

# Georgetown Seniors Centre to host Mid-Winter Blues luncheon

By FLORENCE RIEHL  
Georgetown Seniors Centre

The 2014 Winter Olympics have come to an end. What camaraderie we shared at the Centre as we gathered around the TV in the lounge and cheered loudly for our Canadian athletes. Go Canada! Go!

Tickets are now on sale at reception for \$10 for the Mid Winter Blues luncheon on Monday, March 10 at 12:30 p.m. They are serving beef stew, rolls, dessert, and tea/coffee. Our very own Seniors' Band are entertaining with some wonderful sing-a-long Irish ditties.

On Monday, March 7 at 10 there is an information session scheduled for all who indicated an interest in the 12-day China Adventure trip. Come even if you have not signed the sheet. This is an opportunity to get some of your questions answered before you make a final decision about joining up for this exciting adventure to take place Oct. 31 to Nov. 11.

Once again we are getting ready to hold our Annual General Meeting on Thursday, April 3. This year we are actively seeking seven new members to the Board, President, Treasurer, and five Directors. PLEASE give this some serious thought to putting your name forward for election. We all share in the responsibility of operating our Centre to make it the best place we can.

I suggest you read page 16 of the current *HillsView* and learn more about your Board.

I know you are waiting for those wonderful pancakes, sausages and maple syrup. The date for the Pancake Breakfast is Saturday, March 29 from 8-11 a.m. Advance tickets, \$6 each, are on sale at Reception. The date for the Day in Toronto trip is Thursday, May 15 as published on the flyer and in the brochure.

There is still room to come with us to Theatre Orangeville to see the hilarious comedy "Elvis and Mavis," a couple from Newfoundland.

# Acton Seniors Centre to hold AGM on March 25

By JULIE CONROY  
Acton Seniors Centre

Alex Moshtagh from Treasures Antiques, Oakville was at the Centre conducting our own mini version of Antiques Road show on Tuesday, Feb. 18. He assessed items members had bought in, and was very knowledgeable.

I think some were a little disappointed to hear their valued treasures were not quite as valuable as they thought, but several were pleasantly surprised to hear they were worth more than they expected. It was a very interesting afternoon and everyone enjoyed the experience.

On Tuesday, March 4 the movie will be *Captain Phillips* starring Tom Hanks.

The next social dinner will be on Wednesday, March 19 when we will be celebrating all things Irish. Michael Kelly Cavan will be entertaining, and on the menu is Irish stew. So look in the closet and find something green for the occasion. I know at the Valentine dinner earlier this month the dance floor was

a sea of red.

The Acton Seniors Centre was closed on Friday due to the icy condition of the car park. The weekly 50/50 draw took place on Monday morning instead of the Friday. The member's name drawn had not added their loonie to the box, so next Friday the total prize should be around \$280, an added incentive to drop in for a visit and add your name to the list.

On Thursday afternoon at Bid euchre Thelma Jordon had the only mooner.

The craft group were asking if we might go again to Paris to visit the Mary Maxim craft store. They felt that for a change they would prefer to go

in the fall. I will put up a list to see if there is any interest. Also I need input on whether you would like to visit The Dutch Mill restaurant and store in Millgrove again.

A gentle reminder that the Annual General Meeting (AGM) is to be held on Tuesday March 25 at 2 p.m. Following the meeting there will be light refreshments.

The Birthday Tea will be on Tuesday March 11 at 1:30 p.m. celebrating all February and March birthdays. If you were born in either of these months expect a call the week before the event.

The lunch on Friday, March 7 will be Shepherd's pie and garden salad.



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If you have any comments or questions, please contact Ashley Mancuso, Corporate Services – Clerks Division, at 905-873-2601, ext. 2356 or [ashleym@haltonhills.ca](mailto:ashleym@haltonhills.ca)

DATED at the Town of Halton Hills this 27th day of February 2014.

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