



ORENDA CANOE CLUB A.G.M.

At the Orenda annual meeting (AGM) in October, the membership needs to elect the Orenda executive:

Anyone looking for more information, or interested in being on the nomination committee, contact the past commodore (Julien Comeau @ 434-0571). Anyone interested in nominating someone or considering taking on a role themselves, can also contact Julien for more information. All "elected" positions other than Commodore, are held for a single term. Some current officers have accepted to volunteer their services to the Orenda membership for consecutive terms. Other positions will be vacant and need to be filled to enable Orenda to continue to offer its programs.

Check out our website

www.orendacanooclub.com

Check out the National and Atlantic Websites at:

CanoeKayakCanada
www.canoekayak.ca

Atlantic Division
www.adckc.ca

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Successful Summer Session!

People measure success in many ways, and Orenda Canoe Club is no different. Our success is apparent in the laughter drifting from the dock all summer, and in the pleasure and pride of a novice paddler finding their balance in a single boat.

It is also evident in the 18 medals our athletes brought back from Bantam Pee Wee Champs and the 14 medals they earned at Nationals!

Mid September will see our high performance athletes and after school paddlers back at the club and on the water.

But our summer participants are reminded that we want all of them to stay in touch over the fall, winter and spring! We will continue to send our newsletter and email notices.

On Sunday **September 14th** the **ADCKC Ice Cream Social** will take place at 6pm at **Mic Mac Aquatic Club**. All Bantam and Peewee aggregates, as well as the trophies, will be given out! Hope to see you all there!

Remember our **Year End Awards & AGM** takes place **Oct.26th** from 1-3pm at the **Lake Echo Rec Center**. This wraps up our Summer program with lots of awards for everything from Most Improved Paddlers to a Best Hair Award! It is Pot Luck and we'll email a notice closer to the date.

There will be a **Winter Skating Party** in **January**, on the lake if weather allows, or in the Eastern Shore rink if it doesn't!

CLUB ACTIVITIES

FALL REGISTRATION

Fall Registration is under way for Sept-Nov. The registration forms as well as "Medical" and "On Water Paddling Policy" forms need to be filled out and signed as the water temperatures get colder paddlers will not be able to paddle without the "On Water Paddling Policy" form signed. Take advantage of our "Early Bird" registration fees and register before **Sept 8, 2008**. They can all be found on our web site and anyone with questions can contact me at 829-3215 or at dalley@ns.sympatico.ca
Thanks, Katheleen Dalley, Registrar

Dates to Remember: September

Sept. 8	Deadline "Early bird" Fall Registration date	
Sept. 13	Fall Program begins	Orenda
Sept. 14	ADCKC Bantam Pee Wee Ice Cream Social & Awards	Mic Mac Aquatic Club
Sept. 15	After school Fall program begins	Orenda
TBD	ADCKC Team Trials	Lake Banook
Oct. 26	Year End Awards & AGM 1-3pm	Lake Echo Rec Center

Paddling Updates

BANTAM PEEWEE CHAMPS RESULTS:

PEE WEE

Jordan McMullin	M-C1	200	Gold
Mitchell Firth	M-C1	500	Gold
Lydia Hayward	W- K1	200	Gold
Firth / Lyver	M-C2	500	Gold
Firth/Stredder/McMullin/Burke	M-C4	500	Bronze
Rideout/Myrer/LaPierre/Crosby	W-K4	500	Bronze
Miles (Men's C15)			Bronze

BANTAM

Brad Mayo	M-K1	1000	Gold
Firth/Mayo	M-C2	1000	Gold
Mayo/Hamilton/Stredder/Gower	M-K4	500	Gold
Ben Firth	M-C1	1000	Silver
Akayla Kent	W-K1	1000	Silver
Mayo/Hamilton	M-K2	1000	Silver
Firth/Hamilton/Mayo/Stredder	M-C4	1000	Silver
Mitchell Hamilton	M-K1	1000	Bronze
James Borden	M-K1	500	Bronze
Hudgins/Kent	W-K2	1000	Bronze
Miles (Men's C15)			Bronze

CKC NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

What a week! Orenda Canoe Club members should be proud of their contributions to, and achievements at, a very successful National Championship. Orenda's own Ralph Orton, Flag Officer of the Atlantic Division, and his Organizing Committee put on an event to be proud of. Orenda volunteers were everywhere, at the BBQ, sorting medals and cleaning trophies.

.And our Athletes and coach Corey Firth! We saw Orenda boats advancing to finals in nearly every event and we took home 14 medals! We also took home the Burgee with the title of Midget Women National champions 2008!

Congratulations to our medal and trophy winners!

Genny Orton	Sr Women K1	1000	Bronze	Emily Riddle & Kelsey Cuvelier	Midget Women	C2	1000	Gold
	Sr Women K1	500	Bronze		Juv. Women	C2	200	Bronze
	Sr Women K1	200	Gold	Genny Orton & Helen Orton	Sr. Women	C2	200	Silver
Kelsey Cuvelier	Midget Women C1	1000	Silver	Anne Lombardi & Kelsey Cuvelier	Sr. Women	C2	200	Bronze
	Midget Women C1	6000	Silver	Natalie Comeau/ Kelsey Cuvelier/ Emily Riddle & Hannah Forsyth	Midget Women	C4	1000	Gold
Emily Riddle	Midget Women C1	1000	Bronze					
Sara Lawlor & Chelsey Bowser	Sr. Women C2	500	Silver					
Genny Orton/ Sara Lawlor/ Anne Lombardi & Chelsey Bowser	Sr. women C4	500	Gold					

The Jr. Women C15 **Captain Corey Firth** Bronze

Kyla MacLellan	Emily Riddle	Cynthia Myrer	Amanda McArthur	Christina Watkins
Anne Lombardi	Chelsey Bowser	Natalie Comeau	Kelsey Cuvelier	Lauren Siteman
Hannah Forsyth	Katrina Jordan	Sara Lawlor	Genevieve Orton	

Orenda Masters: The Master paddlers braved thunder, lightning, and injured athletes to participate in the 2008 CanMas Champs on Aug. 31st. They came away with medals and memories. Congrats! THANK YOU MASTERS for doing the BBQ on Sat. Aug 30th during Nationals. You raised over \$750.00

~On behalf of the Orenda membership, we offer our deepest sympathy to the Firth family on the passing of Corey and Ian's sister, Valerie Firth.