



## JFAO Bugle - April 2008

### JFAO

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### Now Available on the JFAO Website

[International Delegate Host Application](#) Forms!

Info on the 2008 JFAO Provincial Charity – [Farm Safety Association!](#)

JFAO [Policies](#) Updated March 2008

JFAO [Constitution](#) Updated April 2008

[2007 JFAO Annual Report](#) – copies available from the office!

The New JFAO [Executive!](#)

We are always looking for more [club news!](#)

### SPECIAL NOTES

**ALL Provincial Directors and Club Presidents should review the new JFAO [Policies](#) and JFAO [Constitution](#).** These are the documents that govern how JF works, including basic rules for events and being a JF club. They were significantly revised and updated at March Conference in order to be clearer and to cover important areas that were missing. Should you have any concerns with a policy, e-mail Cecelia McMorro through [pastpresident@jfao.on.ca](mailto:pastpresident@jfao.on.ca), preferably two weeks before the next PD meeting.

**Leadership Camp Committee** - anyone interested in helping organize Leadership Camp, contact Camille Black at [leadershipcamp@jfao.on.ca](mailto:leadershipcamp@jfao.on.ca) or Gill Richardson at [membership@jfao.on.ca](mailto:membership@jfao.on.ca) within the next two weeks. There is a max of 6 spots available on committee! Leadership Camp details will be available at the April PD Meeting.

**Club E-mails** – if your club would like its own members@clubname.jfao.on.ca mailing list, contact Kyle Maw at [webmaster@jfao.on.ca](mailto:webmaster@jfao.on.ca) with a list of your members' e-mail addresses.

**Message Board** – check out the new all-JFAO controlled [JFAO Forums!](#) No advertising! Note you will need to re-register.

**Website** – if you've noticed some oddities in the way it displays – please bear with us, this is temporarily being caused by some back-end maintenance.

**Cookbooks** - if your club needs JFAO Cookbooks to sell, contact [fundraising@jfao.on.ca](mailto:fundraising@jfao.on.ca)- limited quantities left - If you have extra cookbooks, JFAO may be interested in purchasing some back.

### Missing Club Requirements

This list will be updated this month – if your club has not sent a finance or affiliation form for 2007, or membership form for 2008, please do so as soon as possible.

*Clubs from which we do not have 2007 Affiliation Reports:*

*Grey – North*

Wellington – Erin  
Dundas

Note – affiliation reports will be available for pick-up at the April Board of Directors meeting.

## Outstanding Debts to JFAO

Please note, these charges were approved in the past by a vote by all JF clubs to encourage each club to send at least one member to each provincial event and take advantage of JF opportunities, and to help clubs and committees better budget for hosting events. Should there be any errors or your club has any concerns or difficulty, please contact [Kimberly Callaghan](#) or make sure your club is represented at the next Provincial Director's meeting. Note clubs who recruit a member to attend the event do not pay the fee. During their first year new clubs only pay for members actually participating.

**\$75 Owing to Haldimand-Norfolk JF for Winter Games, Feb 2008**

**\*\* PAST DUE -- SEND DIRECTLY TO HALDIMAND-NORFOLK JF AS PER [WINTER GAMES INFO](#)**

Grey - Rocklyn  
Halton  
North Simcoe  
Perth

All other Outstanding Debts to JFAO reported last month have now been invoiced – please pay ASAP.

## Winners Announced at March Conference – Congratulations!

**JFAO Club of the Year – Rocklyn JF**  
**JFAO Agricultural Club of the Year – Essex-Kent**  
**Best Scrapbook – Essex-Kent**  
**Outstanding Retiring Member – Barclay Nap, Wentworth**  
**Outstanding Member – Graham Johnston, Peel**  
**Outstanding Novice Member – Brent Piercey, Peel**  
**15 Year Member – Graeme Harris, Halton**

### *Exchange Trip Winners*

**Australia/New Zealand – Ian Phillips**  
**Ireland – Krista McAvoy**  
**Switzerland – Simon Garlough**  
**Germany – Kim McCaw**  
**Alberta – Mike Sproxton**

**Toronto Maple Leafs Tickets for 2008-09 Game - Nick Bartlett**

### *Top 10 Clubs of 2007*

**Rocklyn**  
**Lanark**  
**Durham East**  
**Peel**  
**Essex-Kent**  
**Peterborough**  
**U of G**  
**Wentworth**  
**Perth**  
**Haldimand-Norfolk**

## Upcoming JFAO Events & Deadlines

**NOTE: If you have a club event open to other members coming up in April or May and it is not listed here, it needs to be added to the [JFAO Events calendar](#).**

**PLEASE POST YOUR CLUB MEETINGS ON THE JFAO EVENTS CALENDAR - IF YOU HAVE A REGULAR MEETING NIGHT YOU CAN SET IT TO FILL IN ALL THE DATES - [webmaster@jfao.on.ca](mailto:webmaster@jfao.on.ca) for help.**

**Follow the links to more information / registration forms / e-mail.**

April 5

**Learn to Curl** – open to anyone, experienced and non-experienced  
Grimsby Curling Club 4-6 pm – Contact [niagarajf@jfao.on.ca](mailto:niagarajf@jfao.on.ca)

April 17

**[Wellington](#) Pre-planting Spaghetti Dinner** - 6 pm Drayton Ag Hall

April 19

**South Simcoe JF Dance** – Cookstown Curling Club - \$10/person or \$8/JF members  
Contact [nichol\\_cassandra@hotmail.com](mailto:nichol_cassandra@hotmail.com)

April 25

**DEADLINE** - monthly club info for distribution in the JFAO [Bugle](#)  
**DEADLINE** - News items for the Spring JF [Bullhorn](#) newsletter

April 26

**Provincial Directors Training** - [RSVP](#) 2 weeks before to the office whether coming or not. (\$10 fine)  
Hosted by UofG JF at the JFAO Office, Ontario AgriCentre, 100 Stone Rd. W., Guelph

**DEADLINE** – For clubs in Zone 3 to submit bids/budget to [Kimberly Callaghan](#) for Winter Games 2009.

April 27

**Provincial Directors Meeting** - Coffee is at 8:30, Meeting starts at 9 am sharp. [RSVP](#) 2 weeks before to the office whether coming or not. (\$10 fine)  
Hosted by UofG JF at the JFAO Office, Ontario AgriCentre, 100 Stone Rd. W., Guelph

May 1

**DEADLINE** - JFAO International Exchange [Host Applications](#)

May 2

**Kawartha JF/Lindsay Rugby Club Spring Dance** – Lindsay Rugby Club

May 3

**2003 Past President Mary Feldskov's wedding** in Palmerston – JF will be helping to serve the meal as a fundraiser – contact Cecelia McMorrow through [pastpresident@jfao.on.ca](mailto:pastpresident@jfao.on.ca) to volunteer!

**Lambton JF Spring Dance** – Proceeds to Charity

May 31

**Buck & Doe for Adam McLeod & Heidi Farough** - \$15.00 includes pig roast dinner and live band @ McLeod Farms in Cottam, Ontario - contact Heather McLeod 905-955-5677

[Heather\\_McLeod1985@hotmail.com](mailto:Heather_McLeod1985@hotmail.com) for more info & tickets.

## March PD Meeting Action List

- Joe to locate last meeting's minutes
- Counties to give Barclay ideas for golf tournament prizes
- Provincial Charity cheques to Brad before AGM
- Everyone to ask alumni if they have any knowledge of the United Kingdom Challenge Trophy, and where we might find it
- Find out if OFA has a lawyer on staff that we could consult
- Cecelia to look into parental permissions for members under 18
- Send corrections and new recipes to Barclay
- Simon to talk to Angie Giles regarding a Grenville vs. Lanark basketball game

## Membership Rates 2008

**\$25 New members all year, Now \$40 Returning Members**

**NOTE CLUB TRANSFERS/REPLACEMENT CARDS COST \$5**