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President's Message Senator J Rene Jacob sen.ren22847@shaw.ca

Putting up a new calendar really points out that more than half my year as President has already gone by. As a matter of fact we will be in Victoria selecting my successor in four months. This leads directly into:

The Nominations and Election committee has received the following nominations for 2011-2012. For President: Senator Lloyd Stockdale 20377 - Toronto, ON and for Vice President: Senator Blair Fraser 36339 - Surrey, BC.

In accordance with our Terms of Reference, candidates for President for 2011-2012 must reside east of the Manitoba/Ontario border and for Vice President West of the Manitoba/Ontario border. Both these nominations meet that requirement. Nominations will remain open until just prior to the election time at the General Assembly in Victoria.

We have also received one bid to host the 2012 Crew Meeting from the London, ON Senators. This bid meets the location requirements in the Terms of Reference.

The most recent report from the 2011 Crew Meeting hosting committee in VICTORIA, BC shows that 120 registrations have been received. If you have not yet registered: following are two good reasons why you'd better do it soon. First: The cruise on the Royal Canadian Navy frigate complete with a tour of a working Navy ship, breakfast and lunch is restricted to the first 200 registrants. Second: Hotel rooms are at a premium in Victoria on that particular weekend and the reserved block of rooms will soon have to be released. Unless you plan on tenting on the lawns at the Provincial Legislature, you must book your room soon.

By the time you receive this I will be heading to Nashville, Tennessee for the US JCI Senate Winter Board Meeting. Hopefully the snow storms in the US will have subsided by then. I expect to bring back a number of registrations for the Crew Meeting, leaving even less spots available on the Navy frigate cruise.

There have been a number of new Senatorships presented over the past few months. Congratulations to all the new Senators and my apologies to Robert Fiume 69907 of Kelowna who we identified as Gordon Fiume in the last Newsletter.

The RETURN THE FAVOUR salute this month goes to Senators Phillip Elchitz 66202 and Jackie Ward 68855 who are helping with the extension of a new chapter in Williams Lake, BC. If you know anyone in the area - either a potential member or a business-person who might have eligible staff members, please send the information to Jackie at jackwards@hotmail.com.

Past President Paul Winger 23735 is chairing the "Future of the Senate" committee and will be organizing a meeting for interested Senators on the Friday evening of the Crew Meeting in Victoria. Everybody is welcome to attend.

Hope to see many of you in Victoria. It is going to be an outstanding crew meeting.

We still have 110 Canada JCI Senate 2010 Directories remaining on hand for sale. If you wish to purchase a copy, please forward \$15.00 directly to our Secretary Treasurer Senator Barney C Ziola 14018, 8500 Bairdmore Crescent, Richmond, BC V7C 1M7. Make cheque payable to the "Canada JCI Senate". Also if you make a contribution of your choice of \$50.00 or more, you will automatically receive a copy of the 2010 Directory.

"We will remember them"
BLOW, Alfred H 114 – Nov 28, 2010
SCOTT, D Trevor 15967 – Dec 17, 2010

"Welcome – New Senators"
FIUME, Pasquale R 69907 (Correction)
MILLER, Michelle 70263 – Brantford, ON

| Calendar of Events | | |
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| Mar 04 – 05, 2011 | US JCI Senate Region VI Spring Meeting | Branson, MO |
| Mar 18 – 20,, 2011 | US JCI Senate Region V Spring Fling | Romulus, MI |
| | Contact: Don McDurmom – dmcdcujmon@att.net | |
| Mar 31 – Apr 02, 2011 | MAI 2011 Maryland JCI Senate | Timonium, MD |
| | Contact: Diane Baerveldt – diane.baeveldt@gmail.com/301-776-450 | <u>06</u> |
| Mar 31 – Apr 03, 2011 | ASE Spring Meeting | Brussels, BE |
| | Contact: Francoise Defauw – <u>fr.defauw@skynet.benr</u> | |
| May 04 – 07, 2011 | JCI Americas Conference – Willemntad | Curacao |
| | Contact: Carmen Torres – juniormex@prodigy.net.mx | |
| May 19 – 22, 2011 | Canada JCI Senate 2011 Crew Meeting | Victoria, BC |
| | Contact: David Trace - davidtrace@shaw.ca/Brian Small - bjsmall@ | shaw.ca |
| May 26 – 29, 2011 | JCI Asia-Pacific Conference | Manila, PH |
| | Contact: Jing Carlos – pablocarlos111@yahoo.com | |
| Jun 01 – 05, 2011 | JCI European Conference & ASE Board/Annual Meeting | Tarragona, ES |
| | Contact: sue Miller – <u>sue@millers.me.uk</u> - www.jciec2011.cat | |
| Jun 03 – 04, 2011 | London JCI Senate Golf Weekend | London, ON |
| | Contact: Vik Farrugia – <u>shirvik@rogers.com</u> | |
| Jun 10 – 12, 2011 | 75th Annual Reunion of the US Crew of the SS Fellowship | Lisle, IL |
| | Contact: Kim Newlin – log@jcisenator@msn.com | |
| Jun 12 – 17, 2011 | US JCI Senate Annual Meeting | Naberville, IL |
| | Contact: Wayne Kiefer – wkief@charter.net | |
| Oct 14 – 16, 2011 | US JCI Senate Region I Fall Frolic 2011 | New London CT |
| | Contact: Jack Pasquale - jackpasquale@sbcglobal.net/860-739-63- | <u>42</u> |

Vice President – Senator Lloyd L Stockdale 20377 – Iloyds20377@rogers.com

I trust everyone one had a very Merry Christmas and an enjoyable Holiday with family and friends. It seems so long ago now. I send Happy New Year to everyone and good luck in the coming months.

December 1st, the GTA Senate Group elected Mark Ellwood, 58192 President for the 2011 year. Congratulations.

On Christmas Day Gloria and I picked up Roast Turkey Dinners from Denny's and spent the afternoon with our former US Senate Ambassador Jim Harmaty 31809. We had a wonderful time and Jim was in good spirits. Any Senators, who happen to be in the Buffalo, NY area, please take the time to stop in and say hello to Jim. He would love to see you.

Contribution of your choice; Please consider supporting President Rene by way of a contribution to the Senate and attending the Crew Meeting in Victoria in May. It is only 4 months away. Any Senators who wish to send in their contribution electronically can do so by sending an INTERAC e-Transfer to my E-Mail address, with your comments and I will get it to our Secretary/Treasurer.

On January 8, I had the opportunity to attend the Great Lakes & Central Regions LOTs meeting. They had a good turnout with clubs from JCI: Brantford, St. Catharines, Toronto & Whitby. There were 3 Past National Presidents in attendance: Jim Bradfield 59359; Ralph Machon 61679; Louis Trahan 63179 & the President of the GTA Senate Group, Mark Ellwood, 58192. There was also a very special guest Don Bales 66068 President of the JCI Sydney, Australia Chapter. The course presenters were Senators Louis, Jim & Mark. The meeting was organized and chaired by one of our newer Senators Michelle Miller 70263 President of the Region. She did an excellent job and I enjoyed the day very much. We certainly have some dedicated members involved and I just hope the Senators will get behind these people and help them grow. Any Senators who wish to help can contact me or Senator Michelle and we will put you in touch with the members that would appreciate anything you can do.

I would like to remind you again that Senate supplies that can be ordered through myself. An order form can be found in this Newsletter. Some of the supplies we have available are; a Senate Crest that can be put on a blazer. The crest comes with gold lettering on a blue background with your Senate number across the top. They are very attractive and cost \$25.00. We still have some of the antique pins from the 1984 JCI XXXIX World Congress held in Montreal and cost \$5.00. Anyone wishing to purchase supplies please do so by filling out the order form and sending it to me. Your requests will be attended to forthwith.

Secretary Treasurer Barney C. Ziola 14018 - canadajcisenate@shawcable.com

I have on hand two articles for "The Road We Travel" for the Canada JCI Senate Newsletters. So come on any Senators between 143 to the latest and Maple Leafs, you now have the time to sit down and compose an article for future Newsletters starting in April/May 2011. For the comments that have been received, members of the Canada JCI Senate and JCI Canada are really enjoying the articles that we have received and published in the past. I now challenge all Senators and Maple Leafs who have not submitted an article to take the time for the rest of us to read about them in the Newsletter. Tell us how you got involved in the JCI organization, the community you live in and what inspired you to become active in this great organization. A large number of Senators and Maple Leafs would not like to see "The Road We Travel" end as we know that each and every one of you have a very interesting story to tell.

Any member or associate member who would like to send in a story (true or funny) that actually happened between the times you joined the Jaycee/Jaycette organizations and now may do so. These stories, if you wish should include the names of others who participated in the event.

Senator William Koroluk 4952

Dear Barney, at my age I need a kick to get started and thanks for the kick. My ten years in Jaycees were a pleasant experience and I was a better person for it. Listed below are some recollections of the more interesting things that I remember doing and being part of:-

As a twenty-five year old staff member of the Saskatchewan Provincial Department of Health, I was transferred to the Lloydminster District office. Lloydminster straddles the 3rd Meridian which is also the border separating Alberta and Saskatchewan. Within a short period of time while fuelling up my car at Skinner Motors, I was approached by two employees who were also active Jaycees. They welcomed me to the community and asked me to join them at the Jaycee dinner meeting. I accepted this invitation and enjoyed the meal, the fellowship and the subjects under discussion. The contents of the Creed and the role of the organization in self-betterment and community service were to my liking and I decided to pay my dues and become a member. A few weeks later I was officially inducted and received my pin from Senator Ross Smyth 37 the National President who was visiting units in Alberta.

It was the May long weekend which was an exciting period for the local membership. This was the weekend that the Grande Prairie unit was hosting the Provincial Convention. I was eager to go with several other members, packed into two cars and headed to Edmonton to share bus transportation with that unit. We climbed on board and headed north-west! At about Whitecourt, we were welcomed by black smoke and a short time later, stopped at a Police barricade. Apparently a forest fire was threatening some communities and the Police were conscripting all able-bodied men to help fight the fire. Fortunately for us our President Dick Rendek a successful lawyer was our spokesman. He was obviously very convincing since we were allowed to proceed. The convention was a whirlwind of activities and sleep was the last item on the agenda. Beyond sleep our hustling paid off since our candidate Clayton Reeves was declared the incoming Provincial President.

After a brief summer recess our New Year started and I got my feet wet in Communities activities. In time I was assigned the Chairmanship of the Community Service Committee and together with three or four other members identified the various activities that we would tackle. These were approved by our Director and with enthusiasm plus hard work we successfully finished what we started. This work had its benefits when at year-end and during the presentation of awards at the President's Ball I was honored as Outstanding Jaycee and also Chairman of the Year.

In the next few years as a member of the Executive and later as President and Past President, I attended all the Provincial Conventions. With the exception of the Medicine Hat Convention, the business sessions were interesting; however the after-hours action seemed quite tame. At the time of the Medicine Hat Convention I was already married, so went to bed early; however, it was a short night – before sunrise, the Wake up Committee appeared at our door pushing a wagon that carried a water closet (toilet). The toilet seat was raised and lo and behold the bowl was full of stale beer with pepperoni sausages swimming about! So I held my nose and after taking a deep breath gulped the stuff down. I was then given a two piece jail suit and told to report to a Jailer standing at the front door. Here all the Senators and Past Presidents were given a barn broom and at sunrise swept part of the main street. At the end of the business block we climbed onto a wagon and hayrack which was pulled by a farm tractor and were taken to a respectable restaurant for a breakfast fit for a King.

My year as Past President was a busy one since we were blessed with our first addition, a baby girl. Our Jaycee unit under the leadership of a radio personality saw impressive growth in membership and activities. We had a good club, and the decision was made that I should enter our club in competition for an Excellence Award at the Paris World Congress.

The documentation was extensive and precise, and it came as a shock when we were notified that the Lloydminster Jaycee group was selected as a runner-up to the outstanding club in the World in our population class.

Clayton Reeves 1703, a hard working Jaycee after serving in different Executive positions at Region and Provincial levels decided to enter his name as a candidate for National Office. During a three year term, he ran for the position of Vice President, then as President. I was his campaign chairman and attended conventions in Victoria, BC, Hamilton, ON and Saskatoon, SK. I traveled by train, minus a sleeper room, because of finances, and the bulky nature of the promotional material. The conventions were a fabulous experience and I met some of the nicest people. Unfortunately, Clayton was unsuccessful in filling the position of National President. It was, however, a learning experience to see how horse-trading between units was a successful means of getting votes. The July 1st banquet featured the Premier of the host Province as Guest Speaker. One Premier from Western Canada spent close to an hour complaining about the bad treatment the "feds" were giving his Province. It was rather embarrassing since we had a number of foreign Jaycees present. On another occasion the Premier of a smaller Province took time to get acquainted with the Jaycee Creed, and then spoke passionately on "That service to humanity is the best work of life". It was a speech worth listening to and he was given a standing ovation.

Toward the latter years in my Jaycee career, I chaired the Provincial Education and Youth Activities Committee and developed a Child Safety Program. I arranged with the Alberta department of Health to donate a suitable trophy to a Jaycee unit carrying out the most effective Child Safety Program. The project was well received by the units and a number of innovative ideas were developed and executed and competition was keen. The project and resultant catalogue prepared by the Medicine Hat unit was selected overall best for two years running. During the first year of the project, the Provincial Convention was also at Medicine Hat and at the time of awards presentation, I was thrilled to be selected as the Outstanding Provincial Chairman (I suspect that my involvement in the Child Safety project was a major consideration). In reviewing this selection, it was determined that the runner up for the award was one of my school mates, who was then a successful lawyer in Calgary.

Lloydminster was identified as the heavy oil capital of Canada and the fluctuating values of oil had a bearing on population swings in the community and thus membership numbers in the Jaycee unit. It was through the hard work and dedication of Jaycees such as Wilf Watson 1371, Jack Allen 2730, Clayton Reeves 1703, Axel Foght 2731 and Orville Berg 4221 (in time they were all honored with Senatorship as shown) that kept the club alive during the low times. In addition, they played a leading role in promoting membership and developing programs for newcomers who continued the good Jaycee work. (Note: This entire group mentioned above has passed away except Axel Foght who lives in Victoria, BC).

During my time on the Executive and especially as President, it was comforting to know that any and/or all of the above were only a phone call away when help was needed. Much of this advice was beneficial, not only to the Jaycees, but also to my personal and professional life.

(Note: When talking to William on the telephone in November 2010, he mentioned to me that the Alberta members should remember the story about Vodka at Jaycee conventions in their Province in the early days. He would not and did not tell me the full story, so come on you Jaycees from Alberta let us all know what happened — Barney).

US JCI Senate Ambassador to Canada JCI Senate Senator Phyllis Bowers 51430 - phyllisbow@aol.com

Greeting my Friends from the very cold and snowy states: I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday!

We look forward to having President Rene in Nashville for our Winter Meeting January 19-22. I have put some of the upcoming events that are happening in the US for the months of Feb & Mar. If you close to, you may want to come to enjoy our hospitality. If you are going to any of these events, please E-Mail me and let me know. Thanks

Feb 4-5 Wisconsin Winter Meeting, Appleton, WI February 4-5 Pennsylvania Quarterly meeting, Grantvilla, PA February 24-27 Mini National 30th Anniversary, Pigeon Forge, Mar 4-6 Region VI Spring Meeting, Branson, MO Mar 18-20 Region V Spring Fling, Romulus, MI TN Mar 25-26 Region VII Meeting, Kenner, LA Mar 31-Apr 3 MAI Region II/III Meeting, Timonium, MD

<u>Canada JCI Senate – 2011 Crew Meeting – Senator George S Robbins 11230 – g.robbins@shaw.ca</u> Senator David W Trace 27821 – davidtrace@shaw.ca/Cell 250-721-4201

Happy/Healthy New Year to all with "Greetings" from the city of flowers and sunshine – and hosts of the 2011 "Meeting of the Crew".

As of December 2010 we have 118 registered delegates! Now, with only a bit over four months to go, it is time for those who haven't registered to make plans to come to Victoria before we run out of room – and I'm serious about this.

If you have never been to Victoria, or if it has been a long time since you visited us, it is time to come and see Canada's wonderful spot of paradise on Canada's west coast. We are blessed with a Mediterranean climate zone; in May our town will be spectacular with flowers – not only at the World Famous Butchart Gardens, but in most private gardens in town. Our Crew Meeting takes place right in the Inner Harbor of Victoria and you are only minutes away from attractions, tours, shopping, fine dining, English Tea, Chinatown, walkways along the water and even gin and tonic!

We will be taking our guests on a Canadian Navy frigate out into the waters of Juan de Fuca. On Saturday night we will be having the Presidents Reception at Government House – the residence of our Sovereign when she visits our town.

Our Committee will now start work on filling in the "enhancements" for your visit. It can only get better – particularly if YOU are here with us. See you in May 2011

Victoria Senate Executive 2011 "Meeting of the Crew" Committee - George S Robbins 11230, Eric Charman 4216, Brian J Small 6444, Lorne J Whyte 10937 and Dave **W Trace 27821**

Mid Canada JCI Senate Report - Vice President Senator Art Braid 6211 - braids@mts.net

We trust you all had a great holiday season and are entering 2011 with renewed vigor. Unfortunately, our Past President Dennis Dempsey 15353 underwent a six hour emergency operation for colon cancer on Dec 9. After a ten day hospital period he returned home to the TLC of Marion. His prognosis is optimistic but the time for recovery will be a long one.

I must comment on the excellent promotion for the Meeting of the Crew by David Trace and his crew. There is no doubt that this will be a Crew Meeting to remember – how can you beat a warship cruise and a Lieutenant Governor's reception at Government House and Victoria too. Bill Enefer 8136, Mike Pearson 25378 and yours truly from Mid Canada have already registered.

Canada JCI Senate Bed Nets Campaign NOW at 1139 January 17, 2011 Senator J Joseph Hogan 29280 – joe.hogan@rogers.com/905-728-2558

We are still open 24/7.....with Senators and Friends from across Canada continuing to remind themselves of our special project. It's always a delight (and most encouraging too) to receive a donation with a note attached recognizing that the Canada JCI Senate is on the right path with this project. Many Senators have appreciated the opportunity to participate and we are now starting to see many repeat donations as we move to the close of our second year. Thanks to everyone who donated in 2010 and took our total well over the 1100 bed nets mark. I invite all of you to have a look at the JCI website (www.jci.cc) to learn more about this program worldwide and to see how other organizations are connected and participating in helping JCI reach that 1,000,000 bed nets mark by 2015.

Senators are reminded of the donation/acknowledgement form posted on the Canada JCI Senate website (www.canadajcisenate.com). If you need to make an immediate donation of a Bed Net as a memorial or for any celebration feel free to print the form, attach it to card and send your cheque to me later. Often times we all need to make an immediate donation...let's remember our JCI Bed Nets Campaign at these times. I am pleased to send Bed Nets acknowledgements on your behalf by Canada Post at any time.

The "47 passenger yellow school bus" analogy again...! Our Canada JCI Senate Bed Nets Campaign has raised funds that have every child on over 23 buses with a bed net in hand for their family. What a terrific accomplishment Senators and Friends! That's pretty good line up of full busses in any town! "Our busses" are helping stop the spread of Malaria. Please think of this analogy next time you see a school bus in your town...and be proud of our collective efforts.

Senators who wish to donate a Bed Net please forward your cheque to:

Canada JCI Senate Bed Nets Campaign c/o Joe Hogan, Senator 29280, 700 Grierson St. Oshawa ON L1G 5J5 Donation /Acknowledgement Form also available at www.canadajcisenate.com. Each bed net costs \$10.00.

Proudly listed below are the "Bed Nets Senators" and Senate Friends for December "Thanks for Giving"....

Sally/ Allen Pasquale 28944 Durham Senate Group W D Mortison 13429 Obed Matthews 1689 Nigel Schilling 21594 Marilyn/David Bachly 4509 Laurie Campbell- Friend Don Thomas 3874 Marilyn ML152/Robert English 35287

Molly/Barney Ziola 14018 Annie ML 068/Rick Morgan 26501 Joe Hogan 29280 George Johnson 5765 Plan to be a Bed Nets Senator in 2011. Your donation of \$10.00 will purchase one bed net and contribute to the JCI Bed Nets Campaign. We can make an important difference in the life of a young child by helping to stop the spread of Malaria in Sub Saharan Africa.

Send a Net....Save a Life

<u>Greater Toronto JCI Senate – Senator J Mark Ellwood 58192 – mark@getmoredone.com</u>

What motivates a twenty-five year old to change the world? This question is on my mind this year as I have the honor of being President of the Toronto and District Senate for the second time – the first being nine years ago. I enjoy maintaining connections with Senators and active Jaycees. But there are fewer active Jaycees than when I was a member. The downward trend has been a challenge for the organization for a long time. Recently, I conducted officer training for some Ontario chapters where we discussed opportunities and threats to the organization. We all know the potential of JCI to build leadership skills and a better community. But I asked the group what is different about today's twenty-five year old? Why aren't they interested? One thought was that Jaycees are oriented towards change while most other young people are oriented towards contentment. Another suggests that while young people want depth in their lives, they aren't prepared to spend the time to achieve it. Hence networking through the Internet is an easier choice. Another possibility is that there are more activities available out there to compete with. And finally, it was suggested that there is not enough time. As a time-use expert, I was quick to refute this last theory. There has always been enough time for those who want change in their lives. So the mystery remains - how to appeal to young people to join our movement. We continue in our quest to make a difference.

Join us on March 2 at noon at Bumpkins restaurant in Toronto to hear from Victor Willis, Executive Director of the Parkdale Activity Recreation Centre to hear how his organization is making a better community.

WELDON, Harry O 5881 - 610 - 415 Greenview Ave, Ottawa, ON K2B 8G5 (R613-596-4733) (E-Mail: weldonh@primus.ca) (Helen Governor 47) - Senator Alfred H Blow 114 passed away on November 24, 2010. Senator Edgar Simpson 61069 and I attended the wake and found the children and gran children much aware of his Jaycee affiliation. Alf was a true Londoner, born there in 1919. In the early days of radar he taught radar to the RCAF and USAF became an RAF radar specialist and in 1941 at the age of 22 arrived in Canada. His management career in electronics culminated as Managing Director of Racal Canada and Racal World. While in Amprior, Ontario he became President of the Arnprior Junior Chamber and, as a Jaycee project he designed and built the translation equipment that was used at the Jaycee National Convention held at Montreal in 1947 – a first for any organization in Canada. Encouraged by this example and the Jaycees, Parliament soon adopted simultaneous translation. Alf was rightfully proud of his contribution to our history. Over the 30 plus years that I convened the JCI Senators in Ottawa, Alf seldom missed a gathering. He and Doris joined a tour of South Africa hosted by Edgar Simpson and myself in 1988. In Kruger Park, we jointly sat in an open Landrover while 11 lionesses walked by within seven feet of us. I have not forgotten that, against the advice of our guide, he stood up after they had just passed us. The LOUD click of the camera caused all 11 heads to turn. A scolding from the guide (and a change of underwear for all, ended the evening. Alf was a talented wonderful fun-loving family man who loved and was a credit to the Jaycees. He will be much missed by family and friends. Our sincere condolences go out to Doris and his daughter and two sons.

CIRNE, Raul 14497 – 49 Fairway Cr, Brockville, ON K6V 3V1 (R613-342-3181) (Fax: 613-342-3181) (E-Mail: rcirne@bell.net) (Esther) – Following is an update on the passing of Senator D Trevor 15907. My wife and I have had Sunday breakfast with Trevor for well over 20 years, and when he didn't turn up December 19th, we went to his building and got the Superintendent to use his pass key. Trevor was lying in his favorite spot – a recliner in front of the TV and had died in his sleep from a massive heart attack, one artery being 95% blocked. He looked as though he was asleep - completely at ease and very peaceful. Trevor has been cremated with just a private viewing, and his ashes are to be interred in the family grave on April 30th which happens to be his birthday. His brother and sister weren't going to have any chance for his friends to gather but changed their minds on Monday at the urging of the Superintendent of the condo building. Trevor and the Superintendent had gone to high school together and I used to work with him so there's quite a lot of connection there. I managed to get several of his friends from our years in the Brockville unit to attend which together with his other friends from the building, his church and other sources of contact resulted in an overflow turnout yesterday. There were a few tears, but much laughter as we went down memory lane.

<u>HOGAN, J Joseph 29280 – 700 Grierson St, Oshawa, ON L1G 5J5 (R905-728-2558) (E-Mail: joe.hogan@rogers.com) (Diane)</u> – I am happy to send along a few dollars to help keep the Senate rolling. Thanks Barney and Rene for your work on our behalf. Wonderful news with "our Bed Nets Campaign" in the last Newsletter is sure to have real Bed Net Senators...you can't beat them! Great work on the new Senate Directory...what a tremendous effort and a great resource...thanks to all involved! Durham Region JCI Senators continue to march on with their quarterly "meetings"...now in our 27th year. We are always open to seeing Senators from around the area, so plan to meet us at Murphy's Pub in

downtown Oshawa on February 23rd for a little fun and fellowship! We never know who will come through the door! Best wishes to all Senators and their families for a wonderful holiday season with good health and happiness in 2011. (Joe – Yes the Oshawa Senators did a great job on putting the Bed Net Campaign over the top of the goal of 1000 – Barney).

NEILSON, Roger G 1662 - 396 Village Cr, Kitchener, ON N2M 4V3 (R519-744-6445) (E-Mail:

froger.neilson@sympatico.ca) (Cherie) – I still enjoy reading the Newsletter, but find that I am recognizing fewer and fewer of the names. Understandable when it was 55 years ago when I was a Jaycee President. I am fortunate to still be around. (Roger – It is great to hear from you. It's always a pleasure to hear that a four digit Senator still enjoys the Newsletter and thank you for the contribution – Rene).

WARE, James C 27774 – 33 Hercules Court, Brampton, ON L6S 1X6 (R905-791-3310) (ELIZABETH) – Another year has passed by, so I have enclosed an annual contribution to help with the coffer. I send sincere best wishes and much success and happiness to all in 2011. (James – We thank you for your contribution. All contributions in the amount of your choice are what keep the Senate going – Rene).

THORNHILL, Roland J 2807 – 24 Macleod St, Baddeck, NS B0E (R902-295-3418) E-Mail: failte@ ns.sympatico.ca) (Mary) – I have enclosed my contribution and best wishes for a Happy New Year. (Roland – All members also wish you the best for the New Year – Barney).

TRACE, David W 27821 – 2178 Wenman Drive, Victoria, BC V8N 2S2 (R250-472-2069) Fax: 868-729-69170) (E-Mail: davidtrace@shaw.ca) (Lynne ML 203) – The contribution is enclosed and a bit more than usual so Barney can buy some new pencils. When I wrote this note Senator Neil McLennan 8938 and Maureen from Edmonton have registered. I do believe that we are going to have a party! I'd like to point out that our goal is to "reunion" rather than sit around and listen to speakers and eat rubber chicken. Our two main events are planned so that people can mingle with each other. Every chance we get we want to remind people planning on coming that it's May Day weekend in Victoria, the town is packed, so plan your hotel and transportation in advance or you'll end up in Rene's room. Other than Crew "stuff" I had lots of time at not working. Lynne and I did a Panama cruise in November. Still playing on my boat any change I can get. We were in the Victoria Harbor this weekend doing "Parade of Lights" – right in front of the Crew hotel. I'd do it then, but the sunlight waters down the Christmas Lights. (David – Thank you and the Victoria Crew Meeting will be awesome – Rene).

Simmons, Richard C 24558 – 46 – 93 Pine Valley Gate, London, ON N6J 4L4 (R519-680-0478) (E-Mail: rick.simmons@bell.net) (Janet) – I am sorry for the long delay. It seems that when you retire, time passes faster and faster. We would love to attend the Crew Meeting in May but after spending January – March in Arizona we won't have the funds. Let's all hope 2011 will be healthy and happy for everyone. (Richard – Who knows, maybe the London Senate group will host the Crew Meeting someday. Thank you for your contribution – Rene).

MACKILEM, William T 210 – 421 – 203 Kimta Road, Victoria, BC V9A 6T5 (R778-433-7135) (E-Mail: busboy007@shaw.ca) (Madeleine) – I just received the November/December issue of the Newsletter. There was plenty of interesting reading. Looking forward to the Crew Meeting and I am acting as the Edmonton "On to Victoria" Representative. To help with the new computer for Barney, I enclose a cheque for 100 bucks and hope some of my well to do friends will also pitch in. We send Season Greetings to all. (William – Our assistance in generating attendance at the Crew Meeting from the Edmonton area Senators is really appreciated as is your very generous special contribution towards Barney's new computer – Rene).

WARD, Daniel G 35378 – PH 401 – 2125 West 2 Ave, Vancouver, BC V6K 1H7 (R604-732-1755) (E-Mail: dan.ward@gems7.gov.bc.ca) - It's time for my contribution again. How time flies, EH! It was nice to see you Barney and a number of other Senators at Senator Bert Woodcock's Memorial. It was a well-deserved "send-off" for a great guy. Events like this seem to push me more toward retirement (before my Provincial Ministry work kills me). As we all don't really know how much time we have left on this earth, EH. Well maybe in 2011 and cheers as Bert would say. (Daniel – Yes, I enjoyed seeing all the Senators at Bert's Memorial- Barney).

ASKIN, Robert J 33187 – 961 McBride Ave, Mississauga, ON L5C 1M1 (R905-276-9303) (E-Mail: bob.marion@rogers.com) (Marion ML 146) – My contribution is enclosed to start catching up. Heart surgery this year and the rehab program that followed has greatly improved my ability and desire to be involved in a variety of activities. (Robert – It is good to hear that your surgery was successful. A trip to Victoria in May sounds like a good rehab to me - Rene).

<u>POGUE, David W 2566 – 107 Sunlake Close SE, Calgary, AB T2X 3H2 (R403-254-8735) (E-Mail: dandapogue@shaw.ca) (Adelle)</u> – Thanks for keeping us in touch and there are not many of us left who were active in the 50's. They were great years, (David – It's always a pleasure to hear from a four digit Senator – Rene).

<u>CLARK, Peter D 24220 – Unit 346 – 501 St. Laurent Blvd, Ottawa, ON K1K 3X4 (R613-680-9251) (E-Mail: pcreeve@rogers.com)</u> – Sorry that I'm late, but was busy getting elected to Ottawa City Council. (Peter – We all send congratulations to you and thank you for the contribution – Rene).

ANDREWS, Bertram G 11808 – 11411 – 137 Ave, Edmonton, AB T5E 1Z5 (R780-488-8899) (Fax: 780-451-9552) (E-Mail: spiceray@telus.net) – Barney – you are as timeless as the sun and just as bright with your comments and your endeavor at finding lost souls like me. Thank you for reaching out. It is also the time of year to be as giving of yourself as others have been to you "so here" is my contribution and I thank you sincerely. (Bertram – It is my pleasure to serve all the members of the Canada JCI Senate and others to keep this great organization strong – Barney).

CROUSE, Gordon W 9046 – 27 Birch St, Halifax, NS B2N 2T8 (R902-477-5197) (Susan) – Thanks for the reminder and also I am also ordering a new directory. According to my old one 2007 we have about 60 Senators in Nova Scotia from New Glasgow to Liverpool and the valley. Surely out of that number we could form a committee to put in a bid to host a Crew Meeting in Nova Scotia. Is there any interest? I am wondering if the South Shore Senate group is still active. (Gordon – Thanks for your contribution. The South Shore Senators are looking at hosting in 2014 and everybody wants to go to Nova Scotia – Rene).

BURKE, Diana R 51671 – 74 Glen Road, Toronto, ON M4W 2V6 (R416-920-3022) (E-Mail: burkedi@sympaticoa.ca) (Robert) – I had the opportunity to attend my first Greater Toronto JCI Senate AGM and Luncheon December 1, 2010 since moving to Toronto. Now that I am retired from RBC I am looking forward to attending more of these events, plus meeting other interesting Senators and JCI Toronto members. Also, thanks for the new 2010 Directory. (Diana – Thanks and you could meet even more Senators at the 2011 Crew Meeting in Victory in May – Rene).

ROBERTS, Neil E 51314 – 45 Silver Birch Blvd, Mount Hope, ON LOR 1W0 (R905-679-6161) (E-Mail: neilsbobs@hotmail.com) (Louie) – Please note my new address and telephone number. (Neil – I thank you for forwarding your new information to me – Barney).

CAMPBELL, Maurice 2114 – 218 – 60 Rue Perreault, Trois-Rivieres, QC G8T 9S2 (R819-379-2877)(Lucienne) – Dear Barney – I take this occasion to send you a contribution for 2010. I confess that I procrastinated and even thought to telephone you when I was occupied by medical problems about Lucy (in a nursing home) and other members of the family. Things look better now. (Maurice – All members of the Canada JCI Senate wish you and your family the best of health and happiness for the future – Barney).

O'REGAN, Kevin J 5709 – 204 – 20 Linden Place, St. John's, NL A1B 2S8 (R709-722-2396) (Fax: 709-579-4773) (Angela) – I really enjoy the Newsletter each month and many thanks for it.

BOYLE, James T 18035 – 25 Hickman Drive Truro, NS B2N 2Z2 (R902-893-8552) (Louise) – Thanks for the reminder and I have enclosed a cheque for the cause. I enjoy receiving the monthly Newsletter and keep up the good work.

NOWRATH, Horst A 2544 – 6666 Martin Road, Duncan, BC V9L 5W1 (R250-746-4677) (Oda) – Enclosed please find my contribution. Everything is going according to plan. I will finally meet you Barney at the 2011 Crew Meeting in Victoria. I will see you there. (Horst – It will be my pleasure to meet Oda and you in Victoria, especially with a three or four number Senator – Barney).

PHILLIPS, David G 12845 – 7 Hampstead Heath, Kingston, ON K7M 3J1 (R613-54907363) (E-Mail: phillipsdandd@kos.net) (Donna) - Once again here is my contribution for 2011. I find this easiest way to support the work everyone does. (David – I agree because we have cheques for deposit every month - Barney).

PASQUALE, Allen A 28944 – 1405 – 1665 The Collegeway, Mississauga, ON L5L 0A9 (R905-824-5209) (E-Mail: apasquale@rogers.com) (Sally) – I hope everyone had a safe and joyous holiday season. We are looking forward to getting through another year with my faculties intact. Thanks to Barney and Molly on all your hard work on the Newsletter and directory. One question is how come everyone's looking older except you? (Allen – It must be how my beautiful wife Molly looks after me and herself. She is an expert after being married to me since June 1953 – Barney).

BRUJTON, George T 8391 – 13 Granville St, London, ON N6H 2C4 (R519-434-0698) (E-Mail: George. brunton@sympatico.ca) (Kathleen) – Enclosed is my annual contribution and if sufficient amount I would like a directory. London has recovered from two snow storms – most snow in 30 years and that was before winter arrived officially. We are looking forward to attending Crew Meeting in Victoria. Best wishes for good health and joy in 2011 to all Senators and families. (George – As you will remember I always brought a few Sockeye salmon with me to Crew Meetings in Ontario. I

know you don't catch them in your area, but I know for sure that they have some very good dry (OO) white vine in Ontario, so turnabout is fair play – Barney).

MORTON, Albert J Jnr 16254 – 1338 East Barden Road, Charlotte, NC 28226 (R704-366-6608) (Fax: 704-365-0321) (E-Mail: morton2451@aol.com) (Marlyn) – I have enclosed a Male Leaf Napkin and my contribution of my choice. Food for thought to share with you and fellow JCI Senators in Canada and that is "The best part of any journey is the people we meet along the way". Meeting you and other JCI Senator members living in Canada certainly is a part of my journey in life. A poet once said, "We are a part of all we meet". This is why we must choose our friends wisely. JCI Senators in Canada, USA and around the world are one influential family. (AJ – You are right on the button and I fully agree with you. I will always remember and think about all those that I have met in my travels since 1958 when I joined the Jaycees – Barney).

BRODERICK, Leonard F 11061 – 216 Inverness Way, Easley, SC 29642 (R864-855-1076) (Fax: 860-242-0863) (E-Mail: lbroderick@accorfdfinancialus.com) (Jane) – We had snow on Christmas Day for the first time in 47 years and only the 4th time since they have been keep8ing records (only 3-4"). I hope to get up to one of the Toronto Senator Gourmet Dinners soon. Keep up the good work of keeping us informed of happenings. We welcome a visit from any Senator passing through SC. John Angevine 18692 and Ann came by for a short visit at the beginning of the year. (Leonard – How about you and Jane registering for the 2011 Crew Meeting in Victoria, BC this coming May? Quite a number of your friends from across Canada are already registered – Barney).

STEELE, Milo J 39666 – 6214 – 152C Ave, Edmonton, AB T5A 4V8 (R780-244-4567) (Fax: 780-422-5419) (E-Mail: milo.steele@gov.ab.ca) – Hello fellow Senators! Rene it was good to see you in Edmonton and catch your wisecracks on Facebook. I've been in Edmonton about 20 years now, the last 13 with the Provincial Government – negotiating purchases of property (and sometimes expropriating) plus the famous catch-all ``other duties as assigned``. Please find enclosed a long overdue contribution – hopefully this brings me to ``current`` status. I had to blow the dust off the cheque book – this cheque, one to my ball team and one to my hockey team are the only ones written in 2010. We need to investigate some form of electronic payment. I know my contributions would be more frequent if I could merely press a button. Cheques, envelopes, stamps – what are these things - just a though and best wishes to all. (Milo – Thank you for your very generous donation and you are now current. Also please note the comments in Vice President Lloyd Stockdale`s remarks in this Newsletter in regard to electronic contributions. We hope to see you in Victoria – Rene).

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