



RCAF Pipe Bands Reunion -2003

Thursday, 31 July to 02 August, 2003

AGENDA

Check in at Comfort Inn, Thursday, 31 July 03

1500 hours
1600 hours

Assemble in Hotel Lobby - Organize POMC "Convoy"
Depart for Maxville Fair Grounds

1700 hours
1830 hours

Informal "Meet & Greet Social" at Maxville Beer Tent
Buffet Served
Our Reunion Group will be introduced to Maxville officials and organizers in attendance at a pre-event dinner. (Details and time TBA)

Friday, 01 August 2003

1600 hours

2000 hours

Morning Open and/or Tour of Canada Air Museum, Rockcliffe Parkway
Departure Time open for Maxville. Details to follow.
Recommend Arrive at Maxville Fair Grounds (for parking; no later than 1600 hours.)
Proceed to Group seating reserved for our group.
Evening Tattoo Starts

"Good
Morning!"

Saturday, 02 August 2003

Plan for an early arrival on Saturday, and spend a pleasant day reminiscing with RCAF friends at the world famous Maxville Highland Games.

The Games are well attended, so park early! Doug Bothwell and Bob Tracy plan to have a designated area for our group, even tho' we know many of you will be "shopping the stalls" or visiting with friends at other band venues.

Remember, there's always a hearty welcome at our Reunion Tent, co-located next to **Highland Mist Pipe Band**. Where is it located?

Just ask when you get to the Fair Grounds!

If you've got 'em; coolers, folding chairs and camping stuff will make your visit more pleasurable. (Other than the dedicated beer vendors, alcoholic beverages are not permitted on the fair grounds!)

The Feedback Page!

To help us set our plans in concrete, we need some information from you. Don't forget to bring your band photos so you can reminisce!

Hotel Accommodation:

We have designated The Comfort Inn East, 1252 Michael Street, Ottawa as the "official" hotel, and "Lucy" guarantees a Group Rate of \$92 (plus the usual taxes)

You must book your room *no later than 1 July!*

Contact Lucy at 613-744-2981 Email: cn302@whgca.com

Massed Band

The organizers, and Pipe Major Ian Ferguson of the Air Command Pipes & Drums are interested in knowing how many of the RCAF Reunion Group wish to participate in the Massed Band Opening Ceremony at noon, Saturday. If so, please advise:

I have a Pipe Band Uniform: YES NO

I come equipped with BAGPIPE DRUM MACE

Yes!

I will attend the 2003 RCAF Pipe Band Reunion!

FAMILY NAME: _____ FIRST NAME _____

COMPANION'S NAME _____

STREET _____ CITY _____ POSTAL/ZIP _____

PHONE (_____) _____ E-MAIL _____

I served as a Piper Drummer Other (explain) _____

in the _____ Pipe Band (Year) 19____ to 19_____

I will will not be staying at the Comfort Inn.

I understand that I am responsible for making my own accommodation and travel arrangements.

I will will not provide transportation for one or two persons to and from Comfort Inn for those without POMC.

While in Ottawa, I can be contacted at the following phone number: (_____) _____

REGISTRATION FEE

Enclosed is payment of \$40* per person.

**Covers Thursday night Buffet, rental of Reunion Tent, Identifying BallCap, Name Tags other Incidental expenses...*

Send payment of \$40 per person no later than 18 July 2003 (cheque made payable to DM Doug Bothwell) and mail to:

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