



THE COLUMBIAN SQUIRES **Ontario Provincial Board**



To: ALL CHIEF COUNSELLORS, CHIEF SQUIRES

From: Ontario Squires Provincial Board, the State Team, and the Senators Club
Eric Boyles ----- Provincial Chief Squire
Paul Crawford ----- State Squires Chairman
Rev. Sébastien Groleau ----- Provincial Fr. Prior
Tim Martins ----- Convention Chairman
Steve Zealand ----- Convention Registration Chairman
Dennis and Eric Metz ----- Convention Booklet Chairmen

This year's Convention Committee is proud to host the
52nd Annual Columbian Squires Convention.

The dates for this year's convention are June 2, 3, and 4, 2006. We are pleased to announce that arrangements have been made at one of St. Catharines' finest facilities.

Location: Quality Hotel and Parkway Convention Centre
327 Ontario Street (off the QEW), St. Catharines, ON L2R 5L3
905-688-2324

Hotel Room Fee: \$95 per room + taxes (paid to the hotel upon arrival)

Registration Fee: \$75 per registered guest

(Payment to be sent with registration forms)

(Fee includes Saturday lunch and banquet, and bowling)

It is also possible for parents or others to again attend the Saturday night Banquet ONLY for a fee of \$30 per person. As well, the hotel will be offering a breakfast special again this year. All rooms must be booked 2 weeks prior to the convention, therefore reservation forms must be returned no later than Monday May 15, 2006. Costco, Zellers, and other stores are a very short distance from the convention site for shopping. Attached you will find information regarding the Saturday Ladies Program. For information on how to put an insert into the convention booklet, contact Dennis or Eric Metz at metran@sympatico.ca, call 905-579-0945, or through Canada Post at 565 Laval St, Oshawa, ON L1J 6L8.



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General Convention Information

Rules : No alcoholic beverages are allowed in any of the rooms. This rule is for everyone including the **Provincial Board, Chief Counsellors, Squires, Guests, etc.** Anyone caught with alcohol will be asked to leave the convention immediately. This could mean the entire circle.

Dress Code : **Shirt and tie (no jeans) for all sessions**

The deadline for return of the registration forms is Monday May 15th, 2005. Please register as soon as possible so we can assure you of a room and meals. All rooms will be booked by the registration chairman, so if there are any questions, phone or send an email (contact info below).

Registration forms and fees can be returned via regular mail (Canada Post) to the registration chairman ... Stephen Zealand
910 Ripley Cr, Oshawa ON L1K 2E8 (905-728-8607)

Make cheques payable to **SQUIRES CONVENTION 2006.**

Registration forms can also be sent via email to szealand@idirect.com , with the registration fee cheque sent via regular mail.

In closing, we would like to remind each and every one of you that Squires are “Young Catholic Gentlemen”, and must act accordingly.

We look forward to having you at the 2006 Convention.

Yours in Columbianism

Tim Martins
Convention Chairman