

BEAVERS COLONY B

This year is a special year in Scouting as 2007 marks the Centenary year of Scouting Worldwide 1907-2007.

I would like to welcome all returning Beavers, new Beavers (Kits) and their parents to Colony B Tuesday Night Beavers for the 2006-2007 Scouting year. My name is Scouter Dawn (Sunshine) and I will be the Contact Leader for our Colony and can be reached at ddkerr@canada.com or 613-841-0339.

Our first meeting is scheduled to start on Tuesday September 19th 6:30- 7:30 in the gym at Fallingbrook Elementary School. Having said that, Scouts Canada has a 5:1 Leader/Youth ratio.

Tonight is Registration night and I stand alone being the only Leader to run our program. I will be speaking with most of you at registration with the hope you will want to partake in a fun year of Beavers and join the Leadership Team. I have been involved with 4th Orleans for 11 years. I, like most Leaders joined because their child became a Beaver. It was one of the best decisions I could have made. It was a wonderful opportunity to bond with my son, help other children have lots of fun and make special friendships along the way. Needless to say this doesn't mean you will be here 11 years later, but I could not imagine the fun I would have missed had I not been asked to become a Leader. You will not get a paycheck but will receive top notch benefits and training.

I will call everyone to confirm when we have a leadership Team in place so we can start the program.

UPCOMING EVENTS

APPLE DAY

4TH Orleans main fundraising event and BBQ

- **Saturday September 30th**
- Loeb (Trinity Common)
- 9 am-2p.m. pick approx. 1-1½ hrs

We wear full uniforms at all Scouting Functions

Please bring a small basket if available to hold apples

4TH ORLEANS GROUP CAMPFIRE

- Wednesday October 11th
- Petrie Island (rain location our regular meeting place the gym)
- fundraising BBQ available so come early

Please note we will not have our regular Tuesday Night meeting this week

BEAVERS BUDDY HIKE

Saturday October 14th

Further information to follow