

The TOOB

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Message from the Arch Bastard

Hello fellow TOOB here is an update of what you have been involved in over the last couple of months.

Wally Hill Memorial Golf Tournament

Delta Golf Course was the venue for the 27th annual TOOB/Legion 289 Wally Hill Memorial Golf Tournament and the wrap up dinner was once again held at RCL 289.

This year we had 14 teams and 56 players. Thanks to all players who participated and a BIG THANK YOU to the TOOB and Legion 289 members who took on the challenges of organizing the event and obtaining prizes. Three cheers to Wayne Clisby, and special kudos to Bob Tate for handling the entries and being the emcee at the dinner. Thanks to Vern Cope of Legion 289 for his extra efforts in getting door prizes, Terry Nylander and the Ladies Auxiliary for providing food and beverage service and to TOOB members Dave Bliss and Don Rodgers for manning the grill.

Tremendous gratitude is give to Chris Beveridge for his generous donation to the TOOB and to Legion 289 member John Ferguson for his highest bid on the Whistler Condo for a week. Support of the TOOB by these two men is outstanding, thank you both.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov 18, 2012

Annual General Meeting

Legion 289.

Xmas Hamper Program

December 17—21, 2012

Deliveries Saturday Dec 22

Volunteers needed.

Check out the new CALENDAR feature at:

[HTTP://WWW.TOOBNEWS.CA](http://www.toobnews.ca)



Men's Team Winners: Jamie Chubb ,Jim Mitchell, Bob Dowling and Alden Morgan



Mixed Team Winners:
Tim and Lorrie Hackel and Laurie and Natalie Ross

Message from the Arch Bastard continued:

THE TOOB executive wanted to provide a hands-on project for the community, in recognition of our 30 years in South Delta. We explored many possibilities. A park bench, Washrooms at Fred Gingell Park and others that turned out to be massively expensive. We voted on an easily identified, hand's on community project. The community Chessboard at Tsawwassen town Centre Mall is as unique as The TOOB it's self.

TOOB/Thrifty Foods– Smile Card Program

These cards are available to TOOB Members and those that wish to support our organization.

It's easy to use and support our cause. Pick up a card from Greg Watts; take it to the Thrifty Foods and load it up with money. As you make purchases, 5% of what you spend goes to the TOOB.

Please make every effort to get this card and tell your families and those close friends who know of your good work.



Because it is a project driven program, that does not deal with third parties, THE TOOB is using the proceeds from The Smile Card Program to pay for the **Community Chess Board** at the Town Centre Mall. In two months, TOOB Smile Card members have generated 450.00. Neat huh? Thrifty's is paying for it via what TOOB members and friends of The TOOB spend at their store. This is unique community project which was completed with the good work of South Delta Secondary students. And we are proud to allow the students to display their remarkable skills. Obtain a [Smile Card from Greg](#) to complete the project faster !

AND, the Arch Bastard challenges any and all TOOB members to a checker game at the mall. ANTE UP BOYS !! PLAY FOR A COFFEE OR A BEER, YOU CHOOSE, CAUSE YER GONNA LOOSE. !!!!



Message from the Arch Bastard continued:

Bursary

THE TOOB has issued its second 1000.00 Post Secondary Education Bursary to a deserving student who is worthy, because of academic success, citizenship and the knowledge that this bursary will be used to further high school studies. South Delta Secondary Student, Enrique Ciurlozza Parro is enrolled in UBC, Bachelor of Commerce at the Vancouver campus. We all wish him success. Next year, we will support a Delta Secondary Student.



Arch Bastard Greg Watt presenting bursary to Enrique Ciurlozza Parro

Sun Fest 2012.

What a blast TOOB members had. The Arch Bastard could only attend after his work shift, but it was clear it was run smoothly and competently by members, under the guidance of Straw Bosses Dave Bliss Bob Tate and Phil Cote. 65 shifts were covered by 35 members and supporters of The TOOB.

Mark Robbins was able to make it to the parade with his wonderful wheels after fixing a flat tire. And BC Guide dogs were given great exposure in the truck box. Smencils were issued and a big hit again, thanks Phil Cote for the Smencils. Several TOOB members made extraordinary efforts to attend for many hours on several days. Thank You. And to Mark Heywood and Jim Wilson, for their special contributions.

Visits to our food stand were in line with previous years. And with a minor price increase, the cash intake was comparable. Expenses, like everywhere were up, but the profit realized was similar to past years. All in all, Sun Fest is the best fund generator that we have, seconded by Bandfest. Both these events need to be supported by all members who are able to assist while the TOOB executive searches out further means of generating funds.

Tsawwassen Sun fest 2012



Official TOOB Float on parade route



TOOB Mark Robbins piloting his truck



Line up for the TOOB Food Tent



Enjoying World ? Famous curly fries



TOOB'S HARD AT WORK



TOOB'S COOLING OFF AT DAYS END

Message from the Arch Bastard continued:

Movie Night, town Center Mall

The TOOB once again supported the Tsawwassen BIA Movie Night. This was the 5th annual Movie Night and was once again a popular event. Monies raised in this years three movie nights went to support the Girl Guides Rivers End Rangers Group. The Girls worked along side the TOOB helping with sales and set up and clean up.

This year's movie Night at the Museum enticed folks to visit relics at The TOOB food tent! Visits to the TOOB tent generated \$1000.00 for the River's End Rangers.



Popcorns ready where's the crowd ?



River's End Rangers



What's a movie without a hot dog?

AGM:

This years Annual General Meeting will be held Sunday November 18 at the Royal Canadian Legion #289.

The event kicks off with a free breakfast at 09:00 and the meeting will commence shortly after. You will be contacted in the next while to confirm your attendance.

Two long serving TOOB executive members are stepping down this year:

Tom Nesbitt is stepping down as TOOB Secretary, and Don Rodgers volunteered himself for this very important position. Thanks Don. And Tom: You said it was best to say nothing. So here I go:

You are a remarkable Man. Your devotion to The TOOB and to the duties required has been so beneficial to our society. Always the wing-man at all events, Tom deserves honourable mention here in this letter and always in our thoughts. Tom can be found most mornings with a senior's coffee at the Tsawwassen MacDonald's. But you didn't hear that here. Thanks Tom.

Phil Cote is also stepping down after returning for the 2011-2012 year. His "book end " support was much appreciated as I got up to speed with the executive as Arch Bastard. Many thanks Phil.



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Editors Report

Hello fellow TOOB's, its time to think about upcoming events and enjoy the work we have done so far.

We have had a pretty good year of serving the community in South Delta, as you can see by the ARCH Bastards report we have been involved in many community events. These are events that aid and impact members of our community. We can be very proud of the work we do to assist those in need. Keep on volunteering, get involved and make time to be a TOOB.

UP COMING EVENTS

TOOB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday November 18, 2012 at Legion 289 in Tsawwassen. This is an important function of the TOOB and we hope for a strong turn out. This is a time to see some old friends and fellow TOOB'S and reflect upon the good work you did in the past year, and also enjoy a free breakfast. The Arch Bastard will update you with what has happened over the past year, what is coming up in the next short while. He will also address where the TOOB is heading. You will be contacted in the near future to confirm your attendance. Please make a point of attending.

RETIRING EXECUTIVE

As mentioned in the AB's Report, our long serving secretary Tom Nesbitt is relinquishing his role. Tom is one of the hardest working committed TOOB's I have known. I think he is at every event and then also takes on extra duties like stringing Christmas lights at Senior Centers. He is usually the first person to arrive for an event and one of the last to leave. He sets up and tears down, he cooks, he serves, he smiles, he makes everyone feel welcome. He also plays a pretty mean game of snooker. We will miss him as our secretary but we will continue to see him, probably at every event. Thanks Tom for all your hard work and commitment.




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Editors Report cont..

Also mentioned in the AB's report was that another long standing TOOB Executive was standing down. Phil Cote who has been a TOOB for many years and a member of the Executive forever will relinquish his position on the executive to open up room for new members. Phil is another dedicated TOOB who shows up to work at every event. He is one of the guys who you just assume will be there and he always is. His wealth of experience and knowledge has helped steer the course of the TOOB for many years. We will miss his clear voice sense of humour and ability not allowing the tough issues to slide in through the five hole.

Phil, thanks for the hard work and commitment.



CHRISTMAS HAMPER PROGRAM 2012

The Christmas Hamper program will run from December 17 to 21 with deliveries on Saturday December 22.

I will update you and hand out sign up sheets during the AGM. I am positive that the TOOB will as usual be one of the strongest supporting service clubs for this most worthwhile event..

As always if there are things that you would like to see in the newsletter or any comments please let me know.

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TOOB TREASURER'S REPORT

Well guys the Sun fest was a success as we have come to expect even although the feeling was the overall numbers were down. I'm pleased to report that we made a profit in the region of \$5.5K so well done to everyone who turned out and took a shift or two. We raised our prices slightly but there were no complaints from the public and it's some 3 years since we last did, so we are still giving great value for the money.

At the moment I'm working on making a re-application to the BC Lottery Commission so that we can continue with our grant. I will without doubt be asking for more like David Copperfield but there are no guarantees in this life and we may come up empty handed.

Remember to bring your dues subscription to the AGM on 18th November at the Royal Canadian Legion #289. It's still a modest \$15.00 for one year and a steal at \$25.00 for two years. I'll be there willing and able to take your cash or cheque sorry no credit cards yet.

Alastair Ross

Treasurer

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