



CONVENTION 2022



From the Chair Couple:

Freddy Beach. The City of Stately Elms. Willie O'Ree. Freddy the Nude Dude. Poet's Corner of Canada. The Saint John River. The Celestial City.

Fredericton is known for many things beyond what is listed above. Those are just some of the most popular words that come to mind when you mention "Fredericton". Do you know any other words that comes to mind when we say Fredericton? **Convention 2022!**

It's hard to believe that as we write this little hello message to all of you, that we are now less than a year away from the start of something great. As the world starts to open up from what has been a new normal of life, we will be able to gather and celebrate the return of the events we so have loved and missed for the last eighteen months. We will all celebrate in Fredericton!

Please encourage your friends to register. Come along for the dancing and stay awhile to explore what Fredericton, our Province and what the Maritimes has to offer. You will be sure to find all kinds of opportunities to make the most joyous memories while attending Convention 2022!

Registration Numbers:

At the time of the printing of this newsletter, our current registration number stands at 265. We are certainly well on our way but because we have a maximum capacity of 800 for this convention, please do not wait to register. We would really hate to have to turn people away for lack of space as we get closer to the date.

On August 1, 2021, our last price increase has taken place. So please make sure you submit the newest and most current registration form when submitting your information.

Calling all Clubs:

Are you planning an event that could be a pre-event or post event of the Convention? Are you thinking of hosting your own Trail Out Dance to Convention 2022? If so, we would like to hear of your events so that we may publicize them in our newsletter and social media as there may be some who are travelling and would like to join you.

Of course we will be having our own Trail In Dance on the Wednesday evening of July 20, as a pre-kick-off party of the Convention. Details for that dance will follow as the convention gets closer.

Hilton Garden Inn:

The Hilton Garden Inn in Fredericton is now able to accept reservations directly by hitting the following link or calling the hotel directly at 506-999-1551. The Hilton Garden Inn is attached to the Convention Centre by an enclosed Pedway.

<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?cityhocr=YFCNWGI&groupCode=FDCNB&arrivaldate=2022-07-20&departuredate=2022-07-23&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT>

Grand Finale:

We have not even gotten to the start of the Convention and we are already talking about the Grand Finale – who does that? WE DO!

Over the next couple of newsletters, we will hint about our Grand Finale.

Hint # 1: In certain settings, the word "**SOCIABLE**" will be chanted during this type of event.