

# Seniors' Lifestyles

## Acton Seniors' Centre has trips, open house lined up

Last week's bid euchre was well attended and the mooner was Elma Braida. The 50/50 draw was won by Jeanne Burke. Congratulations Jeanne.

Anyone interested in playing bridge is asked to sign the appropriate sheet at the front desk. We have some players really interested in playing, but we still need a few more people to be able to start in September.

The next trip to Rama is Wednesday, Sept. 29. If you would like to go please call Ruth at 519-853-5124. There is another trip planned to Casino Niagara on Sept. 15 and the cost is \$23 which includes the driver's tip and a \$15 voucher for use at the casino during the five-hour stay.

If you are interested in a more scenic trip, you can go on a Mystery Trip—"In Search of the Red Leaf" on Thursday, Oct. 14 when you will be traveling around Ontario, enjoying the fall colours in our beautiful countryside, with a luncheon cruise and a stop at a market. The coach leaves at 8:15 a.m. and returns around 6:30 p.m.

For more information on the trips mentioned above, either check out the front desk or contact Betty or Barb at 519-853-5951.

All those celebrating a birthday in September, don't forget the birthday tea on Tuesday, Sept. 14 at 2 p.m. As always you are welcome to bring a friend.

We are very busy at the moment planning the open house the week of Sept. 13-17. We hope to see lots of old and new members there. There is a schedule of the events at the front desk, so drop in and pick one up. We will be holding demonstrations of all the activities held at the centre during the week on their regular days, and the final event on Friday will be a corn roast at noon, followed by bingo.

Don't forget you need a ticket (there is a limited supply) and they are also available at the desk. It is free for members, and non-members are \$8. On the menu are cold meats, salads, corn and, to end the meal, delicious apple blossoms.

We are hoping to see some new faces and acquaint ourselves with some old friends, who have maybe not attended the centre for a little while.

Don't forget, without your interest and participation the centre can't expand or develop new interests and programs.

—Julie Conroy,  
Acton Seniors Centre

## Fall and winter activities getting under way at centre

Another summer has passed away and the Georgetown Seniors' Centre is getting set to swing in to its fall and winter activities.

Open house and registration week runs from September 13-17. It is a week of demonstrations of the various programs offered by the centre. Check your copy of 'The Hilltops' to find out what interests you and come out and try something new.

Tuesday, Sept. 14 of that week is the welcome back barbecue. Hot dogs, corn on the cob, coffee, tea, lemonade and pop will be served. Sounds delicious to me.

Beginning Sept. 7, the centre is starting its new hours. It will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. This tells me it is getting to be a busy place.

Just a reminder to the ladies in particular, regarding the Tan Jay Fashion Show. It was such a success last year. The date is Monday, Sept. 27 at 1 p.m. The cost is \$5

and includes light refreshments. You can pick up your ticket at the front desk. Don't miss out for a look at the new fall fashions.

I see by the flyers on the travel desk that the Georgetown seniors are going 'In Search of the Red Leaf'. Sounds like a mystery trip to me. Come on board and enjoy a relaxing drive through rolling countryside, a luncheon cruise and a stop at a market on Monday, Oct. 11 as we search for the red leaf.

Grant tells me if there is sufficient interest he will arrange for a trip to see the musical *Hairspray*. If you would like to go, please sign the appropriate sheet on the travel desk.

It looks like the Georgetown seniors are on the move. Get involved, make new friends and share in the good times at your centre.

—By Florence Riehl,  
Georgetown Seniors Centre

### In brief

## Georgetown seniors to host art show

The Georgetown and District Seniors Centre will hold its second annual art show and sale at the Cultural Centre gallery (9 Church St.) from Sept. 7-19.

For information contact Pat Hammer at 905-877-3546.

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The Georgetown and District Senior Men's Luncheon Club starts its new season

Thursday, September 9 with a noon meeting at the Holy Cross Church hall.

The speaker will be from the new Gellert Community Centre.

Admission is \$8 per person and new members are welcome.

Contact George Miehm (905-877-2697 or Ted Gorth at 905-877-6774 for more information.

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