

NOTICE

Readers are invited to submit brief remembrances of recently departed colleagues. Colourful writing is encouraged, but please limit your notice to 150 words. Send to pubs@cma.ca; fax 613 565-5471.

Addah, Sebastian K., Mississauga, Ont.; University of Alberta, 1972. Died June 29, 2006, aged 61.

Blank, Tibor, Brantford, Ont.; Semmelweis Orvostudományi Egyetem, Budapest, 1952, obstetrics and gynecology. Died July 1, 2006, aged 79. "Loving husband of Gail (nee Walsh), dearest father of Tibor, Rob, George and stepdaughter Jamie Lynn Hady, missed by his brother and sister Alador and Martha, both of Hungary."

Brochu, Jean, Québec.; Université Laval, 1949, general surgery. Died June 11, 2006, aged 82.

Courtois, Guy Arthur, Montréal; Université de Montréal, 1948, electroencephalography. Died May 31, 2006, aged 84.

Haynes, Ernest Reginald, Victoria; Trinity College, University of Dublin, Dublin, 1947. Died Apr. 7, 2006, aged 81.

Hillman, Donald Arthur, Manotick, Ont.; McGill University, 1951, pediatrics. Died July 4, 2006, aged 81. "He was known and loved around the world as a medical educator and mentor. Don had just celebrated his 81st birthday with his wife, Liz, and his family and friends. He leaves 3 sons, Jamie of Manotick, Don (Ruth) of Ayr, and Alan

of Ottawa, 2 daughters, Alison and Elizabeth (Paul Coxworthy), of St. John's, grandson Adam, sister Elizabeth (Douglas) Waterston and family, Dan (Jenny) Waterston of Guelph, Jane (Francois Bregha) and Christy (Tom Beaver) of Ottawa, Charlotte (Rob) Turner of London and Rosemary (Phil King) of Toronto and many great-nephews and nieces. Born in Montreal and educated at McGill, Don served overseas in World War II, taking part in the liberation of Holland. With Liz, fellow pediatrician and fellow devotee to the cause of furthering child health worldwide, he worked for years in Kenya, Uganda, Malaysia, Laos, the Philippines, etc., interlacing overseas service with educational leadership in McGill, Memorial University of Newfoundland, McMaster University and University of Ottawa."

Houde, Mélanie; Université Laval, 2005. Died Oct. 1, 2005, aged 24.

Kirkaldy-Willis, William Hay, Victoria; University of Cambridge, UK, 1939, orthopedic surgery. Died May 7, 2006, aged 92. "Dr. William Hay Kirkaldy-Willis (KW, as he was fondly known), was born in Kingston, Surrey, England, and attended medical school at Trinity Hall, Cambridge and The London Hospital. A Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, he moved to Kenya to work as a missionary surgeon, becoming Senior Surgeon, Ministry of Health, Kenya, and Lecturer, Makerere Medicine School, Kampala, Uganda. In 1964, KW moved to Canada. He was Professor, Department of Surgery, University of Saskatchewan; Head, Division of Orthopedics, University of Saskatchewan; President of the Canadian Orthopedic Research Society, the American Back Society, the North

American Spine Society, and the International Society for the Study of the Lumbar Spine. An internationally recognized expert on spine surgery, KW contributed significantly to the understanding of back pain and degeneration of the lumbar spine. He is survived by his wife Betty and son Iain."

Landa, Sam, Saskatoon.; University of Manitoba, 1938. Died June 15, 2006, aged 93.

Levy, Paul Gary, York, Ont.; University of Toronto, 1970, psychiatry. Died June 20, 2006, aged 60. "Beloved husband of Karen, loving father of Matthew, dear brother and brother-in-law of Joan and Richard Gladstone, David and Kathy Levy, Kathryn and Andrew Keen, and Gwen and Bill Davis, dear son-in-law of Eleanor Hendrick, devoted uncle of David, Jonathan, Sam and Chelsea, and devoted son of the late Drs. Daniel and Frances Levy."

McGhee, John James (Jack), Prince George, BC; University of British Columbia, 1956, general surgery. Died Apr. 18, 2006, aged 74. "Jack loved the outdoors and was a keen athlete, an avid skier, fisherman, naturalist and beekeeper. He travelled the world and gave superb slide shows of many places, including Papua New Guinea where he and his family lived for a year volunteering their services. His final grueling trip was a trek around Manaslu in Nepal in April 2005. He leaves his loving wife Carolyn, 3 children (Alex, Rachel and Dougal), and grandchildren Finn and Sasha, as well as in-laws and many friends and admirers."

Smith, Elizabeth Mary Geddes, St. Albert, Alta.; University of Aberdeen, Scotland, 1944. Died June 11, 2006, aged 85.