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The cadets of NLCC TRENTONIAN and RCSCC TRENT are starting an ambitious fundraising drive. Last year the Navy League Cadets built a 16 foot cedar strip canoe. This canoe is to be raffled off on July 2, 2004, at Fraser Park Marina in Trenton. The winner will also receive 2 paddles and 2 lifejackets. The canoe is hand crafted using cedar, oak and ash woods, and has been sealed with fibreglass and marine varnish, the canoe has been appraised at over \$2,500.00.

All proceeds of the raffle will go to support the activities of both cadet corps. This will allow the two local corps to continue to provide one of the best National youth organizations available. Cadets participate and learn a variety of activities, including, citizenship, self-respect and esteem, and a sense of community. They participate in sailing, canoeing, boating, drill, first aid, seamanship, shipwork, band, marksmanship, naval customs and traditions and many more activities. Also they can participate in summer training with the Sea Cadets and travel the country. All this is provided locally free of any charge, dues and fees to the cadets.

Tickets will be available at special booths at the Belleville Sport and Leisure Show, Trenton Home Show, Quinte Mall, Wal-Mart in Trenton and other locations until the draw date. If you miss us at the shows, the following local businesses have graciously agreed to sell tickets for us, Saylor Hardware -Front St. Trenton, Spenkels Meat and Variety -Carrying Place, Helen's Variety -Frankford, Glen Miller General Store -Glen Miller, Bay Marine -Bayside and Keeble's -Belleville.

Between the two cadet corps we have cadets from Trenton, Belleville, Brighton, Picton, Colbourne, Madoc, Stirling, Frankford, Marmora and the surrounding areas. Anyone can join, Navy League Cadets are for youths ages 10 to 13 and meet every Tuesday night at Queen Elizabeth School in Trenton at 6:15 pm, to join please call 392-0788. The Royal Canadian Sea Cadets are for youths ages 12 to 19 and meet every Thursday night at the Transport Building, 8 Wing, CFB Trenton at 6:30 pm, to join please call 392-1055.

