



Happy New Year to all Members and Friends of the International Yachting Fellowship of Rotarians

I am looking forward to meeting up with many of you in Montreal in June 2010.

The AGM and Dinner will be held at the Marriott on the 22nd June 2010, starting at 6pm for Dinner at 7pm. The cost is CA\$90.00 (per person).

The Post Convention Cruise, (for many the Highlight of the Rotary International Convention activities) will again be an exciting time of fun and friendship.

Cruise the 1000 Islands of the St. Lawrence on board the
Canadian Empress

See new places, experience and learn about Canada's early history.

The team on the Canadian Empress have put together a busy and interesting
itinerary.

We have 32 self contained cabins on board, and we want to have a full compliment of IYFR participants out to have a wonderful Post Convention Cruise.

Members who register and pay for the PCC trip by 24th March 2010 (90 days prior to boarding) will go into the draw for an Up-grade to a Premier cabin.

Space for the AGM Dinner and Cruise is limited. Please complete your booking early to avoid disappointment.

Please see the attachments to this email for more information

We would like your feed-back...

- A number of members have indicated that they will not arrive in Montreal until Sunday 22nd, in time for the Convention opening. We have put the Meet and Greet evening on hold but if you would be interested, we could have a social mix and meet evening on the Saturday 21st June. **Good Idea?**
- Would you like accommodation arranged in Kingston, at a Hotel, on the day we arrive back from the Cruise on the 27th June?
- Are you interested in being part of a group, continuing by coach on the 28th June (the day after we finish the Cruise) to Toronto, and then on board the "Maid of the Mist" to see the Niagara Falls, including overnight accommodation, before returning to Toronto?

We would appreciate your views by the 14th February, to enable us to make arrangements, should there be sufficient interest. If you are interested I will keep you informed of all plans and costs.

Finally, many of our members and the International Bridge are staying at the Marriott Chateau Champlain, and I would recommend this Hotel during your stay in Montreal.

My telephone/Fax Number is : + 64 – 9 - -480-6493 or feel free to contact me by email at <logeary@gmail> or through the IYFR Website "Events".

Regards and best wishes

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