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- ◆ *Secretary - Robin Begin*
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- ◆ Submissions are welcomed and appreciated
- ◆ Editor - Cathy O'Donnell - odonnell@mcmaster.ca
- ◆ Submission deadline for next issue - June 1

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE - Rod Curran



Spring is fast approaching and your executive is quite excited about our conference hosted by York University. The night of May 17 plan to attend our meet and greet at the Hilton Garden Inn as the President of IACLEA Mr. Marlon Lynch will be in attendance. Our conference opening guest speaker is Chief Armand La Barge of York Regional Police Service and he will speak about police, college and university partnerships. On May 19th for a full day we are pleased to have Lt. Col. Dave Grossman speak on "Safe Schools Healthy Students" you won't want to miss this presentation.

Your executive have been very busy lobbying the government for funding, dealing with issues such as the white

paper on Special Constables which the OACP has submitted to the Ministry. This is going to be a tough year financially for all of our institutions and most of us are required to make budget cuts which could mean lay offs of security personnel. It is very important to document all calls for service and promote your security service to your institution. We have all come a long way during the past four years since the Dawson College incident to enhance safety on our campuses.

I would like to thank my executive for their hard work during the past two years. We have accomplished a lot but there is still more to do. We have up dated the OACUSA constitution and will be bringing the new version to the membership at the Spring Conference. I would like to thank Claude

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SPRING CONFERENCE - Ken Tooby - York University

York University is the host institution for our 2010 conference which will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn located in Vaughan.

The theme of this years conference is "Global Threats, Local Solutions". Hopefully, you will all leave with a greater awareness of

the remedies and tools that we have within our own backyard to effectively cope with the threats which our respective institutions face.

To assist us all with this, our speakers include experts on Child Sexual Exploitation, Anti-Terrorism, Hate

Crimes and Extremism and of course our guest speaker, Lt. Col Dave Grossman U.S. Army (Ret.)

On the social side, our first night features a dinner at the hotel followed by the humour and entertainment of "Duelling Pianos".

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PONDERINGS

*"Find and use
the good
hidden
in a bad time"*



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE - CONT'D

for his work on this.

The Threat Assessment Training has now been completed and we were able to train over 800 university and college professionals. Every college and university now has the tools to form a Threat Assessment Team.

If you have any concerns or issues feel free to contact any member of our executive. Our association is strong due to the member input and the sharing of information that I see on the List Serve.

In closing I look forward to meeting everyone at the Spring Conference and it has been a pleasure serving as your President for the past 4 years.

SPRING CONFERENCE - CONT'D from page 1

Night two takes us to Woodbine Racetrack where we will dine at a trackside facility which will offer us front row seating to that night's thoroughbred racing card.

We have received terrific support from local restaurants & entertainment facilities who have offered our members great discounts for the duration of the conference.

Sponsorship for the conference is a near sell out and I will encourage you all to make visitation of our Trade Show an absolute must. Our sponsors have come through for us, please make sure that

you all take the time to visit their booths and inquire about their products and services.

Our host hotel planners have put in a lot of hours with planning assistance, it looks like the venue will be superb and enjoyable for all. Our room rates have been set, please ensure that you book your rooms as soon as possible. The website link for all of your hotel needs is attached here:

[http://
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Planning for this year's conference is down to the wire now, I believe that we have put together a great conference which you will find informative, relevant and enjoyable.

I hope to see you all at this year's conference, if any of you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached either via email at ktooby@yorku.ca or at work 416-736-5361.

Thanks and
see you in
May





UPCOMING EVENTS

2010 CONFERENCE

“Global Threats, Local Solutions”

May 18, 19, 20

Hilton Garden Inn Toronto/Vaughan

Hosted by York University

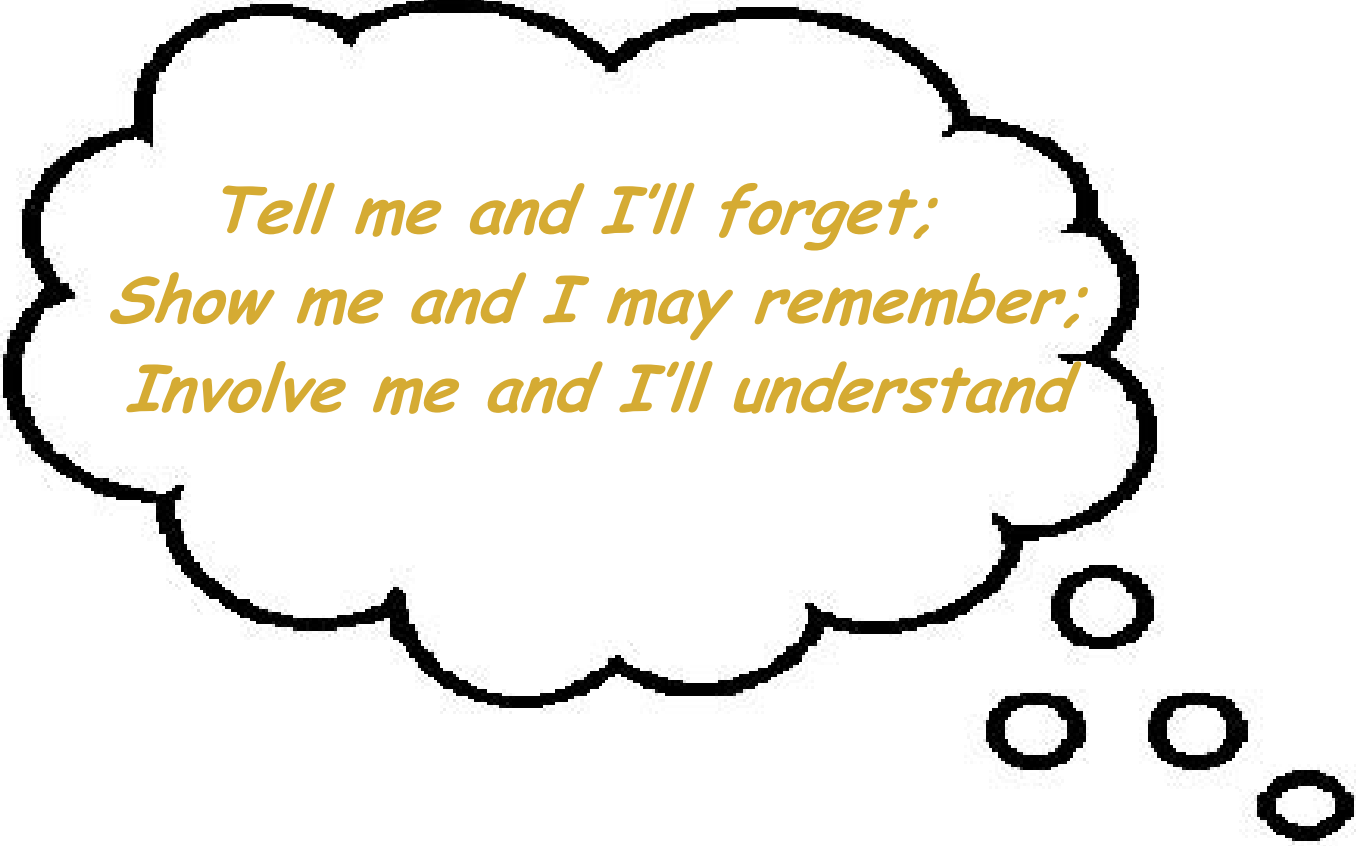
Register and Book your room TODAY!

DRAFT OACUSA CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

As part of this years Annual General Meeting we will be reviewing potential changes to our Constitution and Bylaws.

The proposed changes (along with the current documents) are available on line @

<http://www.oacusa.ca/members.html>



*Tell me and I'll forget;
Show me and I may remember;
Involve me and I'll understand*

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2010 Conference Special Guests



Lt. Col. Dave Grossman

Lt. Col. Dave Grossman is a former West Point Psychology Professor, Professor of Military Science, and an Army Ranger who has combined his experience to become the founder of the field of scientific endeavour, which has been termed “killology”.

He will be our full day Key Note Speaker on the topic of "Safe Schools Healthy Students".



Chief Armand La Barge

Chief Armand La Barge began his career with York Regional Police in 1973. On December 12, 2002, he was appointed as Chief of Police. Chief La Barge is the Past President of the Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police and he is a member of the Board of Directors for the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police and a member of the First Nations Chiefs of Police Association.

Chief Armand La Barge will speak to our members at our opening ceremonies on May 18 for 30 minutes. He will speak on “Partnerships between the police and the universities and Colleges.”



Marlon C. Lynch

Marlon C. Lynch is 2009-2010 President of the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators. Lynch was appointed in February of 2009 as the Associate Vice President for Safety and Security at the University of Chicago.

Marlon Lynch will be attending our conference as a Special Guest and will be making some remarks as well as a Question and Answer session with the group.

2010 OACUSA CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

“Global Threats, Local Solutions”

May 18, 19, 10

Hilton Garden Inn Toronto/Vaughan
3201 Hwy #7 Vaughan (Hwy 400 & Hwy 7)
905-660-4700
<http://hiltongardeninn.hilton.com>

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