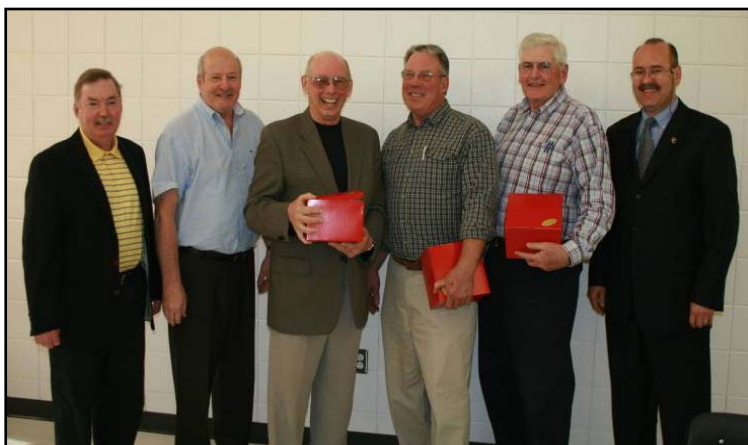


Agri-Food Foundation Recognizes Three Leader's Volunteer Service

Ridgetown: On Thursday, April 17, 2008 the Ridgetown Agri-Food Foundation recognized the tremendous volunteer leadership of three Board Members, Dennis Jack (Thamesville), Bill Parks (Bothwell), and Lynn Girty (Cedar Springs), whose terms of office are now completed.

“These three committed individuals provided strong campus leadership for well over a decade,” noted Dr. Art Schaafsma, Campus Director. “During this important time in the college’s history, we became a campus of the University of Guelph, and the construction of the Rudy H. Brown Rural Development Centre occurred. We couldn’t ask for better ‘campus friends’ who have worked to ensure on-going growth and success at Ridgetown. We hope each one of these talented leaders will stay closely connected to the activities of Ridgetown Campus,” he added.



Retiring Foundation Board Members were recognized with a set of engraved crystal glasses honouring their stellar volunteer service to Ridgetown.

L-R: Dr. Gary Ablett - Honorary Foundation Chair, Ken Monteith – Foundation Chair, Lynn Girty – Board Member, Dennis Jack - Former Foundation Chair, Bill Parks – Former Foundation Vice-Chair, and Dr. Art Schaafsma - Foundation Ex-Officio and Campus Director

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