Mar 15	MICHAEL MORELLI
Mar 16	JOHN ROY
Mar 17	GIUSEPPE ROSSI
Mar 18	ANDY MANTHA
Mar 20	GIL CHARETTE
Mar 20	DONALD LALONDE
Mar 25	MAURICE DOIRON
Mar 27	RICHARD MEI
Mar 29	CARMAN SWALLOW

### **General Meeting**

Usually the first Thursday of <u>Each</u> month
Trevi

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### **Monthly Executive Meeting**

Usually the Second Thursday of <u>Each</u> month.

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