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President Ryan Cochrane 2010 & 2011

Hello everyone, for those who don't know me, my name is Ryan Cochrane and I am the General Manager of the Stanley Bridge Country Resort, Stanley Bridge PEI. I am honoured to be chosen as President of the Kensington & Area Chamber of Commerce for 2010 and 2011.



The focus of the Board of Directors during the next several months will be to enhance services to our members and explore the future direction of the Chamber.

While we certainly plan for continued growth in our organization, it is just as important to ensure we are providing services, promotional opportunities and support for our existing members.

I would like to thank George Nelson for his tremendous contribution to the Chamber and in particular, for the last two years as its President. This is a voluntary position and I know that he has committed many hours and resources to the role.

I look forward to the next two years, and thank you in advance for your continued support and participation in your chamber.

President Ryan Cochrane



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Members News

New Members Networking Breakfast



The Kensington & Area Chamber of Commerce hosted it's 1st Annual New Members Breakfast, sponsored by Bell Aliant.

This breakfast was open to all new members for 2009 and 2010 (to date) on March 3. This breakfast gave new members an opportunity to find out about their chamber and initiatives for the upcoming year. In addition it was a networking opportunity for those who attended.

President's Annual Dinner & Silent Auction



3rd Annual Computer Draw

Paul Montgomery Bell Aliant presents Katharina Mueller of Katharina's Bridal Boutique with a lap top computer.

President's Annual Dinner & Silent auction was held in February of 2010, with guest speaker Patrick Ledwell; well known Island comedian.

Special thanks to Bell Aliant who has been very supportive of the chamber over the years and has developed into the Chamber's membership sponsor. Bell Aliant donates a lap-top computer to be given away to one of the Chamber's lucky winners. The draw took place during the dinner and was presented to Katharina Mueller, Katharina's Bridal Boutique.

Special thanks to all who contributed to the silent auction; raising just a little over \$1200.00! This contribution will be used to advance Chamber initiatives.

In addition, resigning board of directors, Tracey MacEwen, Phyllis Carr and Ryan Simmonds were recognized for their years of service and commitment with the Chamber



Guest Speaker
Patrick Ledwell,
well known Island
Comedian.



L-R Tracey MacEwen- 10 year
plaque and Phyllis Carr—13 year
plaque. Missing from photo Ryan
Simmonds

New Members—February 2010



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Breakfast: 8:30 am—9:30 am

NAOSH Flag Raising Ceremony: 9:30 am—10 am

Walk: 10 am—Finish

For more information on how to register your team contact:

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1st row from left to right:

Reg Maddix, David Corney, Alan McCormick, Ralph MacNeill, and Gordon MacFarlane

2nd row from left to right:

Brian Good, Glenna Lohnes, Gayle Mueller, Andy Walker and Sid Curtis.

Something new for 2010!

I would like to introduce you and your organization to the Western Prince Edward Island Health & Safety Advisory Group. Participation in this group is open and free of charge to any organization who wishes to attend. The first meeting of this group took place on January 19th, 2010 at 1:30pm at Cavendish Farms in the plant #1 training centre, New Annan with eleven members on hand. Subsequent meetings will be held the third Tuesday of each month at the Kensington Area Chamber of Commerce meeting room beginning at 2:30pm.

The Aim's of this group will be to;

Promote a greater awareness of workplace health and safety,

To provide an opportunity for networking,

To share information and knowledge,

To promote and support membership in the Canadian Society of Safety Engineering.

The primary goal of this venture is to provide an opportunity to meet, network and share knowledge regarding health and safety issues and information on a regular basis.

Anyone wishing to receive meeting notification, general information and minutes can respond to the under-signed by way of e-mail. All we require is you name, the name of your organization and your email address.

Next meeting: April 20, 2010 @ 2:30pm

Location: Kensington Chamber of Commerce meeting room

Regards, Alan McCormick; mccormick.alan@cavendishfarms.com



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