

CHAMBER CHATTER

July 2008 Chamber News

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The Drayton Valley & District Chamber of Commerce has recently had some changes at the office. The Chamber is a total voluntary board now so the office will be closed for the summer until further notice. The Board of Directors are still responding to messages and emails and Chamber Cash can still be purchased or dropped off at **Paperchase Office Products** 780-542-4645, or just dropped off at **Cake and Coffee House** 780-542-7040. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Tom Campbell at **780-898-7988**.

We would also like to again congratulate **Terry and Darlene Gavigan** for the Farm Family Award and **The Drayton Valley Bakery & Café** for Business of the Year award. They were both presented with awards and gift bags at the **GAER 4th Annual Celebration of Success** ceremony on June 18.



We also would like to welcome **Top Gear Motorsports** as the Chambers' very first Corporate Sponsor! Thank you Top Gear!

Our very own president, **Tom Campbell** took part in the Greased Pig competition at the **Brazeau County Fair** on June 14. He tied for 1st place! Congratulations Tom!



Check out the Trade Show pictures on the Chamber's website.
www.dvchamber.com

Upcoming Events or News

The **Town of Drayton Valley** is hosting **Canada Day** celebrations on **July 1st** at the **Rotary Park**. There will be a parade that starts at **10 am** and then afterwards let the fun begin! There will be a Penny Carnival, Dunk Tank, Stage Performances, Petting Zoo, Balloon Artist and so much more!!

From **5 pm to 8 pm** you can enjoy the **"Taste of Drayton Valley"** and don't forget the ever-popular fireworks at **11:00 pm!** Bring your kids and have a fun day during the Canada Day celebrations! For more information please contact **780-514-2200**.

Don't forget that you can take your old ink cartridges – laser or inkjet and even your old cell phones (small ones) to **Paperchase Office Products** and they will send them away for recycling. All money received will go towards the **Drayton Valley Health Services Foundation** to help construct a larger heliport for the new **STARS** air ambulance.

The Town of Drayton Valley will be hosting a barbecue on **July 4th** for guest of honours – Honorable **Stockwell Day**, Minister of Public Safety, and our Member of Parliament, **Rob Merrifield**.

Top Gear Motorsports are having their Grand Opening on **Thursday July 3**. Come on down and join them for smokies and refreshments and check out their sales on 2006 and 2007 models still in stock. You can also enter your name for a **QUAD** giveaway!

"Chamber Chatter" will be on holidays until the end of August.

All of us at the Chamber would like to wish you all a fun-filled summer!!

