



4th ORLEANS BEAVERS COLONY B NEWSLETTER 2

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A special thanks goes out this week to our Beavers who were super during last week's campfire. There's always a great deal of activities going on during these Group events and it's tough to keep the Beavers attention (and awake) but they did a terrific job in being well behaved and singing our latest Colony song (There's a Hole in the Dam!).

Next week we're off to Proulx Farms for our Halloween adventure! Proulx Farms is located at 1865 O'Toole Road, which is a left turn off Innes Rd., past Frank Kenny Rd. and follow the signs. Our adventure will begin (rain or moon) at 6:30 sharp and will include a wagon ride and a walk through the haunted farmhouse and through the maze. So that our Beavers won't be too frightened, we've asked that the entertainment in the farmhouse be age appropriate. The cost will be \$4 for Beavers and \$6 for parents and siblings, a parent must accompany their Beaver. Payment for siblings can be done in advance or on arrival at Proulx Farms. Please complete and return the attached Consent Form prior to the outing. Consent forms must be completed even though a parent is in attendance.

Tuesday November 8th will be our 2nd Annual outing to the National Cenotaph in downtown Ottawa. This year our plan is to lay a special 4th Orleans Colony B Beaver wreath at the cenotaph. Similar to last year we're planning to travel downtown via OC Transpo (meeting at the Place d'Orleans transit centre at 6:00pm sharp) have a few special moments at the Cenotaph, a brief wreath laying ceremony, a walk up to the Centennial Flame and a snack at Tim Hortons on Sparks St. The Colony will pay for the Beavers snack and return bus trip. If however you can't make the departure time we'll plan to meet at the Cenotaph at 6:30. Please complete and return the consent form attached, a parent must accompany their Beaver.

For the remainder of November our theme will be Dinosaurs and reptiles. A variety of special events are being planned and we may even have a special guest one night.

4th Orleans Scouts are hoping to participate in the Parade of Lights Santa Parade on Saturday December 3rd. More information will follow but mark your calendars as the Beavers will have an opportunity to be a part of the parade.

Parents are reminded that our evening begins at 6:30pm sharp and all Beavers are to be signed in and out. If you arrive early please wait until the Leaders have arrived and are set up before you leave as we must ensure we have the proper ratio of Leaders to Beavers. Please ensure that your Beaver comes in full uniform for all events unless otherwise indicated. As the weather changes please make sure your Beaver comes with indoor shoes. Also note, due to a minor mix up a new Physical Fitness form (attached) must be filled out, please return it asap.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Tuesday Oct. 18th | Investiture |
| Tuesday Oct. 25th | Proulx Farms Halloween Adventure (Beaver Hats only) |
| Tuesday Nov. 1st | Regular Meeting - preparation for Remembrance Day |
| Tuesday Nov. 8th | Trip to the National War Memorial Cenotaph 6:00pm via OC Transpo, Place d'Orleans |
| Friday Nov. 11th | White Tails Sleepover at the Museum of Science and Technology |
| Tuesday Nov. 15-29th | Dinosaur and Reptile theme nights |
| Saturday Dec. 3rd | Parade of Lights Santa Parade (more details to follow) |

Check out the 4th Orleans Web Site for more details and information <http://4thorleans.ca>