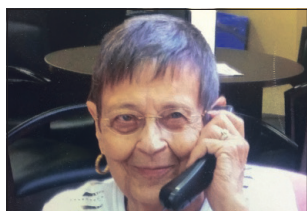


AT LAST, THINGS BACK TO NORMAL AT HILLSVIEW GEORGETOWN

BUZZ OF ACTIVITY A WELCOME SIGHT, WRITES FLORENCE RIEHL



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Column

What a change! A group of ladies sitting around a table in the lounge having a cup of coffee and getting caught up on the last two years. It was like music to my ears.

Yes, we are fully open

now. Masks are no longer required at Hillsview Georgetown, but if you feel safer then by all means continue to wear one.

Active Living programs for spring are about to begin. There may still be some space in one or two of the programs.

It's time to get into shape before you start all that gardening and lawn work.

For those of you who have been taking exercise classes through Zoom, this means the end of all online programming from the centre.

Good news for those of you waiting for travel to start up. Our first trip is all set up to go for Thursday, June 16. The signup sheet is on the travel desk.

The rules are still the

same — once you sign up you have made a commitment to pay for the trip. No exceptions. You will note some changes in travel and we will discuss these on our first trip. It's time we get on the road again.

Several new members have joined carpet bowling. There is still room if you would like to come out. It takes place Monday and Friday mornings from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

The annual general meeting was held by e-mail again this year. Your board members for 2022 are Debbie Smith (president), Debbie Murchison (treasurer), Lori Pollock (secretary) and directors Glenda Penney, Bobbi Szlachta, Bruce Dalley and Carol Dobson.

The centre is once again

having our annual women's used clothing sale. We are asking that all items be washed and in really good shape. The sale will begin Monday, May 2 and will run every day from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Items can be dropped off at the centre until Thursday April 28. Invite your friends and neighbours to come out and support this fundraising event.

Effective Monday, May 2, all drop-in fees will increase to \$2 per person. This money goes to support the operating costs of the centre and also aligns with all our drop-in activity fees.

Halton Hills Public Library now has a collection of Launchpads for adults. These are tablets pre-loaded with engaging apps. Enjoy games like Crossword

Workout, Number Juggler and much more. Visit the library at hhpl.on.ca to learn more or call them at 905-873-2681. There are several walking programs available. Check these out in the April and May Hillsview newsletter.

Your centre operates with the help of volunteers. Right now, there is a need for kitchen volunteers. No cooking involved. Basically only coffee and tea are being served at present. Got a couple of hours a week or month? We would dearly love to hear from you.

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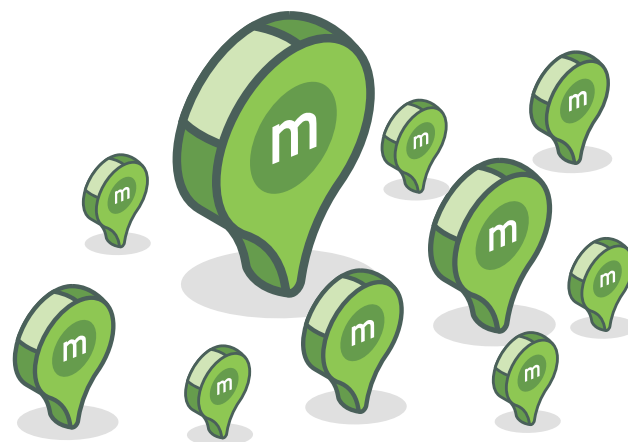
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