

# DACA NEWS



*Dacre and Area Community Association  
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## **150th Celebration/Homecoming**

***August 19 & 20. Free Admission.*** In honour of the 150th Anniversary of Confederation, DACA will be hosting a "HOMECOMING & OLD TIME COUNTRY FAIR". Schedule of events, attractions and entertainment are outlined later in the newsletter. You won't want to miss it. Bring the family from far and wide.

## **DACA Canada Day Party**

On July 1<sup>st</sup>, DACA held its' annual Canada Day Celebration. A great day was had by one of our largest Canada Day crowds in years. The afternoon consisted of a variety of kids games, horseshoe tournament, draws, a BBQ supper with desserts,

awesome entertainment by Bernadette Kelly (Thanks Bernie), card games, a moving picture show, and to cap off the evening, one of the best fireworks display around. Horseshoe Champions were Lloyd Gibson and Kristy Coulterman, and runners up were Heather Coulterman and Chris Coulterman. Congratulations. Thankyou to all the organizers for making this complimentary function possible, and especially to all the attendees for the great community spirit.

### **DACA Summer Bingo (PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE SPECIAL TIME)**

**August 20.** It's back! As part of our 150th Homecoming and Old Time Country Fair, DACA is hosting a Summer Bingo. It will be held on Sunday August 20th at **3:00pm**. Cost is \$15 for 5 cards. Themed prizes will be awarded to the winners. A door prize will also be up for grabs. Come on out for an afternoon of social fun and entertainment. Watch future newsletters for more details on upcoming bingos.

### **DACA Annual Softball/Volleyball Tournament**

**August 26.** DACA's annual ball tournament. A fun filled day of softball and volleyball (*now with an all new sand court*), Plans are in the works. Always a great day for participants as well as spectators. Come out and cheer on the teams from around the valley. Canteen and BBQ. For more info contact Lynn Gavin: 613-649-2721

### **Festival of Small Halls**

**September 30.** DACA is super excited to have been selected for a "Ontario Festival of Small Halls" event. On Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm, Canadian fiddler, singer, songwriter, multi Juno Award winner, Ashley MacIsaac will be performing as well as World Class Highland Dancers, Change of Step. Online tickets are sold out, as well as the tickets we had locally, but if interested get a hold of a Board member just in case there's one out there. For additional locations and dates of the 30 other venues, and entertainers go to their website: <http://thefestivalofsmallhalls.com/>

### **Raffle**

DACA has registered a raffle draw to culminate at the Small Halls event. A prize lot totalling over \$1200.00, consisting of a handmade quilt, double adirondack chair, overnight getaways, and so much more. Early bird draw at Homecoming event August 20. Grand prize draw at Small Halls event September 30. Contact any Board Member for tickets.

### **Kitchen Help**

DACA is calling on our community to step up and step in. Step into the kitchen that is. We are searching for a Kitchen Assistant to help Teresa out with the kitchen

duties. DACA is well known throughout the surrounding communities for its fabulous meals. We owe that to Teresa and her loyal kitchen helpers. Lets pull together to take some of the pressure off of Teresa. **Give her a call to offer some help.**

**613-432-4735**

**A Big Thankyou to Aurelia Hanniman for your years of service.**

### **Retirement party for Bonnie Nolan**

**September 15** - At the Renfrew Legion on Friday September 15 from 4-11. Supper will be served at 5:30. Everyone welcome !!!

### **DACA Bursary**

Congratulations to Graduates, Keirston Davidson and Rebecca Coulterman, recipients of this years DACA Bursary.

### **Host Your Event @ DACA**

Let DACA be the place for your next event. Big or small the DACA Community Center can be rented for any event. Birthdays, reunions, showers or even just a party, make sure you check out what DACA has to offer. On the DACA website you can see upcoming events in the calendar so you can plan your next occasion. For hall rentals contact Linda Ryan at 613-649-2509.

### **DACA Student Volunteers**

Students that are looking to complete their community service hours can do so with DACA. DACA is looking for any volunteers to help with some outdoor painting and light yard work. For more information call Lonnie Coulterman at 613-649-8236.

### **DACA Newsletter Available By Email**

DACA is trying to reduce its environmental footprint by providing access to our newsletter by means of email. We are also trying to reduce our costs in sending out the newsletters by postal mail. If you wish to help DACA save some paper, you too can receive the newsletter in your Inbox. It's easy and doesn't cost you anything. If you want to sign up or believe you already have and aren't receiving emails please send your name and email address to [dacacommunity@gmail.com](mailto:dacacommunity@gmail.com)

### **Advertise with DACA**


If you have a small business and would like to advertise it in upcoming editions of the newsletter please send details to [dacacommunity@gmail.com](mailto:dacacommunity@gmail.com) or call Lonnie at 613-649-8236. Cost is \$5 for the month, your advertisement will be seen by people that matter the most, people in your community.

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***The next DACA meeting will be held on Sept. 12th at 7:15pm.***

**Reminder – 2017-2018 DACA Memberships**

DACA Memberships for 2017-2018 are due April 1st 2017. Cost is \$10.00 for a year or \$100.00 for a lifetime membership. Don't worry about making a yearly membership payments and choose the lifetime membership. Send the completed form and payment to Lonnie Coulterman at 350B Flat Road, Dacre Ontario K0J 1N0. Please make cheques payable to DACA. Membership fees help DACA to provide programs for the community, young and old throughout the year. New memberships for our growing community are always available and welcomed. Thank You.

Place an 'X' in your choice of membership type

1 Year Membership (\$10)

Lifetime Membership (\$100)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**DACA'S HOMECOMING & OLD TIME COUNTRY FAIR SCHEDULE  
AUGUST 19 & 20, 2017**

**"FREE ADMISSION"**

**HIGHLIGHTS FOR BOTH SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

Rendezvous Frontier/Pioneer Camps will include Map Maker; Canadian Knife Throwing Champ (Chuckwagon); Bead Work Demonstrations; Cast Iron Cook Demonstration; and Frontier Family displaying pioneer life.

Ontario Fur Managers Federation will also be there with their trailer filled with interesting and educational information and displays.

Carnival Games will include Dunk Tank; Milk Bottle Toss; Duck Pond; Crown and Anchor and much more.

Photo Booth will be set up for those interested in having a picture taken with vintage costumes and heritage setting.

Crafts and Artisan Displays - many talented vendors will be displaying their wares.

Chip Truck will be there throughout the weekend serving up fast food items and there will also be a Beer Tent both days.

**HIGHLIGHTS FOR SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 2017**

Bouncy Castle - will run from 11:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Pony Rides - will run from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Musical Entertainment - Dennis Harrington & Heritage Country (1:00 - 4:00 p.m.)  
- Andy Mayenburg (4:00 - 8:00 p.m.)  
- Barn Dance with 'Buck 50' band (8:00 p.m.- 12:00 a.m.)

Food - Pig & Corn Roast Supper along with salads, buns, etc. (5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.) Cost for Advance Tickets is \$13.00 and Cost at Door is \$15.00. Children ages 5 to 12 years is \$8.00. Under 5 years old are free. Founding Member Dedication - will be held around 4:30 p.m.

**HIGHLIGHTS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2017**

Food - Breakfast will be served from 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Cost for Adults: \$8.00 Children: \$5.00

Entertainment - Bernie Kelly (11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.) Members of the Donohue-Enright Family  
(2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.)

DACA BINGO - will run from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Cost is 5 cards for \$15.00. Extra cards \$3.00 ea.