



## President's Message

As 2022 draws to an end, the world is a different place...

- Russia's evil threatened the European order.
- The Webb telescope reminded us how cosmically insignificant we really are.
- Idiots invaded Ottawa, more idiots than usual, that is.
- The pandemic started to become an endemic, and then RSV, influenza and medicine shortages happened.
- Greg and Francis escaped to Costa Rica.

Our club had a good year, all things considered. We gathered regularly, although in smaller numbers. We continued to mask up like Zorro for the good of all. We tried some new restaurants and frequented some old haunts. A couple of us actually did some real haunting!

As we enter 2023, the prospects are good. Our GM has lots of ideas and there are plans in the works. We're a generally healthy-ish bunch. And sanity prevails most of the time. I hope the Season has been good to all and that the New Year is prosperous and happy.

Jim Quigley



## Message from your Board

We, the Fredericton Garrison Club's Board: (Jim Quigley (President), Clifford Kennedy (President Elect), George Filliter, Mary Dingee-Jacobs, Rick McGaw, Josh Lamont, Andrew Perry, and Dana Hanson) hope you had a joyous and peaceful Christmas with family and friends. We would like to take this opportunity to wish each of you a prosperous, healthy, and happy new year!

New Year's is a time to reflect on the previous year and celebrate the arrival of a new one. A new year means a new chapter. We hope 2023 is an incredible part of your life story!

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Your Board



## Message from the Club Manager

Well Happy New Year!

What a difference a year makes... we are not "COVID home-free" but it sure seems a lot more normal for most of us. With all five of our vaccinations, Greg and I have already had a wonderful month in Costa Rica and two other trips planned for February and March (for a total of six more weeks).

I hope you had a wonderful holiday season with family and friends. It is already 2023, and I am busy planning and organizing things for the coming months. We suspect, things will go as planned this year, fingers crossed.

In the plans for January is something kind of cool with one of our newer businesses... Gin-uary at Black Galley Distillery. Also, since this was so well received last time, Gin and Jazz at South Side Shake (with dinner at the Pickle Jar).

I'm also working on February with our Winter BBQ at Killarney Lake Lodge. There are many things happening this winter in Fredericton. Although we can't do it all, I thought I would mention it here, so you might plan something with other Club members. Jan. 9 – [Comedy Night at Picaroons](#), Jan. 19-Feb. 5 - [FROSTival](#) and [Dine Around Freddy](#)

I wish all of you a wonderful, happy, and healthy 2022!

Francis Perry



# January +

**January 14** – 1:00-3:00: **Gin-uary**  
Black Galley Distilling. RSVP -ASAP  
followed by Fish and Chips afterwards at  
Porter's Diner.

**January 20** – **An evening at the Hilton.**  
6:00 dinner, followed by Gin and Jazz at  
7:00. RSVP by January 15.

**February 4** – 6:00: **Dine Around Freddy** –  
St. James Gate, RSVP by January 27.

**February 24/25** – 6:00: drinks, 6:30 - meal:  
Winter BBQ at Killarney Lake Lodge.  
RSVP by February 18.



Beat the Blues



The Palate

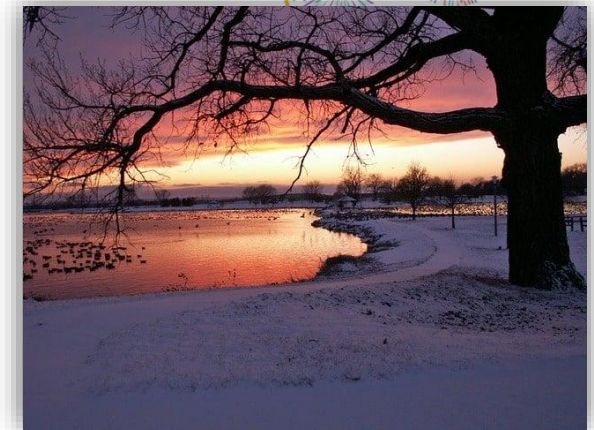


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HAPPY NEW YEAR