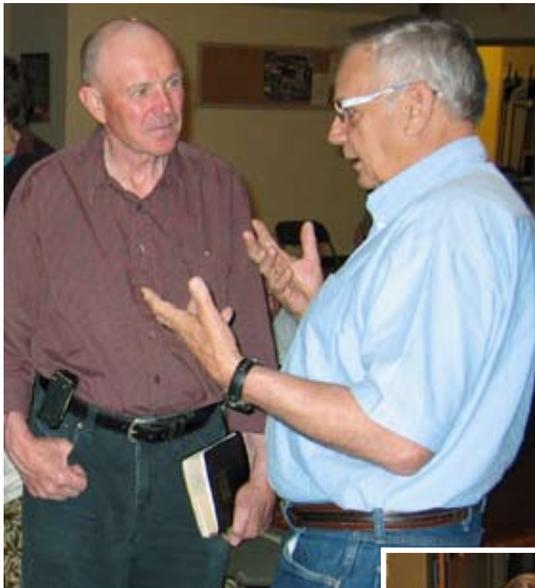


# MINUTE MAN NEWS



## “CONFERENCE” ... WORKERS REFRESHED & RECHARGED to SERVE

Dallas Roberts’ first recollection of “Conference” was as a youngster, accompanying his missionary parents.

He also recalls this annual event as a young missionary, while serving in northern Quebec.

“I remember sitting in the front row with tears in my eyes, starved for teaching,” Dallas shared with coworkers at our Central-Field Conference held at Dallas Valley Ranch Camp (Lumsden, SK) this past May.



Time for conversation in between sessions: (top) NCEM Governing Board member Dan Glass with missionary Grant Pattimore; (middle, foreground) Dallas & Deena Roberts; (bottom) Florence & Conrad Flett with Mona Patenaude (Key-Way-Tin Bible Institute grad and mother of missionary Myrna Patenaude).

the Gospel to First Nations through means such as evangelism trips and media outreach. A portion of gifts to Call #142 contributed to “conference” – which may not seem as important.

We believe it is. If our missionary workers are spiritually refreshed and encouraged ... if we are challenged and equipped, then we can more effectively serve to build God’s Kingdom among Canada’s First Peoples.

Our missionaries especially appreciate your Minute-Man gifts in making conference attendance more affordable for them.

While our workers have, in the past, paid a significant portion of conference costs out-of-pocket, your recent “MM” gifts have helped cover our accommoda-

tions, meals, honorariums and travel for speakers and children’s workers.

This year our Eastern/Northeastern-Field workers will meet in New Brunswick in September, and our Western-Field workers in Alberta in October. ●

## FACILITY UPGRADES at ARROWHEAD

Water line installation, new windows and new deck for a mobile home, and renovated Lodge bathrooms were among the projects completed last fall at NCEM’s Arrowhead Native Bible Center in New Brunswick through your Minute-Man gifts to Call #141.



This spring, work continued on the Camp’s “tuck shop” and bathrooms in the larger cabins.

Arrowhead reaches Maritimes First Nations youth and families through summer camps and weekend events.

Managers Grant & Liz Fawcett believe that Arrowhead has greater potential for discipling young believers. It will require full-time maintenance staff, and expansion of ANBC’s donor base. So, along with your gifts, the Fawcetts say that your prayers are also appreciated! ●



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Dear Minute-Man Friends:

A recent note from one of our missionaries said: “Not sure [who helped with] our conference fees this year, but whoever it was, we appreciate it!” The answer is “*you ... our Minute-Man supporters*” – through your gifts to our last Call (#143). Our first staff conference of 2013 was our Central-Field Conference held in May, and will be followed by two more (see other side).

Gifts to Call #143 are going to other areas, as well, including helping to pay for airing of our Tribal Trails TV program over the summer, when designated gifts from viewers are usually lower. To date a total of \$55,651.77 has come in. Thank you for being part of the Minute-Man team!



This Call (#144) will assist our ministry among First Peoples in the following three areas:

- As we've awaited the appointment of a new Northeastern-Field Director (which will take place this month), our NCEM Executive Committee (based in Prince Albert, SK) has given leadership to this Field. In April my wife, Barb, and I visited our most easterly workers, Carl & Laura Sonnichsen, in Goose Bay/Happy Valley, Newfoundland. Personal visits are an important part of a field director's role and vital for member care, encouragement, ministry evaluation and strategizing. Primarily, this June Call will go to **Field Ministries** so that our field directors can fulfill their ministry to their missionaries.
- Last year we told you that NCEM has put recruiting high on our list of present priorities. We are encouraged with those who have recently applied to serve with us, and the good number who are inquiring. In order to keep opportunities with NCEM before potential recruits, and to build good relationships with them, we have designated a part of this Call to help meet **Personnel Recruiting** expenses for the coming year.
- Summer is camping season in NCEM. It is exciting to hear how our Bible camps are effectively communicating the Gospel. We feel it is important that we connect our camps together with common vision and protocol. A **Bible Camp Managers Meeting** is planned for November. The third part of this Call will cover the travel costs for these important couple days of meetings.

Ministering together,

Albert B. Heal  
General Director NCEM

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