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1. Passing of Don Yeomans

It is with great sadness that we report the passing of Don Yeomans, a strong supporter and long time member of CCJA. Our condolences to his wife Kay Yeomans, his daughters, grandchildren and extended family.

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1. Passing of Don Yeomans

DONALD RALPH YEOMANS BASc, P. Eng, CMA, FCMA, LLD. 1925 - 2010 The grieving family of Don Yeomans announces his death on August 24, 2010 after a brief fight with cancer. Don leaves behind his wife, partner and best friend of 60 years Catharine (nee Williams); his beloved daughters Patty Yeomans, Nancy Love and Jane Charlesworth; his wonderful sons-in-law Jon Love and Mark Charlesworth; grandchildren Erica & Andrew Danyluk, Christie & Jason Love, Catharine & Amanda Charlesworth; granddaughter-in-law Samantha Love, great-granddaughter Scarlett Love, and soon to be grandson-in-law James Berlin.

Don will be remembered for innumerable qualities that enriched the lives of everyone who knew him, including his boyish enthusiasm, infinite curiosity and his sincere interest in everything and everyone around him. As the master of lists, details, and organization, he was an “engineer’s engineer”, always ready with the right tool for the job. A consummate planner, Don rejoiced at the invention of the Post-it Note®, and carried with him at all times his Letts Diary, including a fold-out list of past events – some four decades’ worth – in 6 point font.

Don passionately taught his children and grandchildren about everything from attire to fishing lures, and instilled in them his life-long values of integrity, humility, acceptance, and caring. His compassion, commitment to community, and deep love and affection for family and friends have created a living legacy.

Don graduated with a Bachelor’s Degree in Applied Science (Mechanical Engineering) from the University of Toronto in 1947 and worked in the private sector until 1962. After being seconded to the Royal Commission on Government Organization (Glassco), Don held senior positions in the Privy Council Office, Treasury Board, Supply and Services Canada, the Anti-Inflation Board, and Health and Welfare Canada. Most notably, Don served as the Commissioner of

Corrections and was Chairman of the Tariff Board. During this time he was also a special advisor to many boards and committees.

Don served as an active and passionate member of the Board of Governors of Carleton University for twenty-five years. In addition to his volunteer work with Carleton, Don was President of the Institute of Public Administration of Canada, The Society of Management Accountants of Canada, and the Canadian Club of Ottawa. He was Founder and President of the Association of State Correctional Administrators, a member of the Founding Board of the Canadian Comprehensive Auditing Foundation, Founding Co-Chair of the Canadian Council of Administrative Tribunals, Chair of the Council of Chairs of Ontario Universities, and Chair of the Awards Committee of the American Correctional Association. He was also on the boards of many non-profit organizations, and a life-long and enthusiastic member of the Five Lakes Fishing Club.

Don was the recipient of the Centennial Medal, the Queen's Silver Jubilee Medal, The Financial Management Institute Award, an Australian Commonwealth Visiting Fellowship, The Shoab Memorial Lecture (Pakistan), The E.R. Cass Outstanding Achievement Award of the American Correctional Association, the Corrections Exemplary Service Medal, a Fellow of the Society of Management Accountants of Canada, and the Carleton University Founders Award.

In June 2008, Carleton University conferred on Don the degree of Doctor of Laws; a great personal honour. As such, in lieu of flowers, please consider sending a donation to The Donald R. Yeomans bursary at Carleton University.

2. Dan MacRury winner of John Tait Award for Excellence

NIAGARA – Daniel A. MacRury, Q.C., Chief Crown Attorney for the Cape Breton Region of the Nova Scotia Public Prosecution Service, and Inquiry Counsel for the Hyde Fatality Inquiry, has been chosen as the winner of the Canadian Bar Association (CBA) 2010 John Tait Award of Excellence. The award recognizes an outstanding Canadian public sector lawyer annually.

“Dan’s extraordinary skill in the law and the impressive range and depth of his volunteer commitment exemplify what is best about the legal profession,” says Julie M. Frederickson, Chair of the Public Sector Lawyers Forum. “Dan has demonstrated outstanding leadership through his significant involvement in mentoring and shaping future lawyers and through his tireless dedication to the community.”

Mr. MacRury has practised criminal law both as a Crown and Defence Counsel for 24 years. Before joining the Nova Scotia Public Prosecution Service in 1996, he practiced primarily as defence counsel in the area of criminal law and family law with Nova Scotia Legal Aid. He was named Queen’s Counsel in 2005.

Mr. MacRury is incoming vice-chair of the Criminal Justice Section of the CBA and Treasurer of the CBA (Nova Scotia Branch). He is past president of the Canadian Criminal Justice Association, past president of the Legal Information Society of Nova Scotia, and past chair of the Criminal Justice Section of the CBA (Nova Scotia Branch). He received the CBA (Nova Scotia Branch) Community Service Award in 2006.

Mr. MacRury has been involved in more than 30 Supreme Court judge-and-jury cases, including several murder cases. As a member of the Appeals division of the Nova Scotia Prosecution Service, he has appeared on numerous occasions in the Nova Scotia Court of Appeal. He represented the Attorney General of Nova Scotia in the Supreme Court of Canada on three occasions including the case of *R. V. Sharpe*, the case which established the current law in relation to child pornography.

Mr. MacRury has been a member of the federal/provincial/territorial working group on cyber-crime since 2001. He was a member of the Canadian delegation to the 11th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, and he was elected vice-chair of the 2005 UN workshop on measures to combat computer-related crime.

Born and raised in Sydney, Nova Scotia, Mr. MacRury received his L.L.B. in 1985 from the University of New Brunswick and his B.A. from St. Francis Xavier University in 1982.

The John Tait Award of Excellence will be presented by the CBA's Public Sector Lawyers Forum at a reception at the Crowne Plaza, King George room, on Monday, August 16, at 5:00 p.m. The reception is held in conjunction with the CBA 2010 Canadian Legal Conference and Expo in Niagara from August 15-17. The event is open to accredited media. Please contact [Hannah Bernstein](#) for accreditation.

The award was established in 1998 to honour, recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of public sector lawyers in Canada. The award honours the memory of John Tait, an outstanding lawyer, public servant and friend of the CBA who passed away in the summer of 1999.

The Canadian Bar Association is dedicated to support for the rule of law, and improvement in the law and the administration of justice. Some 37,000 lawyers, law teachers, and law students from across Canada are members.

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You are cordially invited to submit an abstract for a presentation to the 2011 Congress whose theme will be "Breaking Down Barriers for Better Success in Changing Times" This event is organized by Société de criminologie du Québec and the Canadian Criminal Justice Association, and will be held from October 26-29, 2011, at the majestic Château Frontenac, in Québec City. This event also marks the 50th anniversary of the Société de criminologie du Québec.

Details will shortly be posted on our website at : www.ccja-acjp.ca

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