

June 2017



COMMUNITY AWARDS CELEBRATION

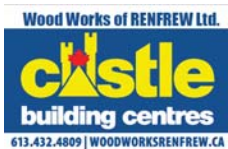


The Annual Community Awards was held on Thursday June 1, 2017. This years event was a huge success with over 160 people in attendance. Thank you to Kelly Cobus Photography for the wonderful pictures of our nominees and recipients and to all of our sponsors, you truly helped make our night a success! Please see page 2 for pictures of this years recipients.

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE ANNUAL COMMUNITY AWARDS

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Scott & Sons Hardware Ltd.
Outstanding Business
Achievement



Patti Dillabough
Citizen of the Year



Charlie Leclaire
&
Mitchell Hanniman
Young Person of the Year



Valley Guiding and Outfitting
New Business Award



Scott's Shoe Store
BIA Member of the Year



Jean Hughes
Chamber Member of the Year



Renfrew & Area Senior Home
Support Inc.
President's Award



Renfrew Agricultural Society
Agri-Business of the Year



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Industry of the Year



Renfrew Legion Ladies Auxilliary
Community Champion of the Year



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RENFREW'S CANADA 150 CELEBRATION

Monday June 28

7:00PM Canadian Trivia Night – Ma-te-Way Activity Centre

Tuesday June 27

5:30pm-7:30pm Spaghetti Dinner – Renfrew Legion
6:00pm-10:00pm Patio Party with entertainment by Fifth Street – Renfrew Legion

Wednesday June 28

9:00am-3:00pm Renfrew Duplicate Bridge Tournament – Ma-te-Way Activity Centre
7:00pm-9:30pm Valley Heritage Radio Tribute to Ottawa Valley Music – O'Brien Park

Thursday June 29

9:00am-2:00pm Youth Street Hockey Challenge - Downtown Renfrew
10:00am-5:00pm BIA Sidewalk Sale – Downtown Renfrew
12:00-5:30pm Annual Chicken BBQ – Trinity – St Andrew's United Church
6:00pm-10:00pm Patio Party with entertainment by The Debenham Bros – Renfrew Legion

Friday June 30

10:00am-2:00pm RVH Auxiliary Bake Sale and Strawberry Social – Scott & Sons Hardware
11:00am-2:00pm Town Hall Open House with Historical Displays
10:00am-4:00PM BIA Sidewalk Sale & Family Fun Event – Downtown Renfrew
9:00pm-12:00am Downtown Street Dance with Beer Garden Music by Ghost Town Criers, Young Country
Midnight Fireworks off Town Hall rooftop

Saturday July 1 – Ma-te-Way Park

4:30pm Children's Red and White Parade (meet at the Henry Eady Building)
4:45pm Opening Ceremonies & Birthday Cake (near Flag Pole)
5:00pm-9:00pm Bouncy Castle and slide, Obstacle Course, Sabretooth Slide, Bumper Boats, Water Tumbler, Face Painting, Balloon Art, Lawn Games and Family Games, Renfrew Art Guild, Art Tree and Historical Displays
7:00pm Magic Show - Michael the Magician
Available onsite: Cash Bar, Jack's Fudge, Family Fries and Renfrew Minor Baseball Canteen
9:00pm-11:00pm Riley New Band
Fireworks at Dusk

*In case of inclement weather, activities will be moved indoors

Sunday July 2

10:00am-4:00pm Interactive Displays of Renfrew in 1867 - McDougall Mill Museum

Frew North Strong and Free Merchandise is available at The Flower Factory and Renfrew Home Hardware. Commemorative Mugs are available at Dahl's Convenience

June 14-24 The Rocky Mountain House Rocky Mountain House Art Contest www.therockymountainhouse.com

June 23-25 Ma-te-Way Park Saw Tech Log Expo – Ontario's Natural Resource Event www.sawtechlogexpo.com

June 24 & 25 McDougall Mill Museum Celebrating Renfrew's Lumber Legacy www.renfrewmuseum.ca

June 23 & 24 Scavenger Hunt www.nhanhl.ca

Summer 2017 Pop Up Art www.renfrewartguld.com

Summer 2017 Downtown Renfrew Heritage Renfrew Visual Display www.heritagerenfrew.ca

July 7 Groves Park Lodge Art Exhibition & Music

July 15 & 16 Haramis Park Art in the Park www.renfrewartguld.com

July 22 O'Brien Park Pow Wow – A Ceremony of Celebration www.renfrewgoldenage.ca

October 14 Downtown Renfrew Frewtober Beer and Food Truck Festival www.renfrew.ca



Community Events

IN COLLABORATION WITH RENFREW'S CANADA 150 COMMITTEE
THE RENFREW LEGION BRANCH 148

INVITE YOU TO

The Canada 150 Spaghetti Dinner

DINNER INCLUDES SPAGHETTI, SALAD, GARLIC BREAD AND DESSERT



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TUESDAY JUNE 27, 2017 | 5:30PM-7:30PM
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30 RAGLAN STREET SOUTH

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**MONDAY
JUNE 26
7PM**

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6 people/team**
Register as a
Team or Individual
ALL AGES WELCOME

CANADIAN TRIVIA NIGHT

Come one, come all to celebrate CANADA's 150th Birthday!

REGISTER NOW

What: CANADIAN TRIVIA NIGHT
Who: You and 5 friends (6 people/team)
When: Monday, June 26, 2017, 7pm
SIGN IN will start at 6:30pm
Where: Ma-te-way Activity Centre

REGISTER YOUR TEAM: Contact The Holleys at
shirleyannholley@gmail.com OR 613-432-4332

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(Fri. & Sat.)

CRS Bluegrass
(Fri. & Sat.)

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Ray Legere & Grassie Measures
(New Brunswick, Fri. & Sat.)

Bill White & White Pine
(Kingston, Ontario, Fri. & Sun.)

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The Renfrew Victoria Hospital Auxiliary is holding their Christmas House Tour once again this year.

RVH Auxiliary 2017
Christmas House Tour
Sunday November 26, 2017
12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

For more information,
contact Shauna Lemenchick at
613-432-8493

For more information, please visit www.valleybluegrass.ca

2nd Annual

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