

# TABOR MANOR



## Tabor Times

July 2012

### FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The roof is on! The roof is on! We hit a major milestone in the past few weeks with the installation of the prefabricated concrete on the roof top. One of our next major initiatives is to complete the roof with the installation of insulation and a rubber membrane. Once this is complete, drywall can begin in the lower floors. Work continues on the upper floors with electrical and plumbing.

The construction site is busy, with between 25 and 30 people on site each day. I am so pleased to see that everyone is getting along and that people are working diligently to build a top quality home.

We are grateful for the many families and friends of Tabor Manor who have donated toward our bed campaign. We have a ways to go on this project and remain confident that over the next six months we will achieve our target of raising \$256,000 for the purchase of new beds for our 128 residents. Please feel free to contact me or come to the front office if you have any questions about this exciting donation project.

Have a great summer!  
*Tim Siemens, Executive Director*



### CELEBRATIONS

Viola Kennedy - July 15  
Phyllis Kirvan - July 13  
Anna Klassen - July 2  
Mabel McCourt - July 11

### IMPORTANT DATES

1 - Canada Day  
4 - Canada Day Fellowship  
5 - Sailboat Races  
5 - Singing with Jon & Tim  
11 - July Birthday Party  
12 - Sundaes in the Sun  
19 - Muskoka Morning  
23 - Picnic Games  
24 - Silvert's Clothing Sale  
26 - Hat Day  
27 - Peach Social

## HERITAGE DAY



While Heritage Day requires more planning than every other event on the calendar, it is definitely my favorite!

What a beautiful day we had to celebrate Tabor Manor's seniors! It was so wonderful to see so many of our residents and tenants, staff and

family members gather to enjoy time together. The day was filled with good food, good entertainment and good fun!

Thank-you so very much to all of my volunteers and Auxiliary members for all of their hard work! ~Megan

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*Canada's Four Seasons: Almost Winter, Winter, Still Winter, Construction*

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## YOU KNOW YOU'RE CANADIAN WHEN...

You talk about the weather with friends and strangers alike.

You know what a Robertson screwdriver is.

You have Canadian Tire money in your wallet.

You wonder why there isn't a 5 dollar coin yet.

You are excited whenever an American television show mentions Canada.

You design your Halloween costumes to fit over a snowsuit.

You own 5 pairs of skates and one pair of shoes.

You know that Canadian Tire on any Saturday is busier than the toy stores before Christmas.

You can sing the National Anthem in more than one language.

You perk up when you hear the theme song from "Hockey Night in Canada".

Your local paper covers the national news on 2 pages but requires 6 pages for hockey.

When in Niagara Falls, you scoff at how pathetic the American falls are compared to the Canadian ones.

You've plugged your car in overnight.

You're fascinated by minute differences between the U.S. and Canada, and a bit annoyed at Europeans who can't tell you apart.

If you've ever worn mittens and sandals at the same time, and were comfortable doing so, because you weren't the only one dressed like that.

You know what a "double-double" is.

"Eh?" is a very important part of your vocabulary and more polite than "huh?"

Driving is better in the winter because the potholes are filled with snow.

Someone stepped on your foot. You apologize.

You pity people who haven't tasted a "beavertail".

You've ever had your tongue stuck to something.

You have more kilometers on your snow blower than your car.

You measure distance in hours.

You are proud to put ketchup on anything.

