

# FORESTWOOD EXPRESSIONS

AUGUST 2005

## Goals and Guidelines of Forestwood Co-operative Newsletter Committee

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Approved by Board: April 21, 1992

## *A Note from the Newsletter Committee*

This is a note to thank someone who has made an enormous difference in the life of Forestwood Co-op. Anne Murray has been the Property Manager at Forestwood long before it was a co-op, and over the years she has been directly involved in every aspect of the co-op's life. A great big THANK YOU ANNE for all your hard work and dedication. We wish you all the best for the future. Relax and enjoy a new chapter in your life!

## *Remember when...*

Our high school days are ending - time to choose our future endeavours. Jeepers, what do I do next? Our nun, sister, teacher, confidante was there for us to point out our strengths and maybe some weaknesses. Sister thought I had the makings to become a teacher and even into religious life. That would be too tall an order for me. My friends, all of my life, were made up of fellows and gals that I had grown up with. Two older brothers were also in our gang. My eldest brother was in university, the next in line had joined the Air Force. He wanted to be a pilot but found out he was colour blind. He ended up training as an aircraft mechanic. My sister chose to stay home and work in a drug lab in packaging and assembling. My choice was nursing. My going away party took place in a long wide veranda on a very hot evening. In those days, these were not gift giving parties like today. They were just real fun evenings. Part of the evening as usual was spent square dancing. My dad played the music and did the calling while my Mom prepared the snacks. It was a great time in our lives. It was in 1939 the World's Fair opened in New York, just six months before World War Two was declared. Germany never joined the 60 other countries at the New York World Fair, they were absent. My Aunt and Uncle attended and marveled at the technology of the time, even the start of television. How many remember the tiny black and white TV screens? We had one in time. The repairs were so easy, that if a tube burnt out, you pulled it out, if it was cold. Then you'd go to the drug store and buy a new one and just pushed it into the back of the TV. The family still has that TV today, even with the rabbit ears, but you can't buy the tubes. Sixty nations took part in the New York World's Fair, 1,300 businesses were represented. President Roosevelt did the opening address. 1939 was a memorable year, 1940 Churchill and England were bombed and came into the fray by declaring war. Canada had McKenzie King at the helm and we followed suit into the war. The first Canadian people signed up for home defense, then conscription came about. The Americans didn't come into the war until much later. Until next time.....

Submitted By: B. Antaya

- 1 To maintain open communications with our Co-operative at the member level, the Board level, the staff level and the Committee level.
- 2 To maintain the concept of being a Newsletter for the General Membership. The Newsletter is not a tool for individuals to air their personal grievances.
- 3 To set and maintain a set of ethics by reporting in a moral, tactful and considerate manner.

### **Policies**

The Newsletter will not print any articles that are religious or political in nature or are clearly personal grievances. Any statements and/or opinions expressed are those of the writer and unless otherwise stated, are not necessarily endorsed by the Newsletter Committee or Forestwood Co-operative. The Newsletter Committee or the Co-operative will not accept responsibility for them. No editorials and/or opinions can or will be printed if submitted anonymously.

### **Join in the fun!**

We welcome new committee members! Come to a meeting and get involved! Submit an article or help with the translating, editing, photocopying or delivering. Newsletter Committee meetings are held on the **3rd Monday of each month**. All articles should be submitted to the office and addressed to the Newsletter Committee by the **3rd Friday of each month**. You can also submit or offer any comments by e-mail: [eps@forestwood.ca](mailto:eps@forestwood.ca)

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 2005

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Board of Directors 6:00 pm (regular and in camera)	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>			

Please accept our apologies for any omissions of committee meetings or of other important dates.  
To have an event placed in next month's calendar, please submit a note to the office marked Newsletter Calendar.