



HALDIMAND COUNTY OPP

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Weekend Release - Caledonia

Caledonia, ON - Members of the Ontario Provincial Police are reminding all area residents to make sure personal safety is top priority as we embark upon another Holiday Weekend.

Traditionally the Civic Holiday weekend is a very busy time with many people traveling to and from weekend retreats and holiday locations. Last year 6 persons lost their lives in crashes throughout the weekend. Sadly all the collisions were preventable.

This holiday weekend in Caledonia will kick off with Week #2 of "Friday Fun Days" which will start at 12noon at the Kinsmen pavilion on Caithness Street West. OPP are inviting all area youth to come out and join the officers for a hotdog during their lunch period and share some good times.

Acting Superintendent Babbitt advises that there will be a noticeable presence of OPP personnel in Caledonia ensuring the safety and enjoyment for all during the weekend. Babbitt hopes everyone will have a safe and enjoyable, much deserved holiday.

OPP remind all residents of the importance of remaining respectful toward each other and upholding the law as we all work toward a peaceful and lasting resolution to the First Nations Land Claim issues. A/Superintendent Babbitt would like to commend everyone on all sides who are working toward a unified and lasting resolution.

The OPP would like to wish everyone a safe and happy Holiday weekend.

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