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Membership is FREE! Simply send or email your name, year of graduation (Form 5), address, phone numbers and email address (if available) to us and we will include you in our mailing list. You may also choose to become a Patron Member of the Association by sending a one-time contribution of Can \$50 to us. The money is used to cover our administration costs like printing and mailing etc. Looking forward to include YOU in our contact list!

A message from the President....

The best period in my education life was my five years in QES. Our school motto "VOS PARATE UT SERVIATES" says it all, and exemplifies the positive attitude of every QES student to serve others. Through the QESOSA here in Toronto, I am fortunate enough



to have the chance to meet fellow QES grads from as far back as the 50s and as recent as the 90s. Although their age range span as much as forty years, there is always the same kind of quality that you find in them which is unmistakably "QES". This is especially true in the spirit you find in the people who made up the Board of Directors. Each and every one is eager to work, serve, contribute or simply help out. It is this kind of unselfishness and enthusiasm that keeps the Association going and it is this kind of relentless pursuit of excellence that propels the Association to where it is now. I salute all the pioneering ladies and gentlemen who have made this Association a reality. Their efforts are certainly not wasted and deeply appreciated.

This year, we are proud to launch our own QESOSA (Ontario) web site! The idea of having our own web site has been talked about for a long time, and it is only until recently, through the help of modern technology and a dedicated Board of Directors, that we are able to seriously work on the real thing. After a few months of experiment and trial runs, we think our site is ready for prime time! So far, we have received a lot of positive comments and encouragement from schoolmates all over the world. Please visit the site and send us your comments or suggestions. Details of the web site can be found on page four of this newsletter.

We are also proud to be the sponsor of a new QESOSA (Ontario) Scholarship for both the QESOSA Primary and Secondary Schools in Hong Kong. Thank you for all who donated generously to our Scholarship Fund. It is wonderful that we are able to contribute to such a worthy cause. You can read more about our new scholarship on page six of this newsletter.

Mark your calendar! The date July 7, 2001 (Saturday) is set for our main summer event. This year, we have selected a great site – Camp Robin Hood – which is only a short drive from the city. Bring your family and friends. We promise loads of food and fun. Details and pre-registration form can be found in this newsletter as well.

Remember, your active participation in our functions is the best thing you can do to keep your Association alive and strong.

Sincerely,

Jerry Liu Chi-Keung (68)

Upcoming Events

BBQ outing - Camp Robin Hood

Our QES camp wardens invite you, your family and friends to spend a fun-filled day at CAMP ROBIN HOOD in Markham. The camp offers large covered areas, jungle gyms/swings, and an outdoor in-ground heated pool.

Outdoor activities: mini-golf, baseball, beach volleyball, tennis - all clubs, balls, bats, racquets are provided except baseball gloves. The more people you bring, the better the deal, hurry and register, we can only take on the first 100 people.

Date & Time:

Saturday July 7, 2001 from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm

Games start at 11:30 am and resume after lunch.



QES camp wardens will organize fun games for the young and old. You can bring your bikes, freezies, and kites. No pets, no alcohol, and no smoking please.

Details:

BBQ lunch: 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm

UNLIMITED: hamburgers, hot-dogs, buns, and chips

Plenty: drinks, green salad, and sweet juicy water melons

The set cost includes admission, BBQ lunch, and all the above-mentioned facilities.

Optional activity: archery (with supervision-children as young as 4 years old can play)

Pay now \$3 per person, pay at the picnic \$5 per person

Cost:

1 person - \$20

2 people - \$40

3 people - \$55

4 people - \$70

5 people - \$85

6 people - \$100

(Children age 5 and under free)

Registration

Law Sin-Hung

James So

Inquiries:

Ann Ma

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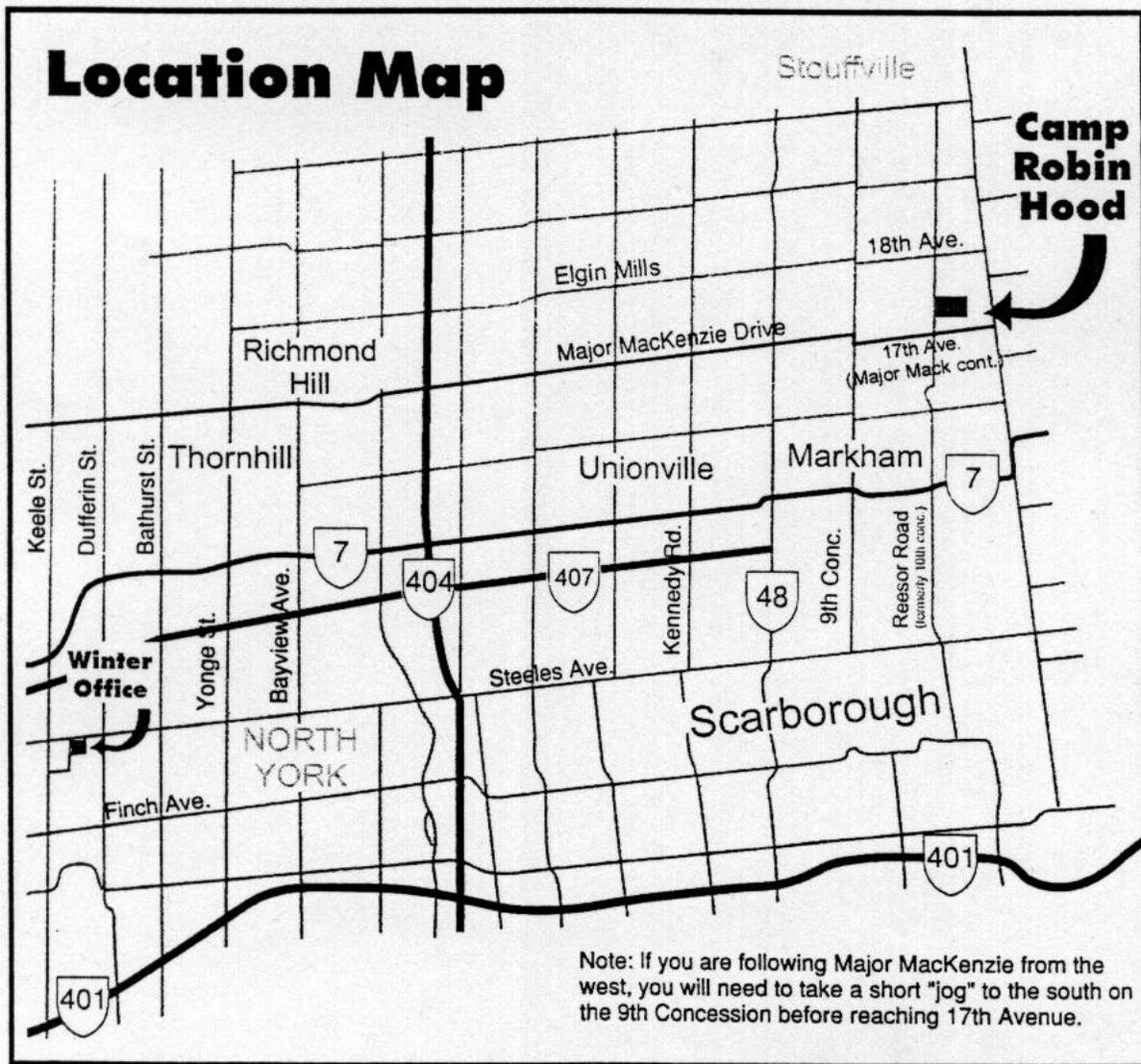
Emergency contact on July 7th

Jerry Liu

Nancy Tang



From the West: (for the majority of families) Take Major MacKenzie East to the end (the 9th Line). Turn Right onto the 9th Line (south) for 100 yards. Make first Left turn onto 17th Avenue (the continuation of Major MacKenzie) and drive to the stop sign. Make a Left turn onto Reesor Road (North) and drive 400 meters to Camp Robin Hood.



Please confirm your attendance no later than June 22nd.

**Please make cheque payable to QESOSA (Ontario). Thanks **

Name:

Year (Form 5).....

Tel: (home)

(work)

Number of people: Children under 5 free

Optional activity: archery - \$3 per person Number of participants:.....

Total amount remitted for party: = \$.....

QESOSA (ONTARIO) WEB SITE ONLINE!

Finally, we have our own web site! The web site address is

<http://pages.zdnet.com/qesosaont/qesosaont/>

Please feel free to come in and browse. Inside you will find the latest news and announcements, photo album, history of our Association, school song and member listing. You may even download our newsletters! Be sure to come and visit our site often because there will be updates from time to time. You are also invited to sign our guest book and share your comments with your fellow schoolmates. Who knows, just by putting your name down might help some long lost classmates to make contact with you. The possibilities are endless....

If you want to contact us via email, we now have our own centralized email address: qesosaont@yahoo.ca. Your suggestions and comments are definitely welcome. In the mean time, enjoy!



(Back of Registration form)

Join our
BBQ outing
at
Camp Robin Hood!!

Annual General Meeting 2000



A tremendous turnout at our 2000 AGM provides everybody with a memorable evening, which includes a fabulous dinner, games, prizes and most importantly, hours of reminiscing the good old days of being a QES student....



QESOSA 2002 Reunion in San Francisco

QESOSA, BC and QESAAUSA have initiated a 2002 Reunion in San Francisco, U.S.A. The dates has been tentatively set for June 29, 2002 to July 5, 2002. This is a heads up announcement for all interested members.

More information will be posted on our web site when they become available. This is an excellent opportunity for you to meet your fellow schoolmates in North America.



School Song

Bring to our song the thankful soul,
The loving thought, the shining dream;
And let us all as one ex-tol
Our general and our several theme,
Our school of royal title.
Bring great gladness to her honouring.

Elizabeth a queenly name
Begins the song and so begun
Fair be our School's advance and fame
And ever new her glory won,
The Glory of the wise and good
And old truth newly understood.

May knowledge from our works increase
And serve the world and spread the light;
Be ours to share an active peace,
Among ourselves first learned aright;
And from this School let this be shown,
"Twas mine, but was not mine alone."

Now close the song, and close in full.
Re-echo, "Queen Elizabeth School".

My QES Bridge

Wayne Lau (58)

It was indeed a very pleasant surprise to me to see so many QES old boys and girls at the 2000 AGM. Being a newly retired old boy of 1958 I thought I was the oldest among the crowd. Not true, I met two of my seniors, one 1957 and one 1956. When participants took turn to introduce themselves, I was once more surprised to know there were a few very young ones, as young as 1997. What a span of more than forty years in between!

Looking back I see my years at QES appear as big steps on a bridge. I call it MY QES BRIDGE, crossing which leads me to where I am. The man who allowed me to take my first step on this bridge was Mr. Cheung Wai Fung, first principal of QES. He responded to my application based on my record in another school and admitted me to Form 4F in 1956. This, no doubt, was a turning point in my life. I crossed this bridge in 1960 finishing Form Upper 6.

After a separation of more than forty years, I called on my QES chemistry teacher Mr. Chi Kai Fai and my biology teacher Miss Ruth Wong in Toronto, memories and emotions overwhelmed.

The New

QESOSA (Ontario)

VOS PARATE UT SERVIATIS



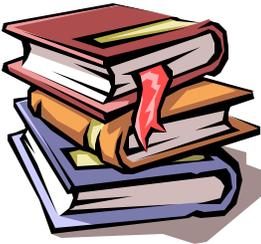
Scholarship



QESOSA (Ontario) was the first overseas old student association to initiate a scholarship fund in support of our mother organization, QESOSA (HK). We are glad to see that over the past few years, other overseas OSAs have also shown active participation in this worthy endeavor.

Early this year, our Board of Directors have taken up the challenge to better ourselves in our commitment to supporting this scholarship. A series of Board meetings were held and communications were established with Mr. Tang Kwai-Tai (who is the principal of QESOSA Primary School) and Mr. Tsoi Heung-Sang (who is one of the founders of QESOSA Schools). After a few exchanges of ideas, the following decisions were made and agreed:

1. QESOSA (Ontario) will commit HK\$2,000 each year for this scholarship fund for five years.
2. The HK\$2,000 will be split into two halves, one of which goes towards the QESOSA Primary School Scholarship Fund and the other goes to the QESOSA Secondary School Scholarship Fund.
3. The HK\$1,000 for the Primary School will be further split into two scholarships of HK\$500 each.
4. The decision on whether to split the HK\$1,000 for the Secondary School is pending.
5. The scholarship(s) shall be awarded to students, who, in addition to their good academic results, also demonstrated their dedication in serving others.
6. The scholarship is to be named the 'QESOSA (Ontario) VOS PARATE UT SERVIATIS Scholarship'.



Mr. Tang and Mr. Tsoi and their Board members were in total agreement with the above decisions. Two money orders each valued at HK\$1,000 were mailed out to them separately last week. We are glad and proud that we can contribute to such a meaningful project.

Form representatives:

56-58 Tony Yue
 59-60 Au Chi Sing
 61 Henry Lee
 62 Thomas Liu
 63 Cheung Kwok Hing
 64 Lee Chung Kwong, Charles

65 George Wong
 67 Mak Kai Sum
 68 Ngai Yau Cheung, Michael
 69-70 Patrick Lum
 72+ Milton Chan