

Komet Tales...



Periodic newsletter of the Kawartha Komets Special Needs Hockey Program

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KAWARTHA KOMETS TAKE ON THE PETERBOROUGH PETES...

Be sure to mark **Sunday, November 1st, 2015** on your calendar. The **Komets** will be facing off against our **Peterborough Petes** at the **Peterborough Memorial Centre** at **1:00 p.m.** **ADMISSION IS FREE.** Our Komets players will be collecting pledges and donations leading up to the date. All proceeds from this game will go to help send our players to their annual Special Hockey tournament. The **Petes** are celebrating their **60th Anniversary** this year and the **Komets** are celebrating our **7th season**.

RINKBOARD SIGN WINNERS...

The **Kawartha Komets Special Needs Hockey Program** was excited to learn that we were the winners of the **Peterborough Petes' Rinkboard Advertising Sign Contest**. Out of twelve entries we won 1st Prize and our Kawartha Komets sign (pictured) is



proudly displayed on the boards on the west side of the **Peterborough Memorial Centre** near the penalty box. **CONGRATULATIONS** to the Komets! We are grateful to the Petes for holding this contest as part of their **60th Anniversary** celebrations and excited about the exposure our program will receive. In conjunction with this contest the **Kawartha Komets** have 60 tickets for the **Peterborough Petes** game on November 18th against the Ottawa 67's.



WELCOME TO OUR NEW PLAYERS & FAMILIES...Every year we welcome new players and families to our organization. The players are anxious to put on their Komets jerseys and be part of our organization. It's been rewarding over the summer months to meet these new players and their families and get to know them. **WELCOME** to the **Kawartha Komets Special Needs Hockey Program!** Together we will be **"Making Dreams Come True."**

KAWARTHA KOMETS AT THE CANADA DAY PARADE...Again this

summer we had the honour and privilege of being asked by the **City of Peterborough** to be the official flag bearers for the **Canada Day Parade**. In addition to carrying the flags of our city, country, provinces and territories our



players carried the flags of all the nations that participated in the **Pan Am and Parapan Am Games** in Toronto. **THANK YOU** to all our players, families, coaches, volunteers and board members who participated in the parade. It was a great day for the **Komets!** We were **BLAZING!**



SUMMER FUN AT ELIM LODGE... The **Kawartha Komets** enjoyed our annual **Summer Picnic, BBQ and Pool Party** at beautiful **Elim Lodge** on Pigeon Lake in early August. We had exclusive use of one of the swimming pools and our families enjoyed the playground, basketball, soccer, ball hockey and a great game of baseball to close off the afternoon. This was the 3rd summer that we have enjoyed the excellent facilities at Elim. The food was great, prepared by **Dennis Missios**, and everyone seemed to have a great time. One of our dedicated parents, **Janet Farrow**, arranged for a school bus (she drove it) to pick up those who needed a ride from Peterborough and back. The weather was perfect and it was great to spend the afternoon together!



LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS...



The **Kawartha Komets Special Needs Hockey Program** is always looking for volunteers to join our ever-expanding program. If you have an interest in working with individuals with special needs and experiencing the thrill of seeing dreams come true, call **Carol Fisher** at (705) 750-0655 (home) or (705) 868-8825 (cell) or e-mail the **Kawartha Komets** at: dwfisher@nexicom.net

OUR MAJOR CORPORATE SPONSOR...



We are grateful for the generous support of **Mary McGee** again for the **2015-2016** season. **Mrs. McGee** is pleased with the opportunity she has to do something significant in honor of her late husband **Jack McGee**. **Jack**, the founder of **McGee Chevrolet Cadillac**, did so much for sports in Peterborough. The **Komets** are pleased to display the **McGee** logo on our jerseys, brochures and promotional materials. Thank you, **Mary**, for your ongoing support & encouragement. And...if you're in the market for a new vehicle, please consider **McGee Chevrolet Cadillac** in support of those who support us.

THE KAWARTHA KOMETS BOARD OF DIRECTORS...

The **Kawartha Komets Special Needs Hockey Program** is governed by a **Board of Directors** who meet regularly to discuss the affairs of our organization. We have a unique cross-section of individuals who are passionate about the ongoing success of the Komets.

Our present Board of Directors is made up of the following individuals:

Adam McInroy – President	Andre Peters – Treasurer	Kate Dykstra – Secretary	Lorrie Powers
Kathy Dracup-Harris – Vice-President	Carol Fisher	David Fisher	Lisa Mills
Dennis Missios	Teri Johnstone	Robert Krueger	

THE KAWARTHA KOMETS...A REGISTERED CHARITY...

The **Kawartha Komets Special Needs Hockey Program** is a registered charitable organization with the **Canada Revenue Agency**. Our registration number is **801414939 RR0001**. As such we can issue official income tax receipts for any donation of \$20.00 or more. Thank you for considering how you might invest in the lives of the Kawartha Komets players, helping us to fulfil our mandate of **"Making Dreams Come True"**.

Submissions for future editions of Komet Tales are gladly accepted from players, coaches, volunteers, board members and family members.



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