



HAMILTON FIRE DEPARTMENT PENSIONERS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER



September 2026

CALENDAR

**September 8th
September 2nd
September 30th
October 21st**

Quarterly Meeting - MBYC
2026-2027 OHEP program to start.
HPFFA Sports Assoc. – President's Cup Golf Tournament
2026 Annual Pensioner's Banquet

Alternate Thursdays

Boomer's Social Thursdays – see website for the schedule

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Next Quarterly Meeting

Tuesday, September 8, 2026 at 10:30 am

Macassa Bay Yacht Club

80 Harbourfront Dr (just off Bayfront Park)

Doors open at 10:00 am. Come and chat with colleagues and have a coffee, courtesy of Bob Mueller, our MBYC host.

Parking in the Compound is Available

No Street Parking – Obey Signs
Overflow Parking at Bayfront Park

Do Not Enter the Marine Police Compound



Hamilton Professional Fire Fighters Association

Annual Labour Day Parade
Monday, September 7, 2026

Assemble at 177 Bay St N for 9:30 am – Mechanical Division
Labour Day shirts and hats will be handed out at this point. We will proceed from here to our designated starting position for the start of the parade at 10:30 am. Refreshment will be provided at Bayfront Park

OHEP 2026-2027 OHEP Screening Program

Day	Date	Morning		Afternoon	Location
Wednesday	Sept 2	8 to 11:30	&	12:30 to 3	Station 4
Wednesday	Sept 9	8 to 11:30	&	12:30 to 3	Station 4
Friday	Sept 11	8 to 12		CLOSED	Station 4
Wednesday	Sept 16	8 to 11:30	&	12:30 to 3	Station 4
Friday	Sept 18	8 to 12		CLOSED	Station 4
Wednesday	Sept 23	8 to 11:30	&	12:30 to 3	Station 4
Saturday	Oct 3	8 to 12		CLOSED	Station 18 Binbrook
Saturday	Oct 24	8 to 12		CLOSED	Station 25 Greensville
Saturday	Oct 31	8 to 12		CLOSED	Station 4

All screening times are considered as "Walk-in"

Call Alison Moore for a LifeLabs requisition if it is inconvenient to visit the screening clinics

Alison Moore, OHEP Coordinator
Email: amoore@ohclinic.ca
Phone/Text: 905-570-3971

All Retired HFD members are welcome to participate



H.P.F.F.A. Sports Association



President's Cup Golf Tournament

Wednesday, September 30th

1 pm Shotgun Start

Dinner & Prizes at Endzone Bar & Grill

1305 Main St East

Registration: \$125.00 – due at the course on tournament day

Register at: stevenventresca@gmail.com

Text: (905) 515-7788 to register a team



2026 Pensioner's Banquet

Wednesday, October 21st

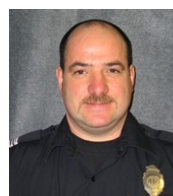
Carmen's Banquet Centre

Additional information will be available at a later date

Last Alarm



Ross Blair
June 24, 2026



Vince Oddi
July 9, 2026



2026 Retiring Local 288 Members			
Phil Newport January 1, 2026	Dave Cramm January 31, 2026	Cameron Setarehnejad May 11, 2026	Lance McNeil June 30, 2026
Kyle Clapdorp July 12, 2026	Wayne Robillard July 31, 2026	Mike Cascioli September 30, 2026	David P Turner November 20, 2026

	Family Memorials	
April		
April	A memorial donation was sent to the "Boots On The Ground Peer Support for First Responders", remembering Derek Guiney	
July	Condolence Card – Oddi Family re Vince Oddi	
August	Condolence card – Hamelin Family – Mike's mother	

Good and Welfare

If you have information about any of our retirees that are hospitalized, moved to a Long Term Care (LTC) residence or a rehabilitation facility, please notify us by email at

info@hamiltonfirepensioners.ca



Paul Marchese
Paul is residing at The Village of Wentworth Heights LTC, room 1235



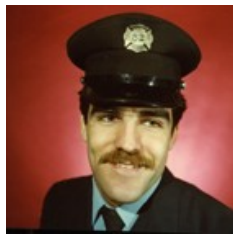
Walter Romachyk
Moved to Extendicare 90 Chedmac Dr; Rm. 1233
Visitors very welcome



Don Alford
Don has retired as the Good and Welfare Chair due to declining health issues.



Norm Bush
During a recent phone call Norm indicated that he is doing relatively well.



Jim Steep
Jim is now back home
Visitors are Welcome



Ron MacIntyre
Ressam Gardens
1041 West 5th St



Ed McGrane
Now at
Edgewater Gardens
428 Broad St W
Dunville
Welcomes Calls
(905) 774-2242



Ernie Mills
The Meadows
Long Term Care
12 Tranquility Ave
Ancaster. Room 2227
Visitors Welcome



Carl Cameron
At home
Reported to have
Medical issues



Bob Cober
Wentworth Lodge
21 South St W - Dundas



Ken White
Roberta Place LTC
503 Essa Rd - Barrie



Dave Lumsden
Home
Cardiac Surgery



Fred Reading
Medical Issue
Currently at home



If you are aware of any of our members that are
having medical difficulties, email me at:
info@hamiltonfirepensioners.ca



Mike Jackson
Hospitalized for tests
Discharged 8-27

Go Fund Me – Jacqueline Robillard (Wayne)		
	The Executive received an email from Local 288 regarding an email received from an undisclosed member that re the wife (Jacqueline), of recently retired member Wayne Robillard has been suffering illnesses for 25 years which the family has incurred considerable medical expenses. A Go Fund Me account has been established to assist with the expenses. This matter will be brought to the floor at the September quarterly meeting for discussion.	
	As of Printing	
	Goal: \$22,000	
	Amount Raised: \$ 10,000	
	Thank You to all of our members that have generously donated.	