

Campbell River Seniors' Centre Society

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Newsletter

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EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

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It seems like December was only yesterday!

Lots of free romance novels available in the lobby – help yourself to the soft covers on the free table, and if you need some free reading glasses, there is also a table with several donated pairs on it. There are lots of hard cover books available by donation. We also have several jigsaw puzzles that may be missing a piece or two. Are you up to the challenge? (No need to bring them back!!!)



Thanks to Shurlee and now Faye for organizing the lending library and sorting through the puzzles. Faye also cleaned up the bulletin boards near the washroom – over half the business cards represented services that are no longer in business!!

Just a reminder that Colin has set up a DVD lending library – he has a list of available titles at the front desk.

Many thanks to Sam for arranging to get our older pool table refurbished! Keep buying those hot dogs on barbeque days and we will soon be able to replace the bumper rails on the newer table!

Once again Nora's decorating for St. Patrick's Day brings some colour to the Centre – thanks for doing that even though you were under the weather.

It was Georgia's birthday last week and we managed to get a photo. Georgia not only helps out in the kitchen, but she is also the source of all the tasty snacks available at the front desk. Much appreciated. And thank you to the bingo team – Rick, Josie, Susan, Georgia, and Sam.

Our kitchen gang is amazing. Dot is our Kitchen Liaison, ably assisted by volunteers like Sam, Norman, Georgia, Nora, Lorna, Fran, Shane, Marie, Marlene, and the students from Robron School, and our stalwart cashier Thomasine. There are often new faces helping out for a day or two, and I apologize if I don't know all the names – Betty and Tom are two recent helpers. Many thanks.

It truly takes a village – or a whole whack of volunteers – to keep our Centre going. A special thanks to our board members, especially Genevieve and Rick who have helped form our Executive!



Now let's hope all that snow melts soon!

Marcia

We have quite the month lined up!

March 30th is a Thursday. We will be holding our Annual General Meeting at 1:00 p.m. in the main room. You must be a member in good standing to vote!

Chef Ben is no longer with us, so thanks to our great team of volunteers while we find another wizard for the kitchen. Yes, we are actively looking!

Wednesdays March and April – Tim will be here from the Salvation Army to do your taxes at no charge. Between 11 am



and 1 pm in Jessie's Room on a first-come, first-served basis! You can also leave your taxes at the front desk if you are unavailable on Wednesdays.



Wear purple and celebrate gender equality.

West Coast Seniors Housing Management, a Canadian owned and operated, familyowned business based in Vancouver, BC, manages the day to day operations of all the Retirement Concepts communities. The Team at WCSHM provides communicative,

hands-on management to all of our 22 residences. Together working with the General Managers and leadership teams at our locations, we uphold and adhere to all of the Provincial standards in our organization.



March 8th, 9th, and 10th – All members who come to the Centre will receive a ticket for a draw for one of 10 Centre gift certificates, valued at \$15 each. These have been donated by the Comox Valley Seniors Village – Casa Loma assisted living. info@retirementconcepts.com

They will make a short presentation in the main room, followed by the draws! Tickets are available at the front desk starting on the 8th.

March 12th – Daylight Savings Time – Spring forward and fall back! (We'll try to get all

the clocks in the Centre synchronized!!)

March 15th – Nominations for our AGM are due! Please consider serving on our management board.

March 16th – EarsToYou will be back to offer free hearing tests. Sign up in the lobby.





March 23rd – Marlene will be starting Line Dancing for Beginners in the card room at 1:00 p.m. Sign up in the lobby.

Our Arts and Crafts group meets in Jessie's Room on Thursday mornings at 10. Our very talented Lydia is now doing beading and may be able to do some custom work for you. The bracelets in the photo are available for sale for \$25 each!



