



Greetings.....

Many of you have heard me say that we 'seem to have survived the pandemic' and it is nice being back to in person meetings. However, I should have said that it's nice to be surviving the pandemic. All of us, I am sure, will be glad to see the end of the pandemic no matter what it looks like. In the interim, I see that there is a book out entitled "How to Relax in the Age of Anxiety'. I am tempted to get a copy :)

We are now faced with certain restrictions; in Ontario, for example, indoor meetings of more than 10 are not allowed. I am asking everyone to check their local regulations and continue to wear a mask. Recent studies at MIT have shown that indoors 2 meters is the number when talking; a sneeze or a cough is 5 to 7 meters. Remember Scouting grows outdoors; meet outside when you can.

Notwithstanding (now there is a real Canadian word) the above, I am hoping that each and every one of us can relax a little bit this Christmas with as many family members as safely possible. I have asked Brother Mark to put a good word in for us for the new year.



National Commissioner