

Junior Forest Wardens and the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs

Tree Planting NEWS!!!

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The AJFWA unveiled new metal tree planting site signs at the Fall Workshop. The signs were a huge hit not only for the JFW members present, but also for our guests from the Rebekah Assembly of Alberta and the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The Rebekahs and Odd Fellows have partnered with the AJFWA for a number of years now and have been generously sponsoring our tree planting program. These signs are free of charge to AJFWA groups (clubs, districts, or regions) who had a tree planting site this past spring, and completed the AJFWA 2009 Tree Planting Report. There are still a few groups who have not requested signs, so please send me an email and let's get them posted at your tree planting sites.



I would like to hear from JFW groups interested in using these signs for sites planted in previous years. These signs were designed to have a year sticker placed over 2009 that would allow the signs to be used for tree planting in the years to come. I could arrange for 2008 or even 2007 stickers if there is enough interest. So please contact me if your group is interested in tree planting signs for sites that were planted in previous years.

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Odd Fellows & Rebekahs

Sponsor AJFWA Tree Planting Program

As it has become a tradition, the evening banquet at the Fall Workshop was attended by VIP's from the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs. These organizations are major supporters of Junior Forest Wardens and our Tree Planting program. During the evening, they presented us with a significant financial contribution! The AJFWA presented the Odd Fellows & Rebekahs with our new tree planting sign and an engraved plaque acknowledging their sponsorship of our tree planting program.



From Left: **Wayne Clemmer**, Grand Master, Grand Lodge, Independent Order of the Odd Fellows, **Roberta Adams**, President, Rebekah Assembly of Alberta, **Al Wardale**, President, Alberta Junior Forest Warden Association

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