

Harley Moon

Harley Moon's childhood was spent in the Watford area. In World War II Harley was a member of the Canadian Air Force Services. After leaving the services, Harley returned to University, and graduated from O.C.E. as a high school mathematics teacher. He came directly to St. Thomas Collegiate Institute to teach, and then moved to Parkside in charge of the Mathematics department. Harley had married Mildred when in the services, and they raised their family of five children in St. Thomas.

Harley agreed to be the president of Elgin Unit of S.T.O. in 1980-81. Everyone enjoyed the executive meetings partly because of the lovely home setting and delicious lunches. Harley was very much interested in our local unit of S.T.O. making sure that our retirees were aware of all the requirements and benefits, that were available to teachers in their retirements. During his presidency Harley had charge of a retirement seminar, with assistance from Provincial S.T.O. office, (right in Elgin) for district retirees, as well as our local retirees. It was a very successful venture and has been held in other areas since that time.

Harley and Mildred Moon are still very active in the community. They are involved with curling, travelling and enjoying their family and grandchildren. They both do church work and are so very considerate and kind to their apartment neighbours.