eNEWS May 15th, 2024

CHANGES AND CANCELLATIONS

- Monday May 20th (Victoria Day) Beginner's/Chair Yoga is cancelled
- Monday May 20th (Victoria Day) Yoga all Levels is cancelled
- Thursday May 23rd Duplicate Bridge in the Lower Level (this day only)
- Friday June 7th Stretch Class in the Lower Level (this day only)

BHCC ANNUAL YARD SALE - June 22, 2024 (Rain date June 23rd)

Below are the date and time to select your space (you must provide your own table)

BHCC Lobby

Cost - \$20 cash or cheque (payable to Briar Hill Community Centre) Wednesday, May 22 - 6 pm to 8 pm (Briar Hill AND Green Briar residents)



If you have any questions, please contact: Vicki McAloney - <u>vicki mcaloney@yahoo.ca</u> or Beverly Matejicek - <u>bmatejicek@hotmail.com</u>

BHCC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING May 21, 2024 at 3:00 pm in the Great Room

There are four (4) positions available on the Board of Directors We encourage residents to get involved

If you are interested in running for election to the board, contact the BHCC office or drop by and pick up a nomination form. Prepare a brief history of your past business and volunteer experience to include with your nomination form. Drop off or email completed forms to the BHCC office.

A formal notice of meeting has been sent to all Associates and Presidents. Associates (2 per Corporation) are the voting members of the BHCC. They represent the residents for each Corporation. All residents are welcome to attend. If you are interested in learning how your Community Centre is managed and operates, please join us.

For more information contact the BHCC office - email: <u>bhcc@rogers.com</u>

<u>EVENTS</u>

SPRING FLING - A Great Evening!!!

Saturday, May 11th, if you weren't there, you missed a fun event

- We danced to the tunes played by Whiskey Rock Band
- There was plenty of food at the 'light' buffet
- Lots of draw prizes and spot dance prizes
- Hockey Game on in the Lounge...too bad the Leafs lost!

The event was hosted by members of the Social Committee who's efforts made this event a success. Thank you for all you do!

BINGO Saturday May 25th, 2:00 p.m.



Doors Open 1:30 p.m.

- Cards are \$2 each (2 to start) available at the door. Additional cards may be available later (please bring Toonies and Loonies if possible)
- Six Games PLUS Jackpot Game
- Share the Wealth \$\$
- Water & Hard Candies will be available

<u>Pre-register</u> "click here" <u>Bingo Registration</u> **or** sending an email including name(s) and address to <u>bhcc@rogers.com</u>

Please - do not bring messy refreshments We want to save the card for future use.



CASINO RAMA DAY TRIP - Wednesday May 29th SEATS ON THE BUS STILL AVAILABLE!

- Bus leaves BHCC parking lot at 9:00 am sharp
- Only 52 seats available so don't miss out register early
- Price is \$10.00 pp includes transportation, return trip light snack on the bus and driver tip.
- \$5.00 Casino voucher play is included
- Bus Leaves Rama at 3:00 pm (back at BHCC around 4:15 pm)

Tickets on sale at BHCC office - \$10.00 pp

- Monday to Thursday, during regular office hours to register and pay Please bring exact change
- Final date to purchase tickets is May 21st.

Notes:

- You must bring government issued I.D. with photo to board the bus
- Upon arrival at the Casino, you must register for a Player Card (if you don't already have one) and MUST use it for all play

COME JOIN US FOR A DAY OF FUN!

SOCIAL COMMITTEE EVENTS FOR 2024

Your Social Committee has been at work planning some exciting events for the balance of 2024. Following is a tentative list of what you can look forward to. Mark your calendar and watch for details in future eNEWS publications.

- Strawberry Social Monday June 24th, 2:00pm in the GR
- BHCC Community BBQ Saturday August 17th, noon to 3pm on the Patio and LL



• Wine Tasting - Saturday September 21st, 7pm to 10pm in the GR

- Oktoberfest Saturday October 19th, time TBD in the GR
- Trivia Night Saturday November 9th, 7pm to 10pm in the GR
- Festive Sing-along and Christmas Trivia Tuesday December 10th, 7pm in the GR
- New Year's Eve Celebration Tuesday December 31st, time TBD, in the GR

As always, to make the events successful, we need volunteers. Some of the tasks we need help with are:

- Room Set-up in advance of the event and clean-up after the event
- Ticket sales prior to the event
- Ticket takers at the event
- Share the Wealth ticket sellers at the event
- Food Shopping, preparation, serving on the day and kitchen cleanup after the event
- Decorating for the event

Thank you to the Social Committee members and volunteers who have helped with all the successful events so far this year. We couldn't do it without you!

If you are on our volunteer list already, thank you. If you would like to be added to the volunteer list, send an email to <u>bhcc@rogers.com</u>

<u>ACTIVITIES</u>

ALZHEIMER SOCIETY - Good Day Café Thursday, June 6 at 10:30 am BHCC East Room

For people living with Dementia and their care partners, BHCC and the Alzheimer Society would like to invite you to our "Good Day Café" on June 6. Please join us for coffee & snacks, discussion and networking. Learn more about living well in our community after a dementia diagnosis.



Attendance will be limited to 16 people so please register early.

To register, please click <u>Alzheimer Society - Good Day Cafe</u>

BID EUCHRE LESSON: LOW NO TRUMP

If you would like to learn how to bid and play low no trump please come to BHCC lower level on Sunday May 26th at 1:00 pm. We will be finished by 2:00 or shortly after.

Presented by Barb Ramm and Linda Reid - linda.reid@rogers.com

SQUARE DANCING: Friday May 24th, 1:00pm

Following the covid pause, we will be re-starting our Square Dancing activity on Friday, May 24 at 1:00pm in the Great Room.

"A folk dance that involves 8 people arranged in a square, dancing to a specific set of steps announced by a Caller"



Because dances are "sets of 8" we need a minimum of 16 people to start. You don't need a partner - (We'll find you one) **Payment and future classes will be discussed/decided with the participants on May 24th. Please register by email to** <u>bhcc@rogers.com</u>

If you can walk energetically, you can square dance. Two left feet? Bring both! and comfortable shoes

THE ART GALLERY

The talented featured artists for this month are Sharron DuVal and Julie Nordheimer. Be sure to check out their beautiful oil and watercolour paintings the next time you visit the Community Centre. Don't forget to read their interesting biographies.



Notice from the Town of New Tecumseth - FYI

Ponte Vecchio Lane Road Closure

Ponte Vecchio Lane will be closed from 14th Line to Ridgeway from Tuesday, May 21 to Friday, May 24 for external storm sewer servicing. . Access to Briar Hill residences will be maintained for the duration of the closure via MacKenzie Pioneer Road and C.W. Leach Road to Highway 89.

Pilar Bresani & Ruby Thomas

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