



ARMENIAN CULTURAL ASSOCIATION OF OTTAWA

P.O BOX 1023, STN B, OTTAWA, ONTARIO, K1P 5R1

NEWSLETTER: November 1997

President's Message

It is an honour to have been presented with the opportunity to serve the Armenian community of Ottawa as your president. I would like to thank each and every one of you for your vote of confidence, and I look forward to an outstanding year. You have elected a dynamic group of people to represent you as members of the executive.

I am happy to announce that your executive has already had two meetings and our agenda is full of exciting ideas that we plan to implement in the near future. These include but are not limited to the following:

- The annual Christmas Ball.
- Television programming with Rogers Cable TV.
- Communications coordination with ARS, Church and Embassy.
- Monthly newsletters and Internet web site.
- Armenian educational classes for youths and adults.
- Preteen activities such as Santa Close Party.
- Youth activities such as sport competitions and social events.
- Awards ceremonies in recognition of individual contribution.
- Weekly Sunday activities such as dance lessons, guest speakers, film showings, aerobic classes, cooking instructions and Tavloo competitions.
- Group rate discounts for shows at the NAC, and other out of town events.

I welcome your ideas, comments, and suggestions for the future of this organization, and I look forward to your active participation.

Serge Kutukian

YOUR NEW EXECUTIVE

Serge Kutukian	829 - 2900	For general and administrative matters
Shake Hagopian	729 - 2288	For social events
Dany Zalal	236 - 4775	For youth activities and competitions
Hasnig Adjeleian	730 - 6873	For media and communications
Sona Jelekian	224 - 4935	For instructional and cultural activities

JUST FOR YOU!

Sunday mornings, Hinton burg Community Center is alive with a variety of activities and events just for you! Whether it's Armenian classes, dance, sports, meeting new people, chatting with old friends, the center is there for you. Programs run from 10:00 am - 12:30 pm, and a special registration day on Nov.2 has been organized for you to learn more about what is being offered!

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The Armenian Cultural Association is also pleased to host "Special Events". On November 9th, meet his Excellency Mr. Barkhudaryan, Ambassador of Armenia to Canada in an informal gathering, and, on Nov. 23rd Mrs. Dora Sakayan of Montreal will discuss her recently celebrated book : "An Armenian Doctor in Turkey".

NOVEMBER SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- November 2 **10:00 Registration for all events**
11:00 Armenian Language classes
11:00 Youth and Senior Basketball
11:00 Aerobic classes begin
- November 9 **10:00 Meet the Armenian Ambassador**
11:00 Armenian Language classes
11:00 Youth and Senior Basketball
11:00 Aerobic classes begin
- November 11 17:00 Taping for the Armenian Cultural Television Show at Rogers
Cable TV
- November 16 10:00 Armenian Dance Classes
11:00 Armenian Language Classes
11:00 Youth and Senior Basketball
11:00 Aerobic classes begin
16:00 "Armenian Cultural Program" airs on Rogers cable 22
- November 23 **10:00 Guest speaker Dora Sakayan will discuss her book: "An
Armenian Doctor in Turkey".**
11:00 Armenian Language classes
11:00 Youth and Senior Basketball
11:00 Aerobic classes begin
- November 16 **10:00 Annual Tavloo Championship Games**
11:00 Armenian Language Classes
11:00 Youth and Senior Basketball
11:00 Aerobic classes begin

All activities take place at Hintonburg Community Center, 1064 Wellington Street