



The June 2019 newsletter

Greetings members and non-members and we the CCB Mysteries chapter would like to wish you the very best for summer 2019. We hope that your year thus far has been a fruitful and productive one and after reading our updates for the first half of 2019 you would be willing and ready to continue on with us.

When we started off at the end of 2017, our mission was to attract members, host dinner mystery evenings with a twist, and to find ways to build awareness and interest in what we do. We are happy to report that we have managed to accomplish all of this and more despite some minor setbacks.

Our continuing mission

We continue to promote our mission which is two fold.

First, to develop and host evenings which we believe are unique in many ways. These evenings are combinations of dinner or light snacks, fortune telling, and mystery plays or mystery game shows.

Our objective is to enable our audiences to take advantage of entertainment that is rich in excitement, participation, and fun. We guarantee that our audiences will be kept on the edge of their seats all evening long.

Our second objective is to use most of the funds raised at these evening events to contribute to helping a child who is blind or vision impaired to enjoy things that are precious and special to them; to either take them on a shopping trip or to send them to camp. The rest of the funds are used to support our administrative functions.

Mystery plays and mystery game shows

We are proud to share with you that all of our plays and mystery game shows have been written and produced by our president Donna J. Jodhan and that she is ably assisted by members to promote and participate in them

The first half in review

The following is a summary of events that we hosted and participated in for the first half of 2019.

January 22 2019

We hosted an improv evening in Toronto on a very cold winter's evening and we are happy to report that a small but very energetic audience was in attendance. Light refreshments were served and the audience got to use their imaginations to improvise some interesting scenes.

Feb 26 2019

Our skit team of Kamini Rodhan, Ken Rojas, and Donna Jodhan performed at the CCB Visionaries Valentine's Day luncheon on this day.

The name of the skit was titled "Cupid comes to town" and we are happy to report that it was well received.

We thank Ian White for having given us this opportunity to have our skit.

March 27 2019

The CCB Mysteries chapter hosted its second improv evening for 2019 on this day and although the audience was on the small side we are pleased to share that participants enjoyed themselves by participating in some games.

May 03 2019

On this day and in collaboration with the CNIB we hosted our spring coming out event where delicious refreshments were provided thanks to the CNIB and the evening also consisted of a fortune teller, game shows, and a skit.

We thank Suzanne Decary and Brian Maclean of the CNIB for all of their assistance and support, Jason Everett our resident fortune teller,
And Kamini Rodhan and Ken Rojas our skit actors.
The skit was titled "confessions revealed."

What's in store for the second half of 2019

We are crossing our fingers that we will be able to host a fund raiser on November 13 at the North York Civic Centre.

This event will consist of dinner, the presence of our resident fortune teller, and some unique mystery game shows where contestants will have a chance to win prizes.
Stay tuned for more information but in the meantime hold the date of Wednesday November 13 2019.

We are also planning to unveil our much anticipated website in the fall but in the meantime you can visit www.donnajodhan.com and click on the ccb mysteries link.

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Special thanks also go out to Becky Goodwin and Casey Medcalf of CCB.

We also thank professor Richard Fisher of the faculty of graphic design at Seneca College and his students for having designed and developed a magnificent website for our chapter which we are planning to install in the fall.

Membership

If you or if you know of anyone who would like to become a member of the CCB Mysteries chapter then please ask them to contact us at info@sterlingcreations.ca

There is a \$10 membership fee for those who are not auxiliary members.
Anyone in Canada is eligible to join.

Becoming a member can be extremely exciting and rewarding. There are several things for you to become involved in.

- Volunteering at our activities.
- Being a game show host.

Being a part of our cast.

Helping to put smiles and laughter on the faces and lips of those kids who often get left behind in the shuffle of our busy world.

We look forward to sharing more news with you again in December 2019.

With very best wishes

Signed

Donna Jodhan president