



# Cambridge Conservative Voice Newsletter

Cambridge Electoral District Association

April 2006 Volume 6

## Message from Gary Goodyear, Member of Parliament

Dear Members:

On January 23, 2006, Canadians sent a message. They said no to corruption, no to entitlement and no to arrogance, Canadians said yes to a positive Conservative program of accountability and real benefits to everyday Canadians. It is a positive step forward for Canadians to have put their trust and faith in our Conservative Party to lead change in the next Parliament.

I am truly grateful for the confidence in my abilities shown by your support in the recent Election. I am proud to once again effectively represent this great community in Ottawa. I will assuredly continue with the honest and open dialogue I brought to you over the past two years.

Representing the riding of Cambridge is a great honour and commitment and I will not take either for granted. Please remember that my door is open, for all Federal concerns and that we are ready to serve.

I want you to know that as long as I remain your Member of Parliament, we will not be ignored, and we will not be taken for granted. Our community's potential is unlimited.

It is when you believe in something as strongly as I believe in this riding, that you are given the strength to make it through the invariably difficult times. I believe the best is yet to come, and together we will do great things.

Parliament resumes on April 3, 2006. I am looking forward to positive change and to resolving many of the challenges facing our community. In May 2006, I will be commencing with a newsletter summarizing the up-to-date issues on the Hill dedicated to our local members. Please contact my office at 519.624.7440 or email

[susanne@garygoodyear.com](mailto:susanne@garygoodyear.com) if you would like to receive this newsletter. I will provide this briefing to you either by email or snail mail – your choice!

Again, thank you for all your commitment and support, to our community and to our country.

Gary Goodyear, MP

### Conservative Party of Canada

#### Cambridge Electoral District Association's

#### Annual General Meeting

Will be held on  
**Monday April 24, 2006**

At the Cambridge Newfoundland Club

Registration 6:30 p.m.  
Meeting starts at 7:15 p.m.

Only those members in good standing as of April 3, 2006 will be eligible to vote.





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Dear Fellow Conservatives,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone involved in the recent campaign, especially the core campaign team.

Without their dedication and your help and involvement we would not have been able to run such a successful campaign and Re-Elect Gary Goodyear as our Conservative Member of Parliament.

It was also very gratifying to end the evening on Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> as part of a new government. A government committed to the people of Canada and a new Prime Minister Stephen Harper.

Although it was a long and grueling campaign with Christmas and New Years smack dab in the middle the end result made the whole process worthwhile and our goal of sending Gary Goodyear back to Ottawa achieved.

Thank you to all the donors and supporters and to all of you who took a lawn sign. It was overwhelming and most gratifying.

Unfortunately we were not able to foster enough MP's to have a majority government, which means that sometime in the next couple of years we will once again be facing the Canadian electorate. However, with dedication,

hard work, and a focus on our promises on policy we will be that much more successful next time around.

Thank you to the greatest campaign team that a manager could ask for. I always stated that this was the best campaign team in Canada bar none, and the results show just that.

Now let us get on with governing Canada.

Best Regards

**Peter Tudisco**  
**Campaign Manager – 2006**

### Attention Conservative Members!

People of all realms join the local Executive Board for one very special reason: our country!

I would like to tell you about some of the great experiences you will benefit from being a board member:

- great fellowship
- an inside perspective to how your government works
- an exceptional networking venue for both personal/professional reasons
- one-on-one contact with your Member of Parliament Gary Goodyear.

I challenge you to become a member and offer your positive and energetic contributions to your community and your country.

### Survey Time

#### What were your thoughts on the recent the Throne Speech?

- A. The Throne speech exceeded my expectations.
- B. The Throne speech met my expectations.
- C. The Throne speech failed to address the needs of Canadians.

Comments:

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What other information would you like to see in our Newsletter?

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Send your Answers and Comments to:

**[SurveyResults@garygoodyear.ca](mailto:SurveyResults@garygoodyear.ca)**

### Attention Members:

Would you prefer to receive the "Cambridge Conservative Voice" via email?

Do we have your current and valid email address?

Please email us at

[larryisright@sympatico.ca](mailto:larryisright@sympatico.ca)

And tell us you would like to receive your newsletters electronically.



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## President's Message

Congratulations to Gary Goodyear for being re-elected and congratulations to his campaign manager Peter Tudisco and the entire team for such a well run and successful election campaign. The fact that we increased our margin of victory from 224 to almost 6,000 votes is a tribute to Gary, the campaign team, the strength of our party and our association.

It is especially a gratifying time for those of us from Cambridge who worked so hard to bring the two "legacy parties" together to form such a strong united conservative alternative to the Liberals. To have a Conservative government in Ottawa after so many years of a wasteful, scandal ridden and arrogant Liberal government is truly a dream come true.

I know Gary will continue to be a strong voice in Ottawa and work hard for all the constituents of Cambridge and North Dumfries.

However, we cannot rest on our laurels and take anything for granted. A minority government means we could again have an election campaign within the next year or two.

We have set out our goals as an association; to increase membership, improve infrastructure & organization

and build a "war chest". Having a large "war chest" allows us to have the flexibility to properly finance a sudden election campaign.

I would encourage members/supporters to participate in our Easter Ham Fundraiser by completing the accompanying form. In addition, we will be holding another Gary Goodyear Golf Tournament this year. If you are interested in supporting Gary by golfing or coming for dinner only and/or donating a gift and/or making a financial contribution, please email me at [larryisright@sympatico.ca](mailto:larryisright@sympatico.ca) or call me at 658-4027.

Our association's Annual General Meeting is taking place on Monday April 24th at the Cambridge Newfoundland Club (located at 1500 Dunbar Road in Cambridge), with registration beginning at 6:30 pm and the meeting scheduled to start at 7:15 pm. Everyone is welcomed to attend for the meeting reports and fellowship, however, you must be a member as of April 3rd to be able to vote at the AGM. Anyone who let their membership expire on December 31, 2005 can renew at the AGM, but will not be eligible to vote.

We are always looking for members who have an interest in helping out the association. If you are interested in running for a

position on the board, please let me know.

Finally, I would like to wish everyone a Happy Easter.

Larry Hardman  
President





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**Notice of the Cambridge Electoral District Association's**

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

To Be Held On

**MONDAY APRIL 24, 2006**

At The

**CAMBRIDGE NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB**

**1500 Dunbar Road, Cambridge**

**Registration Begins At 6:30 pm**

**Meeting At 7:15 pm**

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**Please Note: To be eligible to vote at the Annual General Meeting a person must be a member in good standing as of April 3, 2006. Therefore, anyone who let their membership expire on December 31, 2005 can renew at the AGM, but is not eligible to vote at the meeting. For those who have access to the internet the easiest way to join the CPC is at [www.conservative.ca](http://www.conservative.ca). However, everyone is welcomed to attend the AGM to hear the reports and share in the fellowship.**