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Carleton Place & District Memorial Hospital Foundation
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Carleton Place & District Memorial Hospital hosts ‘family reunion’

On June 4, 2005 the Carleton Place & District Memorial Hospital (CPDMH) will host a family reunion for all past employees, board members or volunteers associated with the Hospital, Foundation and the MHAuxiliary over the last 50 years. The event is part of the yearlong celebration of the CPDMH’s 50th anniversary.

“Since this is the 50th anniversary for the Hospital we thought it would nice to have a reunion of our hospital family,” stated Melba Jarvis, Chair of the 50th anniversary committee. “We hope that everyone looks at this event as an opportunity to re-new and strengthen old friendships, build new relationships as well as look back at the changes and improvements that have occurred over the last 50 years.”

The day will be a family event with a barbeque, activities provided for children and music provided by the *Carleton Place Band* and the *Notre Dame High School Band*. There will be also be a display of scrapbooks chronicling the hospital’s history as well as a showing of the DVD produced to commemorate the 50th anniversary. In addition, CPDMH’s first CEO, Cora Droppo will be in attendance.

“We wanted to have a big turnout from past and present members of the ‘hospital family’ and we organized the event to try and attract as many people as possible,” stated Mike Gagne, CPDMH CEO. “The event has something of interest for everyone and we hope to have a lot of participation from all attendees. It should be a fun day.”

The family reunion for CPDMH will be from 1:00 – 5:00pm on June 4, 2005 on the hospital grounds. For more information or to confirm attendance please e-mail anniversary@carletonplacehosp.com or call (613) 257 – 2200 ext 856.

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