

# MARKHAM'S DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION! 2012

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF HER MAJESTY'S REIGN
By Stu Kellock and John Webster

### What is a Diamond Jubilee?

- Jubilee: Special celebration "50th Anniversary"
- Celebration of 60 years of HM Reign
- Last to do so was Queen Victoria in 1897
- Head of our Constitutional Monarchy
- Head of the Commonwealth
- Recognition of Service, Sacrifice and Loyalty
- Reason for celebration......

# 2002 GOLDEN JUBILEE

- Concept by Jack Heath ~ supported by Mayor Cousins
- Committee formed and approved
- Budget approved
- Ideas discussed
- Plan created
- Events and venues identified
- Fund Raising / Sponsorship
- Roles Assigned
- Plan executed

# CONCEPT

- Monthly events
- Web site and community outreach
- Create events
- Partner with planned events
- Fundraise
- Souvenirs
- Permanent memento
- Meeting Her Majesty

### CALENDAR

- 6 February Queen's Accession to the Throne. Citizenship celebration at Markham Civic Centre
- 17 March Golden Jubilee Recognition Ceremony and Tea, Heintzman House, Thornhill. Special "Curiosity" Tea created for occasion
- 21 April Queen Elizabeth II's 76th Birthday Celebration at Markville Shopping Centre
- 18 May Markham Village Farmers' Market
- 1-2 June Unionville Festival and Town Criers' competition
- 15-16 June Markham Village Festival
- 1 July Canada Day Celebrations
- 7 September MIlliken Children's Festival
- 21 September Thornhill Village Festival
- 5 October Tattoo at Markham Fair and medal presentation
- 9 October Queen's Visit, CNE Grounds and dedication of Jubilee Greenway

### BRANDING!

.....Fundraising and souvenirs

By ...MARKHAM







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# CONCEPT 2012

- Similar rhythm to 2002
- Single or multi-sponsored events
- Street signs, banners and parties
- Funding and resources available
- Fundraising and souvenir production
- School and organizational involvement
- Recognition and Dedications

## 2002 COMMITTEE

Randy Barber, Aaron Campbell, Warren Carroll, Cindy and Roger Clements, Bert and Regina Dawe, Jas Dhanjal, Cam Durham, Myrna Fox, Vivienne Hansford, Neil Johnston, Stu Kellock (Chair), Kwan Ho Leung, Harry McCabe, Tyler Murphy, Denis Pritchard, Beverley Shrimpton, Colonel and Mrs. Hugh Stewart, Keith Tullo, John and Mary Webster; Tina Murphy (Staff Resource); Mayor Don Cousens, Councillor Jack Heath, Councillor Khalid Usman and other Councillors who may wish to participate.



# QUESTIONS?

Thank You All!