THE CANADIAN BADGER___



22nd ANNUAL MONTREAL SWAP MEET AND AUCTION



!! YOU HAD TO BE THERE !!



EDITORIAL:

Dear Fellow Badgers

June 12, 1999

With many Jamborees happening this year, I hope that club members that are going to them will take the time to write an article about the jamboree and send it to me for the next magazine.

I have put in an article on Air Scouts sent in by the late Peter Stevens just prior to his passing on. I will continue with a couple more pages in September.

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DEADLINE DATE FOR

THE NEXT ISSUE

August 15, 1999



YOU CAN BE A WINNER TOO But you cant win if you don't enter!

RULES: 1. For every badge you send in, you are granted one entry. Maximum 3 badges. Winner takes the whole pot. (listed badges only)

2. Winner announced in the following magazine.

You have 4 weeks to enter after you receive this magazine. All late entries are automatically entered in the next draw.

Please write BADGER on the bottom left hand corner of your envelope and send all entries to : RAY CROWTHER 11420 - 73 Ave.

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The winner of the lotto draw of 9 badges was Frank Kramar of Ontario



As a new item as space permits in the coming issues we are going to offer a "thumbnail sketch" of the members of the executive and provincial representatives. This sketch is going to give a short history of each members scouting and collecting history. We have a lot of new members and we thought even a lot of our older members might find it interesting. So as "Prez" I thought I would start.

FRANK D. SMITH C0684

My father had been a boy scout in Victoria in the 1920's, my brother had been a Queen Scout and had been chosen to go to the 1957 World Jamboree in England, so I was destined to also be a boy scout. I joined Wolf Cubs in 1959, my brothers group. We lived in a small rural community north of Victoria, and I spent 10 years in the same group 6th Tsartlip, 1st Deep Cove. Yes, Tsartlip BC T1a, I have three, one on my green cub shirt, one on my green scout shirt, and one mint in my collection. I earned my Queen Scout in 1967 and was selected to attended the 1967 World Jamboree in Idaho. I always felt slightly ripped off, my brother went to England, the World Jamboree 1963 was in Greece and the World Jamboree 1971 was in Japan, and I got Idaho!

My adult membership in The Boy Scouts of Canada started in 1980, and since then have done many jobs, six years as a beaver leader, seven as a cub leader(six as Akela), two years with troop, and the last four as group quartermaster. Along the way Regional Director, Trees For Canada Coordinator, Apple Day Coordinator, Honours and Awards and District Quartermaster. In 1991 I was awarded the Medal of Good Service. I have either worked staff or with troop at CJ85, PJ87, CJ89, PJ91, CJ93, PJ95, CJ97.

I've always been a collector, you name it, I collected it. But it was when I was going to the 1st B.C. Yukon Jamboree in 1966, my old cub master gave me a paper bag full of badges to trade that I was hooked. I joined the club in September 1983 after picking up a membership form at WJ83. My collecting of scout badges has had some periods of time(some of them long periods) when there was not much, if any, of activity and my scope has changed twice. Prior to CJ93 I only collected B.C. and jamboree items. Now along with Canadian, I dabble in English. Australian and New Zealand. I had the honour to be elected "Prez" at CJ93 and re-elected at CJ97.

So if, at any of this years jamborees, or anytime down the road you see me, come say hi and trade a badge

ARTICLES OF YORE

THE SCOUT-February 2, 1935

WHY DO WE WEAR

FLAT-BRIMMED
HATS?
By LORD BADEN-POWELL

S other day:
"Why does a Scout
wear a flat-brimmed hat?"

Well, one reason is that it gives good shade to his eyes and neck in the sunshine, and it runs the water off all round in rain, and it is a great

protection to the face and neck against thorns and twigs when showing through them head foremost, especially at night.

"Any wide-brimmed hat will do that," you think.

Well, so it would, though perhaps not always quite so well; but there is another reason also for the flat brim, which is this: During the South African War, the custom came in, where the Troops, both regular and irregular, wore wide-brimmed hats, of having the brim on the right-hand side turned up in the case of regular Army, on the left-hand side in the case of irregular or local volunteer troops. Then the scouts of the force were distinguished by having neither side looped up, and thus wore flat brims, just as the cowboys in America and Canada do, and also the mounted police in North-West Canada, and in the South African Constabulary.

To keep the brim flat and smart you can wet it with a mixture of sugar and water, or rice water, or other stiffener, and then iron or press it flat with weights, and let it dry. Keep

it as a rule flat on the floor.



AIR SCOUTING By reter Stevens No. 3805

Air Scouting was officially introduced in England in January 1941, although the idea of forming an Air Scout Branch was first considered as far back as 1927. Also a system of air training for members of the Boy Scouts Association was organised as early as 1918, in the days of the Royal Flying Corps.

Air Scouts take part in the basic training as Land and Sea Scouts, but the Tenderfoot. Second Class and First Class badge tests are applied to the subjects of aeronautical interests.



ROVER AIR SCOUT Air Scout cloth badge (gold) with metal RS bar below on dark blue benet

(fig. 2)

The Air Scout uniform (before the Advanced Party Report of 1966) consists of dark blue shorts and beret, with grey shirt and socks and a Group scarf.

The position of the badges worn by Air Scouts are shown on the illustration (left). Navy blue background proficiency badges and special proficiency badges are worn.

Senior Air Scouts wear the same uniform, but with the following differences. A metal "S" bar is worn under the gold Air Scout beret badge (fig. I). A shoulder patch to denote the Patrol in place of the shoulder knot. Maroon epaulettes and Maroon garter tabs.

Rover Air Scouts wear a metal"RS" bar under the gold Air Scout beret badge (fig. 2). A red, yellow and green shoulder knot. Green epaulettes and green garter tabs.



(fig. 3)



(fig. 4)

The Scout Wings (fig. 3) have been in existance since 1966, and are still used today. In 1982 Scout wings for Canopy Training (fig. 4) were introduced. The wings may be worn by any Venture Scouts or adult leaders who have met the requirements for these wings.

Pictured below are a selection of Air Scout group tapes, some of which wear group badges.

2ND BRIZE NORTON (R.A.F.)



418 GUERNSEY (FOREST)



4th Guernsey Air Scouts have been adopted by R.A.F. Kinloss in Scotland. Who fly the Nimro aircraft.

81 GIBRALTAR AIR SCOUTS

IST RAF SEALAND

MONK BRETTON
AIR SCOUTS

IST TOLLERTON AIR SCOUTS

399 ITCHEN NORTH

BIE ODIHAM (DARBY GREEN & FROGMORE

continued in September magazine



CATALOGUE CHANGES AND ADDITIONS

Additions

CAN/PQ.

S.13. SAGUENAY LAC-ST-JEAN DISTRICT

CAN/ASC.

L.5. DISTRICT LAC SAINT-JEAN [QU]

S.16. DISTRICT SAGUENAY [OU]

Changes

CAN/BC.

1. New badge issued, Now with horizontal stitching in sun.

F.1. Add EXT, Add NOTES: Absorbed by E.1.

N.1. New badge issued, Now with red border, White mountain on left and brown mountain on right.

CAN/ONT.

1. New badge issued, Now with five yellow dots in center.

F.1. New badge issued, "FRUITBELT", Now one word instead of two.

G.8. New badge issued, Now with rolled edge.

P.3. New badge issued, Fence on left side has no side rails.

CAN/PO.

L.4. New badge issued, Now with rolled edge.

CAN/NS.

B.1. New badge issued, Now reads "BASIN LAKES AREA".

CAN/NWT. MISC. New badge issued, Wording "SCOUTS CANADA NORTHWEST TERRITORIES", Now in an oval shape.

CAN/ASC.

B.2. New badge issued, Now 57mm x 72mm.

E.4. New badge issued, Now has a boy scout symbol in bottom left corner instead of the girl guide symbol.

L.2. New badge issued, Now reads "SCOUTS DISTRICT LAPOINTE".

O.6. New badge issued, Now reads "SCOUTS DE L'ONTARIO".

S.8. Add EXT, Add NOTES: Split into L.5. and S.16.

Anniversary Badges

CAN/BC.

W.3/1. WEST WHALLEY 40TH ANNIVERSARY [FV]

CAN/ONT.

G.8/I. GANARASKA 75TH ANNIVERSARY [WP] O.6/I. OWEN SOUND 90TH ANNIVERSARY [AT] THANKS go to the following members for the badges and information included in this magazine: John Ochitwa, Bill Neil, Noel Bazinet, Glen Lavigne, Gordon L. Ennis, Deryck Robertson, George Cartwright, and David A. Winter

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LOWER MAINLAND BADGE SWAP MEET

WHEN:

FRIDAY - AUGUST 20ST, 1999 7PM TO 10PM SATURDAY - AUGUST 21ND, 1999 9AM TO 4PM.

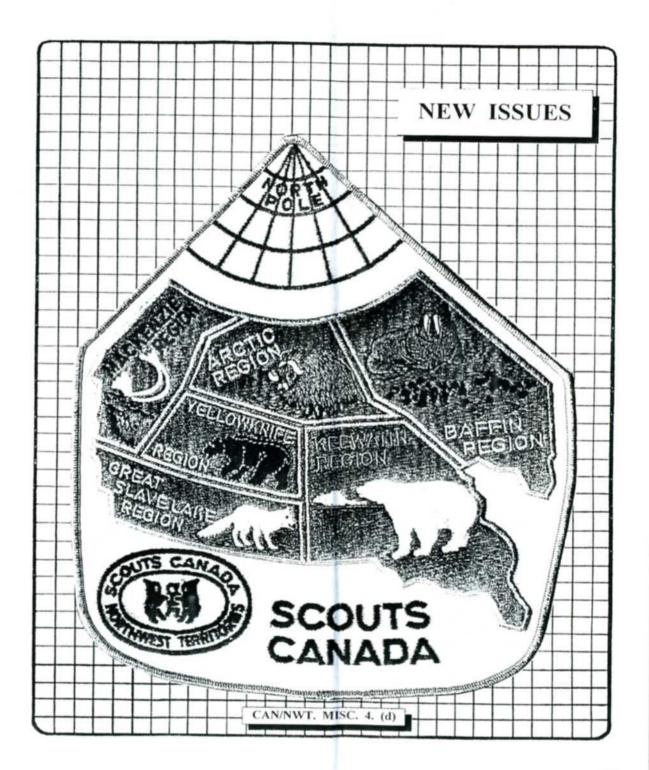
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NEWS FLASH

The badge committee has come across some badge variations that were overlooked when they first came out, These badges will be added to the Varieties Catalogue in their proper place. So please check your update #4 very carefully for these changes will affect any listings that you may have.



CAN/ONT. N.3. (c)



CAN/NS. H.2. (a)



CAN/AEBP. R.1. (a)



CAN/ASC. S.1. (c)

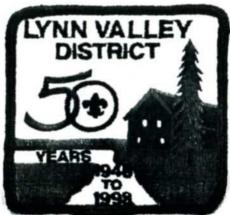


CAN/BC. I.2. (c)

!! ATTENTION !!

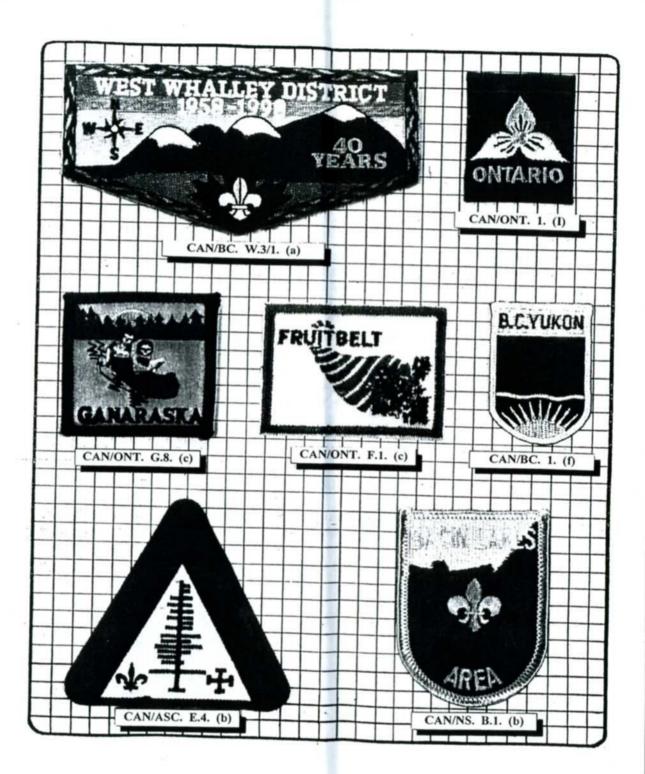
The following badge CAN/ONT. L.2/1. LYNN VALLEY 50TH ANNIVERSARY [B], will be DELISTED. We listed this badge and later found out that it would not be worn on the uniform and should be considered as a blanket patch. The other two badges pictured below are also unofficial anniversary issues that will not be worn on the uniform and will not be listed.

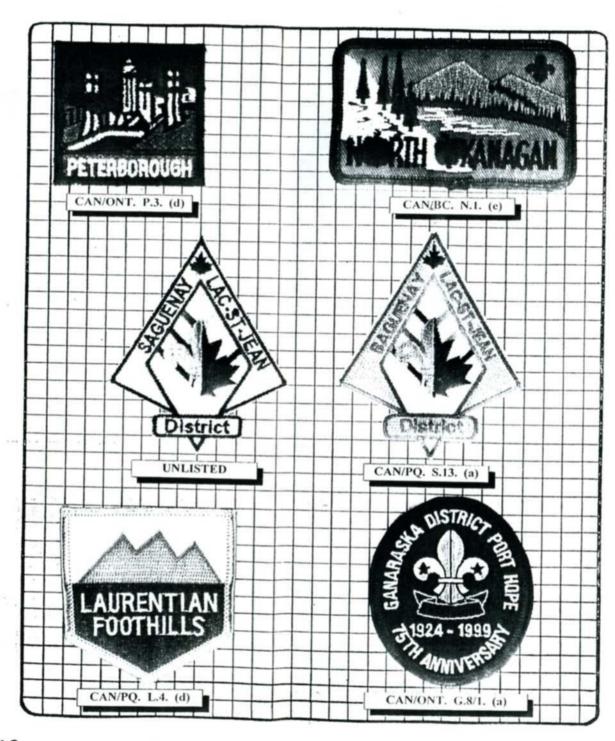












CANADIAN BADGERS CLUB QUEBEC REGION

22nd Annual Montreal Swap Meet and Auction

Fellow Badgers:

Thank you for making this years Auction one of our best ever, And I am very proud to say that we will be sending a check to the WORLD BROTHERHOOD OF SCOUTING FUND for the amount of \$3110.00 dollars.

I was happy with the turn out this year with between 80 to 100 people coming through our doors during the course of the day and we even had over 30 of our own club members there from British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and the United States.

The kitchen again this year was manned by Ursula Page & her gang from Petawawa, They did a great job again this year!

The Auctions went great, there were 99 items in the silent auction, 18 items on the make me an offer table, 10 items in the regular auction and 5 items in the secret auction. We even had 100 grab bags of district badges and jamboree badges that were sold out before you knew it. So if you have never been to a Montreal swap meet plan to be there next year, you do not know what you are missing.

In closing I would just like to say again, THANK YOU to all who donated badges or helped me in setting up this years auction, Because of YOU our swap meet was a great success.

In Brotherhood

\$ 3110.00

Denis Charbonneau # C0021

THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING BADGER CLUB MEMBERS

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WE ALSO WISH TO THANK THE FOLLOWING FRIENDS OF THE BADGERS CLUB

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Eric Turcotte, PQ.
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Louis Veillette, Couer Du Quebec

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IF I HAVE MISSED ANYONE PLEASE FORGIVE ME.

Denis Charbonneau

Wants & Swops Corner



QUEBEC WANTS & SWOPS

I have a number of Quebec badges I am on the look-out for:

PO. ACTIVE Beavers-25; 1a,b,d; Cla; C2a,b,c; C4a; C5a; C6a; C7a; D2b; E3a; G1a,b; H1a; L1c; L4a,b; L4/1a; L5a; M2a,b,c; N3a,b,c; P1a; Ola.c; Rla; S3a,b; S5a,b; S6a; S8a,c,d; S11b; W1a,b,d; W2a,b,c; Y1a; /// MISC: la,b,c,d,e /// JAMB: la,1/la; 2a, 2/la; 3a

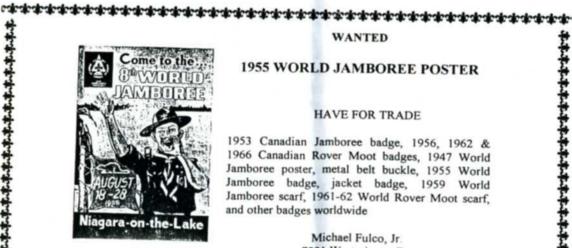
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In exchange I could offer: Current and old BC issues such as the new Kutenai (BC K11a) or old Nelson (BC N3b) or Seymour BC (S1a-d or S1/la) and many others.

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HEAR YE! HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

WELLINGTON DISTRICT'S INAUGURAL SWAP MEET

A HUGE SUCCESS!

Saturday April 17, 1999 brought some 36 serious Badgers to Fergus Ontario all hoping to fill holes in their collections, swap tall tales about the Extinct that "got away" and just to socialize generally. Among those in attendance were John "O" from B.C. and Jean and Bill Neil from Sask. Sadly missing was Ed Cutler, who "went home" last year but happily Iris made it and picked up the new issues she wanted to take to England the week after the Meet. We also missed Denis Charbonneau who very sadly had just lost his mother.

Peter Stevens of Southampton, England, who joined the "gone home" troop very suddenly in March always referred to the Mississauga Meet as the "Sardinesauga" because of the really crowded conditions resulting from the smallness of the room available for the Swap. This year, everybody was happy with the facilities. As Bill Neil put it, "Anyone who says he doesn't like this place better is crazy!". AND they all said they'd be back to Fergus next year.

The traditional collection of badges was requested and these were sent on to the Montreal Auction with Bill Neil. It's good to see how much is raised in Montreal each year to help Scouting internationally. As usual, the Y2K Swap Meet in Fergus will take place the Saturday before the Montreal Auction. SO, mark your calendars now for April 22, 2000 and plan on some great swaps!

Stan Fleming CO568

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June is the month of weddings...three guesses who celebrated their 50th in 1999!



Yes, indeed that June wedding was none other than the Neils! Congratulations to Bill and Jean from the Badgers Club of Canada. An informal come and go tea was held at the home of Bill's daughter, Sandy, of Langley, B.C., for family and friends. Sandy arranged for the local Badgers to "crash" the party, surprising them just at the moment of cake cutting and kissing!

Rox 1365, Ridgetown Ont.

March 29th, 1999.

The Canadian Badger, c/o Ray Crowther, 11420 - 73rd Ave. Delta, B.C.

Dear Fellow Badgers -

It is with sadness that I inform members of the Club, of the sudden death on March 16th, 1999, of Badger Peter Stevens, of Southampton, England (C0511). Peter and my late husband, Ed. Cutler of Ridgetown, Ont. were friends for many years - they travelled and swopped badges on both sides of the Atlantic. Peter will be missed by his Scouting friends in England, Canada and the U.S.A.

In Scouting, Iris Cutler, (C0603)

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Membership runs from September to August. Memberships received after May 31 will apply to the following year.

To become a member fill in the form below and send it along with a cheque or money order payable to :

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