



### Message From The President

Well helloooo everybody! Welcome back!! I hope you all had a great summer?! I know mine went fast, but it's not quite done yet! I'd like to start by saying "Thank you" to those who nominated and elected me president. I'm really excited to work with the new members of the board. Welcome to them and thank you to those who have "retired" this year! And to my predecessor, Bernie Melosh, thanks for all the work you've done over the 2 years you were prez!! This really is a great club, isn't it? I look forward to working with the committee and we will continue to bring you some great bluegrass entertainment.

Secondly, congratulations to the club on a very nice campout/celebration this year!! It was a success and we are excited for next year. I'd like to say "Welcome" to our new members and "thank you" to all those who helped out this year. I think we could all agree, it really was a nice event! I'm pleased with the comments I've received. And there are some nice stories such as a 20+ year reunion that Don Breeze had with Vern, Rolly and the rest of the gang from Crosswind!! And it happened at our little venue!! We are a cozy event! It's fairly intimate and interactive. I know I had a chance to meet and greet everybody there....I couldn't do that at places like Tottenham. That's the way we intend to keep it. And we will always be an all Canadian show, because, as for those who were there can see, there is a lot of great Canadian talent out there!!! Let's hear it for Canadian bluegrass!! Thanks to Mr. Doug Dailey for the use of your land and thanks to all those who sponsored and donated prizes.

I'd like to take a moment to share my condolences with the families who have lost loved ones this year. There were a number of them. We lost some great friends, fellow musicians and fans. Please accept my sympathies.

If you have a birthday or anniversary this month, congratulations and "happy day" to you!!!

Winter jams at the Legion are starting up again! They will com-

### Message From The Vice-President

To the QBBC membership and all others visiting our website:

As we are about to embark on another season of playing and listening to bluegrass with our Queensbush Bluegrass club, I wish to extend a warm welcome to all and hope the summer has been good to you and your families. I am beginning my first term as your new vice-pres, and look forward to serving you well. Let me know if you have questions or concerns, or ideas for our QBBC.

I managed to see excellent bands perform at our QBBC campout in July, and at Summerfolk in August. Bluegrass is alive and kicking in Grey and Bruce. I also managed to play some with our band GrassFyre and with various jams that occurred in our community, so the "chops" aren't too rusty.

I encourage anyone who is interested in learning to play an instrument or to play together with others to come out to the weekly jam sessions at the RC Legion in Owen Sound. These jams are very relaxed and offer much opportunity to listen learn and play, and just share tall tales from the bluegrass world. Check the calendar on the website to find out the dates and times.

As the song goes..."we'll see you in September."  
Sincerely,  
Bernie Range  
VP, QBBC

Thanks to the following for sponsoring our 2nd annual campout/celebration. Be sure to support them when you can. A host of people donated prizes! We thank them very much!

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### Bluegrass Notes

- Award winning / world renowned 'Clawgrass' banjoist MARK JOHNSON will be in Barrie, Ontario on Friday, September 4, and is currently taking appointments for 1 hour private lessons to anyone seeking instruction in clawhammer and related banjo styles, to be conducted that day and evening. You can find out more at [www.clawgrass.com](http://www.clawgrass.com), or call (705) 728-5867.

mence Sept. 10th and the first Montana jam will be Sunday, September 13th!! Bring your instruments, your voices and your hand claps and come on out and join us! Everybody is welcome....pickers and grinners (like me)!!

Just a reminder that memberships are now up for renewal. See us at jam nights or mail cheques payable to Queensbush Bluegrass Club to Udell Gonder at 1747 5th Ave. East in Owen Sound, N4K 2S4. Cost is still \$15.00. Remember folks, if you have anything (preferably local and area) that you think is news worthy or a nice general interest story and would like to see included in our newsletter, please pass it along to us at the jams or e-mail to Doug at [dkieboom@queensbush.ca](mailto:dkieboom@queensbush.ca)!!

I guess I'll end it here....I'm sure I need to save some room for our "Vice-President" to say a few words! Welcome again to our new members! We're happy to have you!! Stop by and say "Hi" when you see me!!

Cheers everybody!!  
Shannon Campbell

### House Concerts

House concerts are everywhere in North America and in many other countries as well. Most are held in the living room/dining room areas of people's homes. Musicians will play to groups of 20 to 30+ people. There is usually a minimum donation rather than tickets sold. Some concerts have pot luck dinners while others serve coffee, tea, and cake, cookies or other goodies. At many concerts you may BYOB.

I have received emails from Australia, the UK, the USA and all over Canada from musicians who want to play here. We provide food and lodging to the musicians if they want it. We can seat more than sixty five people for a concert and have a room dedicated to concerts. There is nothing to equal sitting up close and enjoying music. The line-up here has been a who's who in folk, roots, and bluegrass music. Russell Moore and IIIrd Tyme Out, J.P. Cormier, The Good Bros., Michael Cleveland & Flame-keeper, Emory Lester, Don Rigsby & Joe Clark, Mose Scarlett, Bryan Bowers and more have played here.

Peter Chitty  
Music up close house concerts in Innisfil, On.  
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### Winning Ticket!

Hello Fellow Members,

Just a note to let you know that we had a draw from the Winter Concert ticket stubs at the QBBC Campout in July and the winning ticket is from the Lost & Found concert Feb. 26th 2009 a Blue Ticket Number 075 the winning will have till Sept 15th 2009 to claim the \$100.00 prize. You can phone me 519-376-9668 to claim your prize with the matching ticket stub.

Thank you to All whom came to the Winter Concerts in 2009 and Hope to see you all in 2010 QBBC Past Pres. Bernie Melosh



### Buy and Sell

**For Sale:** 2006 Eastman Mandolin Model 815 Sunburst with Deluxe Case - \$1400.

**Contact:** David Blakney, (519) 975-2792 or email [dvlakney@mnsi.net](mailto:dvlakney@mnsi.net)

**For Sale:** Dobro 1959 or '60 made by Original Musical Instruments. Round neck, 12 frets to body, Quarterman cone installed. Asking \$ 500.

**Contact:** Norm Huggins, (519) 291-5434 or email [goody-hug@hotmail.com](mailto:goody-hug@hotmail.com)

**For Sale:** Gibson RB-250. 5-string built in 2004. Mahogany with flathead tone ring. Factory case included. Asking \$ 2500.

**Contact:** Jim MacDonald, (519) 797-1824

**For Sale:** 1995 Paul Reed Smith Standard 22 Model---pre factory workmanship, natural finish--stop tail piece--wide fat neck--dragon pickups--with original case/warranty card. Guitar is in excellent condition. Asking \$2300. Email for more photo's or info.

**Contact:** Allan Day in Goderich, (519) 524-9665 or email [bluesslider88@yahoo.ca](mailto:bluesslider88@yahoo.ca)

**For Sale:** New solid wood 12 Fret square neck Resonator Guitar. This is a beautiful Instrument with a good solid sound It is constructed of curly Maple& has all Gold Hardware with a J.P Quarterman cone. Asking \$2500.

**Contact:** William Eden, (519) 371-7828 or email [ex440@hotmail.com](mailto:ex440@hotmail.com)

**For Sale:** Gibson TB-100. 4-string from 1955. Mahogany with flathead rod tone ring, Original neck, pot assembly, and flange, with new matching resonator. Asking \$1100.

**Contact:** Jim MacDonald, (519) 797-1824

**Lessons:** Banjo, Guitar, and Mandolin.

**Contact:** Dan Campbell, (519) 374-1285

**Banjos:** Bought and sold, repairs and set-ups, lessons available.

**Contact:** Jim MacDonald, (519) 797-1824

If you'd like to place an ad in the buy and sell, and are a club member, then email your information to [dkieboom@queensbush.ca](mailto:dkieboom@queensbush.ca)

### Campbells Corner

Whew!! What a summer! We had a wonderful time at the festivals this summer. Thank you to all who stopped in to say "Hi" and give us a hug. Thanks to all those who supported us by purchasing our products! We plan to continue to bring you the latest in new bluegrass and we'll always keep some of the oldies but goodies on hand!

We are thrilled to announce the arrival of our very own "Bluegrass Edition's" cd!!! Yup, it finally arrived and it's sounding and selling good!! See us at the jams or winter concerts to get it or any of the other great cds we have available!!

Other new releases include Rhonda Vincent, Dailey and Vincent, Dale Anne Bradley, North to Ontario 2009, Rob Ickes, Lonesome River Band and The Crowe Brothers!!

Here's "What's Hot" for September:

1. RO-0608 Grascals "Keep on walkin"
2. Reb1825 Junior Sisk and Rambler's Choice "Blue side of the Blueridge"
3. comp4506 Gibson Brothers "Ring the Bell"
4. ROU0617 Dailey and Vincent "Brothers from different mothers"
5. ROU0623 Rhonda Vincent "Destination Life"
6. ROU0609 New Found Road "Same old place"
7. RO-0586 Tyminski "Wheels"
8. NTO-09 North to Ontario 2009
9. ROU0647 Steve Martin "The Crow"
10. CDN-059 Bluegrass Edition "Diamond"

We'll see you all down the line folks!! Take care. Yours in bluegrass, Shannon and Dan Campbell  
[www.campbellscornermusicsales.com](http://www.campbellscornermusicsales.com)

### Membership Advantages

- Sense of belonging, knowing you are a part of a proud club such as ours!!
- You are supporting the Owen Sound and area bluegrass club. Thank you!! It helps us to continue to preserve and promote bluegrass in our area and provide some first class entertainment!
- You receive \$2.00 off ticket prices at our "Winter Concert Series" which begins in February!
- You will receive a monthly newsletter from September to June. Done via e-mail or "snail" mail, it keeps you updated on all the goings on in and around our area!

- The ability to attend our Annual General Meeting (A.G.M.) and have a listen and a say in what goes on in your club!
- After being a member in good standing for at least one year, you are eligible to be on our Board of Directors!
- It is your admittance to our annual campout/celebration in July, as well as other family fun events we may have!!

**REMEMBER:** Open to all people, young and old, not just members...

We have jam sessions at the Legion every Thursday night from 7:30-10:30!!

Bring your instruments or just yourself and ENJOY!!!

### September 2009 Club Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 <a href="#">Jam at the Legion</a>	11	12
13 <a href="#">Jam at Montanas</a>	14	15	16	17 <a href="#">Jam at the Legion</a>	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 <a href="#">Jam at the Legion</a>	25	26
27	28	29	30	1 <a href="#">Jam at the Legion</a>	2	3

We meet for jams every Thursday evening from 7:30 p.m.– 10:30 p.m. Owen Sound Legion, North Atlantic Room, 1450 - 2nd Ave. West, Owen Sound, Ontario. And on the first Sunday of each month at Montana's Cookhouse Saloon, 1555 18th Avenue East Owen Sound, Ontario. Club membership fees are \$15 per family, including children under 15, for the year. The year begins and ends in September, excluding July and August. Members receive a monthly club newsletter through either email or regular mail. Members can also submit items for our newsletter and web page buy and sell section.