

HOMECOMING 2000 The town of High River, Alberta, in celebration of the millennium, is hosting a Homecoming 2000 weekend from June 30 to July 3. All past residents of High River are invited to attend the event. As part of the celebration, High River Detachment will be recognizing 100 years of policing in High River with a reception at the new Detachment. All former members and family of High River Detachment are welcome! For more information, please contact the High River Millennium Reunion Committee by phone (403) 601-1234, by fax (403) 652-2396 or by e-mail at: homecoming@town.highriver.ab.ca or www.highriver.ab.com

BIRTLE HOMECOMING PARADE Sgt. S.G. MacBeth (Rtd.) of Birtle, Manitoba, is coordinating the formation of the Services Contingent for the Birtle District 2000 Homecoming Parade on June 30, 2000. Former and current residents of the district with service in the military, RCMP, municipal police agencies, Legion and Legion Auxiliary are invited to participate. Anyone interested in attending can contact Sgt. MacBeth, Box 307, Birtle, Manitoba R0M 0C0, or call him at: (204) 842-3358.

CHRISTIAN OFFICERS RETREAT The Bluenose Chapter of the Canadian Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers is hosting an international retreat of Christian Law Enforcement Officers at the Lutheran Church Camp in Lake Mush-a-Mush, Lunenburg County (Halifax), Nova Scotia, from August 20-23, 2000. Registration commences on August 20 and runs through to August 23. There is a limit of 100 participants at the Church Camp and lodging and meals per day per person are \$25. Registration with a \$25 registration fee can be forwarded to conference chairman, David Collins Carter, Bluenose Chapter CFCPO, 450 LaHave Street, Suite 207, Bridgewater, Nova Scotia B4V 3T2. Mr. Carter can also be reached via e-mail at: retreat@hotmail.com

CHRISTIAN PEACE OFFICERS CONFERENCE Following on the heels of the international retreat is the annual national meeting and conference of the Canadian Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers at the Wandlyn Inn, 50 North Street, Bridgewater, Nova Scotia B4V 2V6. The inn is located 25 minutes from the retreat setting. Registration at the hotel can be completed by calling 1-800-561-0000 or (902) 543-7131. Registration is from August 24 to August 27, 2000. More information on the conference can be obtained by contacting the Bluenose Chapter FCPO, 450 LaHave Street, Suite 207, Bridgewater, Nova Scotia B4V 3T2 or by sending an e-mail to Ron Seney, National Vice President, FCPO Canada, at: rseney@hotmail.com

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✓ **Pen-pal** Fifteen-year-old Estelle Raut of France wishes to correspond with male or female members of the Force. Anyone interested in corresponding with her is asked to write to: Estelle Raut, 3 Chemin du Douët, 56150, Baud, France.

MAPLE LEAF LEGACY PROJECT This millennium project, started in April 1997, in London, Ontario, aims to compile a photographic archive of all of Canada's war graves of the 20th century (one Mounted Police grave has been located in northern Russia) and to make them available to anyone, free of charge, via an Internet web site. Approximately 8,500 graves have been photographed with 107,000 to go. Anyone interested in helping out with this worthwhile undertaking, should contact the Project Director, Steve Douglas, c/o 22 Southdown Rd., Tadley, Hampshire, RG26 4BT, England, or via e-mail: sdouglas2001@hotmail.com. For more information on this project, please check out their web site at: www.mllp.demon.co.uk