

# 1<sup>st</sup> Durham MedVents

Medical Venturers (and Rovers) have been growing across Canada for quite a few years now. It all began in British Columbia, and now has spread all the way to Halifax. The 1<sup>st</sup> Durham MedVents will be beginning our fifth year of operation with our meeting on Tuesday, September 23 at 7:30 at the Durham EMS Headquarters (4040 Anderson Street in Whitby, just north of Taunton Road). We meet here on the second and fourth Tuesdays of every month. At our meetings, we learn first aid (at various levels from Standard First Aid through Emergency First Responder) and practice applying these skills at our meetings. We have toured Emergency Services in Cleveland, Ohio, and have practiced with mock Emergency Response scenarios. What we find even more rewarding is providing first aid services to Scouting and community events such as Beaverees, Cuborees, JOTA, dragon boat races, spring fairs and Canada Day celebrations.

If you are interested in finding out more about us, or even considering joining our Company, come on out to one of our early meetings, or contact us at [durhammedvents@yahoo.ca](mailto:durhammedvents@yahoo.ca) or phone **Group Commissioner Rick Flanders at 905-655-4188.**

If you have any events for which you would like us to provide First Aid services, contact us by email or phone (we cannot guarantee coverage, but we will try our best to do so – the more notice you give us of upcoming events the more likely we can help).

