



Police Pipes and Drums put on a great show

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RAMESES PIPE BAND

I would like to thank all our members who helped with our annual Robbie Burns Night. A special thank you to, Ella Bytheway, and Marilyn Carrique, for looking after the ticket sales and welcoming everyone. There was a great turnout and we thank all who supported this event.

A very special thank you, to the York Regional Police Pipes & Drums who put on a great show. All of their members bought their own dinner tickets and also donated the cheque for their performance back to the hospital. The Rameses Pipe Band then made a donation of \$2,500 to Chief Rabban Ray Causton for the Montreal Shriners Hospital.

One of the highlights of the evening was when a member of the York Regional Police Pipes & Drums asked one of their dancers if she would marry him. She accepted and they both received big applause.

The York Regional Police put on one of the best performances we have had at the Temple. Hopefully,

they will return next year so, if you missed their performance, be sure that you attend next year. They have traveled the world, played for Royalty and perform approximately 42 times a year.

The following weekend Rameses Pipe Band also held a Robbie Burns Night with the Legion. The band performed to the delight of the Legion members. I would like to thank the members who supported the Legion with playing and running the raffle.

The Pipe Band is still looking for new members and we are very fortunate to have Andy Baillie, one of the world's top snare drummers, working with our band. He has been a great help to the drummers and the pipers and the band expressed their appreciation by presenting him with a 100 million dollar certificate.

In the near future we hope that he will be joining us as a Shriner.

So if you want to be involved with a Unit, please come out and join us at the Temple any Monday at 3100 Keele Street, at 7:00p.m.