



cookstreetvillage
ACTIVITY CENTRE
Society (New Horizons)

The
happenings

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CENTRE UPDATES

Centre Updates

- We are very excited to announce that most of our programs are up and running once again! For those who have been in to the Centre you most likely would have had your photograph taken in front of our jailhouse rock board and would have seen the lovely mug shots of those who have been attending the Centre.
- Some of the programs that have been added include Texas hold 'em, Bridge and Crokinole!
- Along with our activities being up and running once again, we are happy to announce that Keir has now returned to the Centre on Wednesday and is now running his massages once again.
- Gerry has been busy in the kitchen and we are now starting to sell take away meals, and they are starting at \$3 for an introductory special.



COVID Procedures

- As we are currently in phase three, to ensure the safest Centre we possibly can we will be keeping our number at a max of fifty in the building at all times, and we will be continuing to have a max capacity for the programs that we are offering.
- Although phase three states that there can be a smaller distance than 6 feet and bubble sizes can increase, we will be continuing to reinforce our 6 feet social distancing measures in the Centre to ensure the safety of our members and staff.
- All programs that are offered require individuals to sign up prior to the activity taking place to ensure that there is a spot and limit the amount of people that are unable to get a spot in their desired activity.
- At this point, masks are still optional and not required!

Volunteer Opportunities!

- We are looking for some individuals who have experience with sewing who would be able to come into the Centre and work with our members to make masks as a fundraiser; if interested contact Ashley at programmer@csvac.ca
- For those who are not able to come into the Centre, a donation of fabric, elastics or any material would be greatly appreciated for those who have extras lying around!
- We are also looking for two volunteers to chair our landscape committee as well as our decorating committee as well. If not interested in becoming a chair, we are looking for general gardening volunteers who are able to come and help with basic garden work around the Centre; if interested in this please contact Ashley Via email at programmer@csvac.ca and let her know!

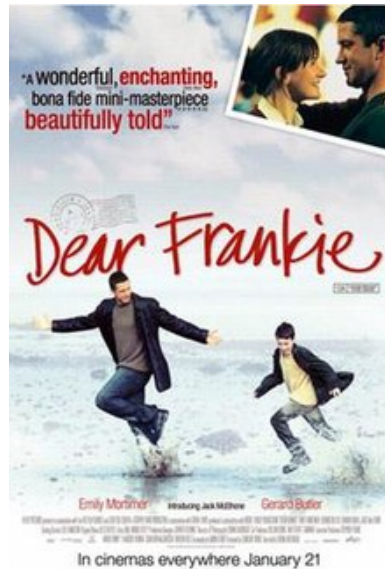


Fundraisers:

- We are having a plant sale with plants that Diana has grown; to purchase a plant make us an offer! Some of the plants that are currently available are white Christmas Cactuses, Jade plants, Aloe Plants, and a few spider plants!
- Along with our plant sale, we do have a few other fundraisers happening around the Centre. We are planning to have our book sale running from the 13th of July to the end of the month; for those who have books that they are wanting to donate, we will be accepting them until the 9th of July.
- We are planning to have our pie sale sometime in the up and coming future, so keep your eyes out for updates if you want fresh pies! It will be \$20 for a fresh pie and then \$5 a slice! Who would want to pass that good of a deal?

Movies for the month of July

- July 11: Dear Frankie
- July 18: The leisure seeker
- July 25: Call of the wild



Message from Board:

We would like to thank each one of you for being patient during this uncertain time and allowing us to take the measures that are needed to ensure the safety of everyone who is coming to the Centre. We are happy to be able to bring back most of our well-loved programs and provide a safe environment for everyone to get together and socialize and reconnect. As stated in the previous newsletter, we are posting weekly updates for the programs that are running. We are very glad to see all the smiling faces and individuals engaging in activities that had been provided prior to our COVID closure!

Rendezvous Café

Stop By our Rendezvous Café for something to eat or drink! The café is open and meals are being provided for take as well as in café service while maintaining social distancing! To ensure that our social distance measures are being followed, we do ask for the chairs not to be moved to ensure 6' between those that are sitting in the café. Wednesday lunch specials have not returned yet, but as stated before we are trying a hot meal take away! For those that are interested the prices are \$3 for our introductory special!

Centre business:

Please show your membership card Our volunteer front desk receptionists pride themselves on processing your purchases as quickly as possible. With so many friendly faces it is hard to keep track of who is a member and who isn't - yet! In order to help them help you, please present your membership card at time of purchase to receive member-only pricing for courses, Activity Cards, drop-ins and events. Without a valid membership card, non-member pricing will apply. Be prepared - If you require a new membership card to be printed please inform staff. When you first purchase your \$50 Annual / \$7 Month membership - your till receipt will be accepted until your membership card is printed for you. We encourage you to display your membership card as a name tag so others can get to know you, and it is easy to display to reception. (Ask reception for a nametag holder)

We Miss you!

For those who we have not seen back at the Centre, we miss all of you and hope you are all staying safe! We appreciate your patience and eagerness to get back to the Centre and continuing on with the activities we provide.

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