

Welcome

This is the first newsletter published by your new executive members (Wilson Mor & Lynn Daly) and we will be trying to not only entertain you but to provide you with useful information that will enhance your retired life.

We encourage you to participate in the events that are planned by the 3M Canada Retirees Club as well as other events with the 3M Club and outside the club domain.

You will see in the information below that we will be undertaking a survey of members to find out what they would like to come out of the club and of course to research possibilities based on this feedback.

In previous newsletters, our past president Ken Viner talked about improvements to the 3M Retirees website and you will continue to see this happen on an ongoing basis thanks to John Cramm and Pierre Holden and of course all of the contributors to content.

Our 3M Club Liaison, Chris Allen will be keeping us up to date on happenings at 3M when it comes to 3M news, events and other 3M Club offers that would benefit 3M Canada Retirees.

Enjoy this newsletter and encourage new 3M Retirees to join the club, stay abreast of what's happening and participate as much as they like. Retirees can go to 3mcanadaretirees.com to sign up.

Introducing your Executive Committee for 2016

Executive Committee 2016

President - Open

Past President - Ken Viner

Co-Vice Presidents - Wilson Mor & Lynn Daly

Secretary - Eleanor Sonier

Treasurer - Bill Kreitner

Membership - John Bryant

Associate Director - William Lock

Associate Director - Gerhard Frank

Web Services - John Cramm, Pierre Holden

3M Liaison - Chris Allen

We currently have an opening for the position of President as well we are looking for candidates to replace Eleanor and Bill in the Secretary and Treasurer positions. If you are interested in any of the positions please contact Wilson Mor or Lynn Daly via email at EMC4N.VICEPRES@gmail.com.

What's New at 3M Canada Co.

This message was relayed to 3M Canada employees on May 24th:

3M Canada Employees:

It is with mixed emotion to share with you that I will be relocating to St Paul in a new role as Vice President and General Manager of Automotive Division, Industrial Business Group.

H.C. Shin has been appointed interim President and General Manager, 3M Canada. H.C. will assume this responsibility, in addition to his role as Executive Vice President, International Operations, until a successor is named. Changes are effective July 1st.

Since my arrival back to “my home and native land” in 2012, we have had many successes and a few (big) challenges. It is the dedication and tenacity of each of you that makes 3M Canada the great company it is today, and I thank each and every 3M Canada employee. Returning to Canada, and working with all of you over the past 4 years, has been the highlight of my career. Thank you for making this journey one I am most proud of and I wish you all success in the future.

Paul Madden

*President & General Manager
3M Canada*

New Product at the 3M Company Store

While visiting the 3M Company Store this week a new product caught my eye that might be ideal for the golfers in your family. It is a Post-it® Pop-up Note Dispenser shaped like a golf club head and it includes a space to hold a pen.



We will try to include information on future new products from 3M in upcoming newsletters.

Survey

The 3M Retirees Club is taking on a project to find out how we might improve participation in the club by developing a survey to get your input. Questions like what would you like to see....etc. will be included on the survey. If your email is on file with the club you will be receiving this survey. We encourage you to take the time to send it back to us so that we can keep the momentum going for this club.

As far as we know, 3M Canada is the only sub that actually has a 3M Retirees club. Your feedback is important to us so that we can try and implement changes to encourage more participation...

Results of the survey will be available on the 3M retirees website in early fall as it will take time for us to review and investigate what can be achieved by the suggestions.

Top 100 companies - 3M Retirees Club mentioned

Eluta.ca is a job search engine that specializes in locating jobs in Canada. Eluta.ca is a subsidiary of Mediacorp Inc., Canada's largest publisher of employment periodicals. One of the features of the web site is The Canada's Top 100 Employers List, one that includes 3M Canada Co.

3M's sponsorship of the 3M Retirees Club gets a mention as one of the reasons why 3M made the list.

You can check it out at <http://content.eluta.ca/top-employer-3m-canada>

3M Club BBQ's

3M Retirees are invited to participate in the 3M Club BBQ's held at 3M Oxford Anniversary Park. Come on out and enjoy a hot dog or hamburger and catch up with old friends as well as make some new ones.

This year's dates are....

Friday June 17

Thursday July 21

Thursday August 18

Hours: Noon - 1:30 pm

Nominal fee will be charged. Mark your calendars and come on out!

Spring Luncheon

Details of the 3M Retirees Club Spring Luncheon have recently been sent out. We are looking forward to a sold out crowd. Announcement can be located on the 3M retirees website.

3M Retirees Meetings for 2016

Please visit the 3M Retirees website for a list all 3M Retirees meetings. We encourage your participation particularly at the Annual General Meeting on October 11, 2016.

3M Retirees Annual Banquet - Date change

Please mark your calendars now for an event you won't want to miss. The banquet will be held at the Greek Canadian Community Centre on Tuesday, October 25, 2016.

Watch for the invitation to go out at the end of August and make sure to rsvp by the deadline.

Have a great summer and we hope to be seeing you ``Out and about``.

Lynn & Wilson