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From the District Deputy Brethren:

All the Official Visits have been completed. All Lodges are “in compliance” with the Grand Master’s Directive and I feel the responsibilities of the Office are on the down slope of any challenging hill. There are still 4 Installations to be completed before summer call off. These are all Lodge Events, not District Events and the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Custodian of the Work and the Grand Secretary instructed the New District Deputy Grand Masters to stay away unless invited. I believe R. W. Bro. Stonier and R. W. Bro. Khoury made those overtures during their terms.



I encourage you to visit the Island next Monday and enjoy a Man’s Steak prepared by expert Brethren who have it down to a science. Steak Fry (BBQ) starts at 6:00, District Meeting at 7:00, followed up with the District Master’s & Warden’s Meeting. It may be hard to believe, but most of us are home before dark, **and that is the truth.** Please consider the Masters & Wardens Bus to Grand Lodge. Relax and enjoy the ride and show your support to the next District Deputy.

I believe 2012-2013 reflects favourably on Sudbury-Manitoulin District and I am very proud of all the lodges in our district. To the Worshipful Masters and Lodge Secretaries, I offer my sincere thanks for all your assistance, support and understanding. To the District Officers, I also thank you for your untiring assistance, support, understanding and guidance.

I would be remiss if I did not thank everyone who has helped to support the District Project – **Sudbury-Manitoulin District Masons – Helping to feed the Hungry.**”

In Closing, I would like to thank the District Secretary, W. Bro. J. W. Allan Farquharson, for his untiring support and hard work. His encouragement during troubled times – helped to keep me going! Just like the *Energizer Bunny*®.

It has been my pleasure to represent the Grand Master, M. W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling and a privilege to be of service to the Brethren of Sudbury-Manitoulin District. I am...

Sincerely and fraternally

Keith I. Jordan

D D G M – Sudbury-Manitoulin District

Passed To The Grand Lodge Above



R.W. Bro. Albert W. Stonier
Nickel Lodge No. 427

R.W. Bro. George Chambers
Nickel Lodge No. 427

**WE CHERISH THEIR
MEMORY IN OUR
HEARTS**

Sick and Visiting

Bro. Ed Macdonald
Algonquin Lodge No. 536

V.W. Bro. Robert Lewis
Friendship Lodge No. 691

**We wish them well and
pray for their full
recovery**



Friendship Lodge No. 691 – Official Visit

The last Official Visit of R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan took place on Wednesday, May 8th 2013 when Friendship Lodge No. 691 welcomed the District Deputy Grand Master. Bro. Tommy Boyuk having passed a successful examination was then Passed to the Fellowcraft degree under the direction of W. Bro. John Robbie.



The newest Fellowcraft Mason, Bro. Tommy Boyuk with the Officers and Brethren of Friendship Lodge

Visiting brethren to the East included:



**(Front L-R) V.W. Bro. Lyle Redden, Grand Steward – W. Bro. John Robbie – R. W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan D.D.G.M.
(Back L-R) W. Bro. Tom King W.M. Nickel Lodge – W. Bro. John Turner W.M. Gore Bay Lodge – W. Bro. Reg Daigle, W.M. Sudbury Lodge – W. Bro. Casey**



Nickel Lodge No. 427 – Installation

Bro. Tom King became the new Worshipful Master of Nickel Lodge during the annual Installation and Investiture of Officers on Saturday, May 4th 2013. V.W. Bro. Clive Stephenson assumed the role of Installing Master for the afternoon ceremony.



(Front row, left to right) V.W. Bro. Lyle Redden, Grand Steward; W. Bro. Stephen Fleming, I.P.M.; W. Bro. Gregory Newson, S.W.; newly installed Worshipful Master, W. Bro. Thomas King; V.W. Bro. Clive Stephenson, J.W. and Installing Master; R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan, D.D.G.M.; V. W. Bro. Milton Fleming, Organist.
(Second row, left to right) R.W. Robert Fleming, Secretary; Bro. Michael Lalonde, Treasurer; Bro. John Mason, J.D.; W. Bro. Paavo Liukko, Chaplain.
(Third row, left to right) Bro. Thomas Morris, J.S.; R.W. Bro. J.David Innes, Director of Ceremonies; Bro. John Reynolds, I.G.; W. Bro. Reijo Luoma, S.S.; Bro. George Nichols, S.D.; R.W. Bro. Robert South, Historian. (Not available for photo- V.W. Bro. Robert Storie, Tyler).





SUDBURY LODGE NO. 658 – INSTALLATION

W. Bro. Rejean Daigle was Installed the Worshipful Master on Monday, May 13th 2013. This marks Reg's third year as Worshipful Master a duty that he performs with tireless energy. You will generally find W. Bro. Daigle at nearly every Masonic function that takes place in our district.



(Front row L-R) W. Bro. Garry West, W. Bro. Barry Tooley, V.W. Bro. G. Ross Dixon, W. Bro. Rejean Daigle, R.W. Bro. Keith Jordan D.D.G.M., W. Bro. David Spencer

(Middle row) Bro. Gordon Campbell, W. Bro. Dan Roy, Bro. Adam Toews, W. Bro. Alan Lloyd, Bro. Stan Waltenbury

(Back row) W. Bro. Jack Gallagher, Bro. Chris Blais, Bro. Ray Thoms, W. Bro. Gary Cayen, Bro. Norm St. Amour



Visitors to the East included (Front row L-R) R.W. Bro. Brian Koivu M.O.B., V.W. Bro. Lyle Redden Grand Steward, W. Bro. Rejean Daigle, R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan D.D.G.M.

(Back row) W. Bro. Tom King, W.M. Nickel Lodge, W. Bro. Stan Weatherbee, W.M. Bethel Lodge, W. Bro. Casey Stranges, W.M. Algonquin Lodge and W. Bro. John Robbie, W.M. Friendship Lodge



COMMEMORATING SIXTY YEARS

V.W. Bro. Fred Bright

Espanola Lodge No. 527 held a special dinner on Wednesday, May 1st 2013 to honour V.W. Bro. Fred Bright on achieving his 60th anniversary in Freemasonry. Fred is a life member of Nickel Lodge No. 427 and an honorary life member of Espanola Lodge, which was awarded to him for his generosity to that lodge.

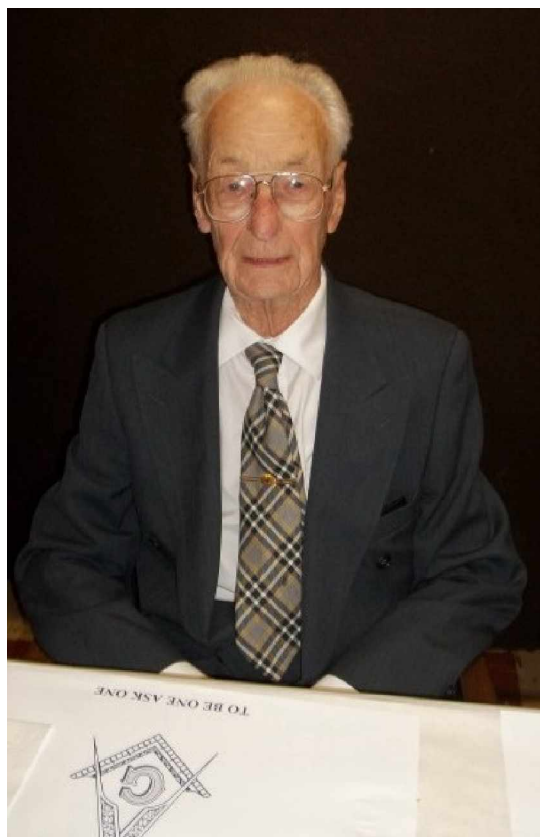
Brethren from the four points of the district were on hand to congratulate their brother on his Masonic milestone. W. Bro. Stephen Fleming the Master of Nickel Lodge and W. Bro. Wayne White the Master of Espanola Lodge each presented V.W. Bro. Bright with lodge certificates commemorating his Masonic service. Another special guest of the evening was Fred's nephew W. Bro. John Robbie the Master of Friendship Lodge.



Receiving his Grand Lodge 60-Year Pin



Head Table guests included (L-R) R.W. Bro. David Innes, W. Bro. Stephen Fleming, W.M. Nickel Lodge, R.W. Bro. Keith Jordan D.D.G.M., V.W. Bro. Fred Bright, W. Bro. Wayne White, W.M. Espanola Lodge and W. Bro. John Robbie, W.M. Friendship Lodge and Fred's nephew.



R.W. Bro. J. David Innes shared with the brethren accounts of Fred's willingness and ability to always help the lodge. During his year as D.D.G.M. his secretary V.W. Bro. F. Gordon Macleod passed to the Grand Lodge above in November. Fred graciously offered to complete Gordon's term as District Secretary and was a great asset to him and the district.



Congratulations and Best Wishes

Bethel Lodge No. 699

Congratulations to Bro. Clayton Racicot on being Initiated into Freemasonry on Friday, May 10th 2013. Congratulations to Bro. Clayton Keyes on being Initiated into Freemasonry at the Emergent meeting held on Friday, May 24th 2013.

Doric Lodge No. 455

Congratulations to Bro. Andrew Orr on being Passed to the Fellowcraft degree on Tuesday, May 14th 2013.



Algonquin Lodge No. 536

Congratulations to Bro. Michael Abbott on being Initiated into Freemasonry on Tuesday, May 21st 2013.



(L-R) Bro. Gilbert Davies, sponsor – W. Bro. Casey Stranges – Bro. Michael Abbott – W. Bro. Don McKibbin, sponsor

Freemasonry In Our Community

Friendship Lodge No. 691 Adopt-A-Road



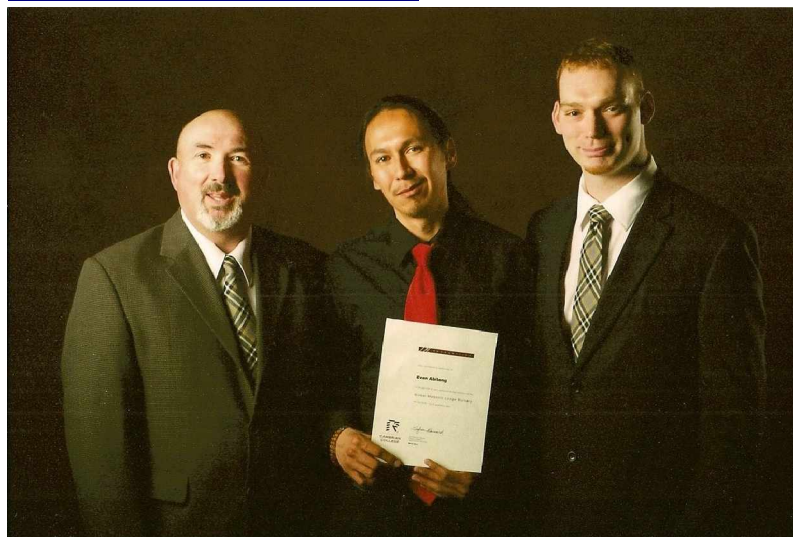
L to R, Bro. Mark Woodliffe, W. Bro. Ross King, Bro. Alan Fey, W. Bro. Garry Trotter V.W. Bro. John Cornthwaite, W. Bro. Roger Kitching, Bro. John Miszczak. Also taking part were Bro. Everett Mullen, V.W. Bro. Lyle Redden, R.W. Bro. Sam Khoury and W. Bro. Oliver Koski.

Friendship Lodge conducted their annual road clean up in May.

The project began on December 10, 1997 with a motion by R.W. Bro. Ron Eveson and V.W. Bro. Clair Bracken to support the Adopt-a-road campaign. The following May the brethren started cleaning the section of Long Lake Rd from Ester St. to the Highway 17 by-pass.

Bro. Alan Fey the chairman for this year thanks the members for their assistance.

Nickel Lodge No. 427 Bursary



Mr. Evan Abitong received the Nickel Lodge Masonic Bursary on March 27th 2013 at Cambrian College. W. Bro. Stephen Fleming and Bro. Tom King to Mr. Evan Abitong at the March 27th award ceremony.

The faculty at Cambrian College notes *"The Nickel Masonic Lodge Bursary plays an important role in helping these students focus on their studies and succeed in their education. Thank you for making a difference!"*



Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of Canada



May was a great month for the Sudbury Lodge of Perfection as five of it's members travelled to the Hamilton Consistory and received the 19th to 32nd degree.

Ill. Bro. Rob Lipic 32^o was on hand to invest the brethren with their new collars.



Thirty Second Degree Masons (L-R) Ill. Brothers Mark Woodliffe of Friendship Lodge No. 691, Stephen Fleming & Rob Fleming of Nickel Lodge No. 427, Rob Lipic of Friendship Lodge, Mike Lalonde and Tom King also of Nickel Lodge.





ESPANOLA CHAPTER NO. 257 R.A.M.

Bro. Brian Howe received his Most Excellent Master Degree on May 21st 2013.

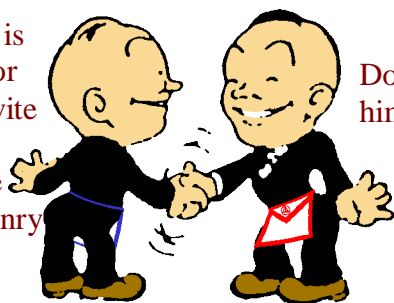


R. Ex. Ex Comp Clive D. Stephenson, Grand Superintendent District #14 attended on a fraternal visit to Espanola Chapter #257.



Companion Ian McKay is presented with his Royal Arch Certificate by Ex. Comp. Robert Boudreau

Someone is waiting for you to invite him into York Rite Freemasonry



Do not disappoint him!

TUSCAN CHAPTER NO. 95 R.A.M.

Bro. Terry Gobbo received the Mark Master Mason degree under the direction of Ex. Comp. Clair Bracken.



(L-R) Ex. Comp. Rob Lipic, 2nd Principal – Ex. Comp. Alan Hill, 1st Principal – Bro. Terry Gobbo, candidate – R. Ex. Comp. Clive Stephenson, Grand Superintendent District #14 – Ex. Comp. Clair Bracken, 3rd Principal





MAVAR PRECEPTORY NO. 65 KNIGHTS TEMPLAR



Mavar Preceptory conducted the Order of the Temple Installation and Consecration on Thursday, May 23rd under the direction of R. Em. Kt. John Gamble.



R.Em. Kt. Gamble congratulates the candidate for the evening Sir Kt. Ross King

The orders of the Masonic Knights Templar are part of a progression from the first three degrees of Freemasonry. Membership thus involves several prerequisites:

- You must have received the Supreme Degree of the Holy Royal Arch of Jerusalem, the final degree of Royal Arch Masonry, and be a member in good standing of a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.
- Membership in a Royal Arch Chapter requires that you have been raised as a Master Mason in a Craft lodge and be a member in good standing of a Masonic Craft lodge.

Orders are portrayed by Templar Knights wearing traditional costumes. Each order advances the new Knight through the trials of the Crusades culminating with the Order of the Knights of the Temple.



JUNE 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		JAVA GUILD AT BELROCK EVERY TUESDAY 10:00am – 1:30pm Come for coffee Stay for Lunch	KYCH NORTHERN PRIORY No. 84 11:00a.m. Saturday, June 8 th ELAM COUNCIL No. 5 Order of High Priesthood 1:00p.m. Saturday, June 8 th Belrock Masonic Centre			1.
2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
	DORIC LODGE B.B.Q. DISTRICT MTG. Followed by Masters & Wardens	NATIONAL LODGE Installation	NICKEL LODGE Memorial Night ESPANOLA LODGE F2F Night  SHRINE CLUB Regular Meeting Note Date Chg.	 Spring Ceremonial Kingston	 Spring Ceremonial Kingston	  Parade through Kingston
9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
 Spring Ceremonial Closing ceremony		DORIC LODGE Installation of Officers	FRIENDSHIP LODGE Masonic Ed.	GOREBAY LODGE Installation of Officers Algoma Chapter O.E.S.	BETHEL LODGE 1 st Degree	
16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.
	SUDBURY LODGE Annual BBQ	ALGONQUIN LODGE Masonic Ed. Espanola Chapter  Business Mtg.	NICKEL LODGE Emergent Mtg. 1 st Degree	Tuscan Chapter  Ladies Night	 Overnight at Laurentian University Track First Day of Summer	
23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.
			ESPANOLA LODGE Installation of Officers			
30.						
 SHRINE PARADE Elliot Lake						



EXCALIBUR YORK RITE COLLEGE

Em. Comp. Reijo Luoma was installed as the new Governor on Saturday, May 11th 2013.



Alpha Council Royal and Select Masters of Ontario



Nipissing Royal Ark Mariners



Royal Ark Mariner Degree





SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN

THE 100 MILLION DOLLAR CLUB

In March, we added five new members, Weldon (Mac) Mcivor, Mariane E. Leonard, Dave & Diane Hodgins, Robert G. Bryson (8 time donor), Irene M. Wherrell, to our 100 Million Dollar Club souvenirs Plaque. On behalf of all Shriners Children, we sincerely thank all donors in time of our need for building our new Montreal Shriener Hospital for Children

It takes over \$3.4 million of dollars a day to operate the 22 Shriners Hospitals for Children. The medical care given through this Shriners Hospital network has cured or substantially helped more than 1,000,000 children. That Shriners Hospitals provide the highest quality medical care to children regardless of the patient's or family's ability to pay.

The money to operate these 22 hospitals comes from several sources: the \$5 annual hospital assessment paid by each Shriner; monies raised by Shrine fund-raising events such the East/West Shrine Football Game and Shrine paper sales; and income from the Shriners Hospital for Children Endowment Fund. The endowment fund provides approximately 90 percent of the hospitals= operating incomes. This fund is supported by the gifts and bequests of **Shriners** and **non-Shriners** alike. As hospital costs climb and Shriners Hospitals continue to provide more specialized care and conduct more research, the financial need increases.

Too many people, both **Shriners** and **non-Shriners**, believe that if they cannot donate or leave a large sum or money, their gift will not count. Obviously, every contribution helps. **In order to encourage Shriners and non-Shriners to contribute to Shriners Hospitals for Children**, the **HUNDRED MILLION DOLLAR CLUB** was established in 1972. The club got its name from its goal of adding 100 million dollars to the endowment fund **through gifts or bequests of \$100 or more.**

How to join

There are three ways to become a member of the 100 Million Dollar Club: (1) By contributing \$100 or more to Shriners Hospitals for Children; (2) By having your will include a bequest of \$100 or more to Shriners Hospitals for Children; (3) By adding a provision to an existing will leaving \$100 or more to Shriners Hospitals for Children. All such contributions should be processed through your local Shrine temple Recorder. **Please fill out the enclosed application form, making your cheque payable to the Shriners Hospitals for Children and return both to the Sudbury Shrine Club. If you need more information, please feel free to phone WAH CHUNG AT 705-674-6159.**

What you receive

Each donor receives a handsome **100 MILLION DOLLAR CLUB certificate** from Rameses and a **receipt for Income Tax Purposes**, and a chance to **engrave your name on our 100 MILLION DOLLAR CLUB souvenirs plaque.** By contributing \$100, you can feel like a million, knowing that you have helped to ensure that Shriners Hospitals for Children will be able to continue helping children in the years to come. **Our goal is to help the crippled children, please give generously to the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children's Endowment Fund.**

Your generous donation will help the 22 Shriners Hospitals for Children in continuing its famous orthopaedic surgery, burn units, support for research, and new patient care technology.

Your gifts will make a greater difference in the live of children for years to come, and ensure that the SHRINERS HOSPITAL for CHILDREN will be here when we need it.

The following is the list of members whose names were engraved on our Sudbury Shrine Club's 100 Million Dollar Plaque.

Sudbury Shrine Club, Sudbury Shrine Club Oriental Band, Sudbury Shrine Club Colour Party, Algonquin Lodge #536. W. McNeice, E. R. Douglas, D Douglas, W. James, L Kasttari, W. Walker, J Woznow, R. Harper, M Harper, C Clark, W Gardner, P Gardner, M. Coulter, W. McKnight, N. Harper, D. McPhail, T. Wilson, A. Cressey, D Gamble, F Gamble, G. Lacelle, W Sauve, M. Gilbert, R. Mitchell, H. Wickenden, A Bjernes, G. Chambeers, J. Legge, L. Law, C. Kemp, J Pomerleau, W. Ashick, G. Faulkner, R. Faulkner, K. Faulkner, S. Faulkner, H. Clarke, F. Foote, C. Greekas, G. Hill, J Loney, D. Mckibbon, W. Muncaster, F. Roberts, P. Ruff, D. Belfry, L. Chuiпка, W. Groom, M. Talbot, R. McIntyre, J. Fex, C.E. Christson, J. D. Christson, K. Christison, S. Christison, W. L. Christison, T. Zaitz, R. Bryson, B. Bryson, D.A. Dolson, D.E. Dolson, G. Betancourt, R. Tincombe, H. Mckenney, K. Mckenney, H. Macleenan, A. McGinn, W. Phipps, J. Sliede, A. Wilson, H. Walker, D. Barnard, W. Ross, J. Gampbell, D. Couhlin, E. W. Douglas, J. Ferguson, J. Lazenby, C.A. Smith, T. Trainor, R. Zinkie, K. Kutschke, C. Beaumont, G. Thornton, G. Boyce(2 times), B. Cunningham, R. Eveson Sr., G. Fleming, W. Fuller, L. King, R. King, N. Lenart, T. Newburn, S. Smith, D. Barnes, N. Carscallen, W. Dryland, J. Hocking, L. Redden, G. R. Galbraith, W. G. Duval, M. Firth, T. Wilson, Lou's Used Cars, Barb Newburn, B. Quigley, W. Trayner, G.K.A. Kaattari, J.S. Asmundson, S.J.S. Fahey, A.Z. Kaattari, J. Bizley, M. Mckibbon, H. Mckibbon, P. Ramsey, R. Eveson Jr., G. Benness, G. C. Thornton, G. Boyce, G.E. Fleming, Investors Group, Homer T. Ralph, Colin S. Caswell, Ralph O. Murray, W. Chung, F. Harper, G. Campbell, G. Faulkner, H. Hunter, Cout Shuniah #228 I.O.F., Joanne Boyce, John Melville Hogdins, Harley Allman, Elmer & Elizabeth Zinke, Paul Campbell, Fora Harper, Wayne James, Sally Spence, Dr. Reg Hamby, Doug Smith, Barry B. Tooley, Craig D. Yeates, Marvin Firth, Robert N. Gordon, L. Clair Bracken, Robert G Bryson, George Nichols, Murraray Scott, Edward Patton, David James Draper, Allain R. Labelle, Robert G. Bryson(8 times), Peter Thureson, Eric T. Moore, Ronald, A Green, Laura Jacklin, Gordon Matheson, William Alex Scott, Marjorie Scott, Eva Chung, Wesley & Luella Ashick, Robert Hachez, John Beaudry, Carol Ramsey, Weldon(Mac) Mcivor, Mariane E. Leonard, Dave & Diane Hodgins, Irene M. Wherrell

If your name is not on the list, please INFORM ME WITH THE PROOF OF YOUR 100 Million Dollar Club Membership(copy of your certificate or Tax receipt). I am delighted to engrave your name on the plaque at once. If any mistake, please also kindly inform me, I will correct it as soon as possible.

May you be blessed by the Grand Architect and Creator of the Heaven and Earth and have an enjoyable season with family and friends.

Best wishes for a safety, Healthy and Enjoyable Session with Family and Friends

R.W. Bro. Wah Chung

Chairman for the Sudbury Shrine Club

Shriners Lottery and 100 Million Dollar Club



MOTORCYCLE & AUTO POKER RUN

VICTORIA DISTRICT MASONIC CHARITY RIDE

**SATURDAY, JULY
6TH, 2013**

Marshalling at Twigs Trent
Club Restaurant 8:30AM
(Twigs has a great breakfast)

First bikes and then autos will
move out by approximately
10:00 AM in small groups.

No Rain Date—Too Wet?,
Drive your Vehicle and bring
more friends.

BEST POKER HAND

First prize \$350.00
Second prize \$150.00
Third prize \$50.00

(Prize money based on minimum
of 40 participants)

FREE DRAW PRIZES

FOR

"A PLACE CALLED HOME"

TWIGS RESTAURANT

- (Hwy 48 West of Bolsover)



Participant Fee of \$35.00—includes poker hand, \$10:00 charity donation, meal.

Passenger fee is \$20.00 for meal & \$5.00 donation.(No poker hand)

Lunch provided on route & Hot Meal at Restaurant at the end of the ride

To Register on-line—<http://www.lornelodge.ca/charityride.php>

Click on the above link

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