

# Enter Canada Day poster contest and win a trip to Ottawa in July

A national Canada Day poster contest will be launched this month with a prize of an all-expense paid trip to Ottawa for the winning artist and immediate family on July 1, 1987, Secretary of State David Crombie announced on Jan. 7.

The Bay and McDonald's are supporting the contest and helping get the word out through their outlets across the country.

The winning national entry, selected from the provincial/territorial winners, will become the official poster for the 1987 Canada Day celebrations. The winning artist and his/her immediate family will be guests of the Secretary of State for the Canada Day activities on Parliament Hill.

"1987 marks the 40th anniversary of Canadian citizenship and what better way to make people aware of it than

through a poster competition on the theme 'What it means to be a Canadian,' " said Mr. Crombie.

The contest will be open to all Canadians and entries must be postmarked before midnight, Feb. 21, 1987. Posters should be 38 cm by 50 cm (15 inches by 20 inches) and done with crayons, paint or pastels. Contestants are entitled to one entry only.

Entries should be mailed to the nearest office of the Department of the Secretary of State attention "Canada Day Poster Contest."

The address in Ontario is supplied below:  
Suite 200, 25 St. Clair Ave. E., Toronto, Ont., M4T 1M2.

### Poster Contest Rules

Every Canadian citizen is eligible. Only one entry per person.

Posters should be 38 cm x 50 cm (15" by 20").

Use crayons, paint, pastels, pencil. Three dimensional drawings using material such as cotton balls, wool and tinsel are not acceptable. Photographs should not be used.

The artist's name, address and telephone number should appear in pencil on the back of the poster.

A short explanatory note on the image or the theme presented should be included.

All entries must be postmarked before midnight Feb. 21, 1987.

All entries become the property of the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada which reserves the right to make required changes to the winning entry to facilitate printing, and to add appropriate logos.

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The resulting Assessment Rolls are delivered to municipalities which use them to set their mill rates and compute municipal property tax bills.

The amount of property tax you pay on your home or business depends on the assessed value and the mill rate set by your municipality. The assessed value multiplied by the mill rate will determine your 1987 property taxes.

### Open House Sessions

Open Houses are your opportunity to fully understand your assessment and to evaluate its equity.

Open Houses are held in every municipality at convenient times and locations to provide you with the opportunity to discuss your assessment with staff of the Regional Office.

An assessor will be pleased to explain the basis of your property assessment and is authorized to amend any inaccurate information prior to the delivery of the Assessment Roll to your municipality.

If you have any questions but are unable to attend the Open House, please contact your Regional Assessment Office at the address or telephone number shown below.

### Assessment Notice

Property owners and tenants will receive an Assessment Notice *only if information relating to their property or assessment was changed during the past year, if the assessment was appealed last year, or if there has been a general reassessment in the municipality.* If you receive an Assessment Notice, it may reflect changes you have requested in your school support designation,

in the amount of your assessed value, or other recorded information on last year's Notice.

### Appeal Procedure

If, after attending your local Open House, you are still dissatisfied with your assessment, you have the right to appeal it to the Assessment Review Board. The Assessment Review Board conducts informal hearings and is responsible for determining whether the assessment under appeal is fair and equitable with the assessments of similar properties in the vicinity or neighbourhood, and may alter your assessment accordingly.

### Appeal Deadline

The final date for appealing your assessment is February 26, 1987.

Your appeal must be forwarded, either on a Notice of Appeal Form or as a letter, to the Regional Registrar of the Assessment Review Board on or before February 26, 1987, noting your property address, roll number and the reason for the appeal.

To assist you, Notice of Appeal forms and the address of the Regional Registrar of the Assessment Review Board are available at Open Houses, your Regional Assessment Office, or your municipal office.

### Schedule of Open Houses

Township of Marathon	Thurs. Jan. 22, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m. and Fri. Jan. 23, 9 a.m. - 12 Noon, Marathon Rec. Centre, Room 4, Stevens Ave.
Township of Schreiber	Tues. Jan. 27, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m., Schreiber Town Hall Basement, 608 Winnipeg St.
Township of Terrace Bay	Tues. Jan. 27, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m., Terrace Bay Municipal Office, Simcoe Plaza
Lake Superior Board of Education	Thurs. Jan. 22, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m. & Fri. Jan. 23, 9 a.m. - 12 Noon, Marathon Rec. Centre, Room 4, Stevens Ave., Marathon

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