



Prime Time Club

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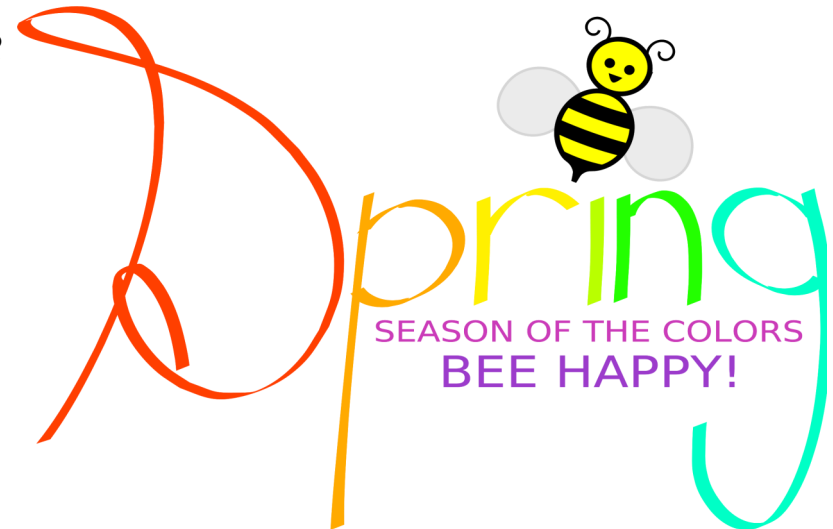
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Members

A tasty breakfast of Sausage, Bacon, Pancakes, Tea, Coffee & Juice was cooked and served by volunteers from the Club. A big thank you to Hazel Smith and her volunteers.

The Club is looking for suggestions to help celebrate Wasaga Beach 50th Anniversary.

Looking forward to some great ideas!

The club is looking for individuals to take the Smart Serve Course. We are in need of assistance in the Bar for events at the Club. The club will reimburse those who pass and sign up to help when needed. For more Information call the club at 705-429-4266 or email primetimeclub@rogers.com.



Passed suddenly on Wednesday, February 21, 2024.

He was a member of the Prime Time Club and played on our Dart league for the past few years.

Our sincere condolences go out to Anne and the family.

Passed peacefully on February 4, 2024, with daughters by her side.

Jeannie was one of our Keep Fit ladies.

A Celebration of Life was held Sunday February 11th at the Wasaga Beach Recplex.

Our sincere condolences go out to Kara and Loralie and Family

(Sorry we missed this Member in November)

Joe passed peacefully on November 30, 2023 at Campbell House, Collingwood with family at his side. At Prime Time Joe enjoyed a game of Snooker with friends.

Cremation has taken place and a Celebration of Life to take place at a later date.

Our sincere condolences go out to Olga and Family.

PRIME TIME CONVENERS & EVENTS

MONDAY

Helen Veninger	705-429-9063	Keep Fit	8:30 a.m.
Lynda Trimble	429-3402	Prime Time Singers	10:00 a.m.
Fred Basan	905-567-5133	Men's Snooker	12:00-4 pm.
Judy Bryans	705-422-1787	Shuffleboard	1:30 p.m.
Brenda Wood	429-7486	Euchre	7:00 p.m.
Sharon MacNeil	705-888-8965		

TUESDAY

John Bolln	429-0382	Line Dancing	10:30 a.m.
Joan Varley	444-1104	Tap Dancing	1:00 p.m.
Bill Scott	429-2632	Short Mat Bowl	2:30 p.m.
Kris Dubois	705-352-1549		
Denise Spicehowicez	705-352-1305	Cribbage	1:00 p.m.
Diana & Larry Struthers	705-352-0895	Bid Euchre	7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Linda Gilmore		Keep Fit	8:45 a.m.
Pat Gagnon	429-6898	Keep Fit	10:00 a.m.
Wayne Ridley	705-429-5477	Men's Snooker	10:00 a.m.
Cliff Hogarth	705-446-5256	Men's Snooker	1:30-4pm.
Bill Scott	429-2632	Short Mat Bowl	2:00 p.m.
Kris Dubois	705-352-1549		
Sharon Matthews	705-352-0881	Darts	7:00p.m.
Judy Cabell			

THURSDAY

Sharon Wood	705-352-2614	Scottish Country Dancing	10:00 a.m.
Alf Malan	352-1142	Mixed Snooker	9:00 a.m.
Diana Rudolph &	416-206-9556	Ladies Crafts & Laughs	1:00 p.m.
Claire Manhire	429-0240	Bridge	1:00 p.m.

FRIDAY

Kathy Roulston		Keep Fit	8:30 a.m.
Ingrid Hunt		Zumba	9:45 a.m.
Rob Maguire	705-984-4512	Men's Snooker	12:00-4 pm.
Ingrid Smith	705-471-2215	Scrabble	2 p.m.
Terry Watt &	429-1167	Bid Euchre	7:00 p.m.
Fran Hobbs`	428-3521		

SATURDAY

Verna Amaral &	705-429-1629	Saturday Night Social	7-9:30p.m.
Sharon Matthews	705-352-0881		

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I am currently working with a group in Wasaga Beach called Village of Hope. They provide lunches, personal hygiene products, socks, hats, mitts, winter coats, etc. twice a week to those in need. It’s run entirely by hard working volunteers and totally funded by donations from people who want to help in some small way, those who are struggling in this difficult economic climate.

A small group of us are working on making mats from the 4-litre plastic milk bags. The mats help keep people dry and hopefully give a little comfort when sleeping on the cold, wet ground.

We have the knowledge and hands to make the mats, but each one takes at least 400 plastic milk bags!! **WE NEED MILK BAGS! I’m asking if you might donate your milk bags.**

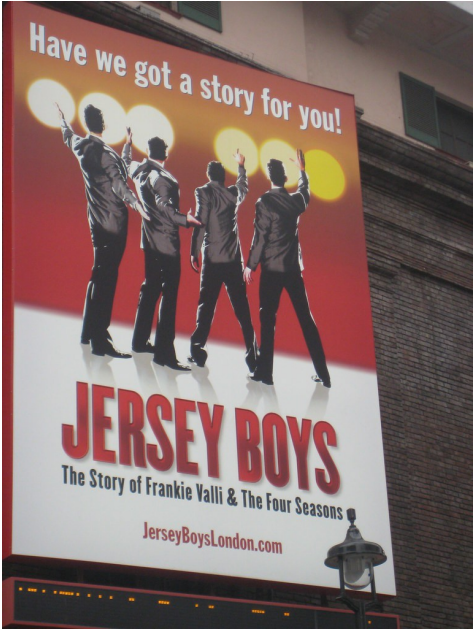
They can be dropped off at the Club. (I’m going to provide a container in the lobby to put them in).

The process of turning the bags into “plarn” to make the mats is labour intense, so if at all possible I would ask if you could open your bag and allow it to dry on the inside before folding it (or even better, if it smells, if you could give it a quick wash and let it dry). This will save a few steps for me, of having to wash, dry and then hang the bags all around my home and it will honestly save at least 3 hours labour per 150 bags.

Thanking you in advance so much for your help ...it really does take a Village.

A PRIME TIME CLUB EVENT

Join us at KINGS WHARF THEATRE in PENETANGUISHENE
for **JERSEY BOYS** on TUESDAY, AUGUST 27TH at 2PM



KINGS WHARF THEATRE HAS SET ASIDE 50 TICKETS AT THE GROUP RATE.
IF 20 TICKETS ARE SOLD THE COST IS \$53.39 PER PERSON.
IF LESS THAN 20 TICKETS ARE SOLD \$59.33 PER PERSON.
(IF 50 TICKETS ARE SOLD MORE MAY BE ORDERED IF TICKETS REMAIN)

PERSONAL TRANSPORTATION OR CAR POOLING IS REQUIRED

PLEASE SIGN THE SHEET ON THE BOARD BY THE FRONT DOOR AND PUT
A CHEQUE MADE OUT TO "PRIME TIME CLUB" FOR \$53.39 MARKED
"JERSEY BOYS" IN THE OFFICE DOOR

**NOTE: 5 MORE PEOPLE ARE NEEDED TO BRING THE NUMBER OF TICKETS TO
20 SO THE REDUCED RATE WILL APPLY. SALES COULD END AS OF MARCH 31.**

I'M VERY PLEASED TO SEE THE EXCELLENT SUPPORT SO FAR!

MARCH
BIRTHDAYS

MEMBERS

JOSEFINA DINTER 1ST
JACK SLAGGETT 3RD
DENISE SPICEHOWICEZ 6TH
MARILYN MAY 7TH
KAREN ENDICOTT 8TH
JANE SAUER 8TH
VINCENT O'SHELL 9TH
KEN BROWN 12TH
HARRY COWAN 12TH
HANNE NIELSEN 13TH
HELEN MATTHEWS 14TH
ANN GARRAD 15TH
LINA DEROCCIS 17TH
SHEILA BOEKESTYN 18TH
DORIS WILLIS 18TH
ISABEL LOUNDS 20TH
CORRINE BROWNRIDGE 22ND
CARMELA MALLIA 22ND
LYNDA TRIMBLE 23RD
SUSAN HITCHEN 24TH
GLENDA FISHER 26TH
MARILYN OCHNIO 27TH
DOUG SWITZER 28TH
SUE JANE CHONG 29TH
BILL THURLOW 30TH
LINDA MARSHALL 31ST

HONOURARY MEMBERS

Those members designated HO mean that they are
Honourary members, but not active in the Club.

SHIRLEY LYONS 5TH (HO)
FRANCES MACCORMACK 26TH (HO)

KATHY MCKENZIE 1ST
JOAN GRAY 2ND
NORMA VIENNEAU 3RD
MARINA WALSH 3RD
ROWLAND BROOKS 6TH
DONALD COWIE 6TH
MARY FRITZ 6TH
RONALD BENWELL 8TH
BOB WARREN 8TH
MARIE MACLURE 9TH
DAYE WARREN 9TH
GOLDIE EVANS 11TH
MARIE PEARDON 11TH
BETH BLACK 12TH
PAUL ENGLAND 13TH
HELMI BRINSON 14TH
DONNA O'DONNELL 16TH
FAYE SIMPSON 16TH
PAT GAGNON 18TH
FREDLY RIBE 20TH
TOM SIMPSON 20TH
VAL O'DONNELL 21ST
IRMA WEGNER 21ST
MARIA SMEELEN 22ND
JOE AMARAL 25TH
JOAN NESBITT 25TH
AERONA RAAB 25TH
WILLIAM MARTIN 27TH

Prime Time Singers

Diana
416-206-9556

If you enjoy singing we need you! We have a whole new selection of songs to sing but are still open to suggestions.
Some of the songs are in 2 parts or 4 parts so we need extra numbers to sing them.
It is exciting to be able to sing with a group and we have been invited to entertain at a couple of retirement homes. There is an extra charge of \$2.00 or \$3.00 for our activities.
Come and help us if you dare!

Crafts and Laughs

Garage Sale/Jumble Sale - Possible date May 4. 10 a.m. to 2p.m.
Start collecting together any small items you may not want anymore. Fill a box and then bring it to the club on Friday May 3.
We will need volunteers for setting up the tables and displaying the items.
We will need a cashier to take the money.
We will also be serving tea, coffee and cookies.
The crafts and laughs have lots of Lace, ribbon, buttons and beads, knitting needles, crochet hooks and sewing needles, reels of cotton, embroidery silks etc. We cannot possibly use it all so if you are a crafter this will be an opportunity to get supplies you need.
Volunteers please contact me as soon as you can at 416-206-9556 or email: dimrudolph@yahoo.ca

I have been contacted by someone who would like to get help making a memory quilt.
She lost her mother recently and has clothing from her that she would like to make into a quilt or lap blanket.
Could you put in the newsletter a request for anyone interested in helping her. or even making the Memory Quilt for her.
Many thanks,
Diana

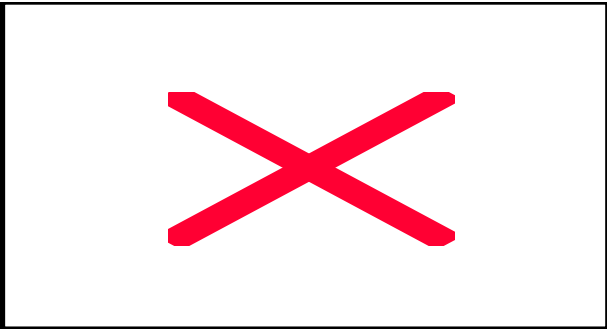
MARCH DATES TO CELEBRATE!

- 1. March 8-International Women’s Day
- 2. March 10-National Hug your Dog Day
- 3. March 10-Daylight Saving Time Starts **Sunday, March 10, 2024, 3:00 am local daylight time** instead. Sunrise and sunset will be about 1 hour later on Mar 10, 2024 than the day before. There will be more light in the evening.
- 4. March 17-St Patrick’s Day
- 5. March 19-First Day of Spring @ 11:06pm EDT
- 6. March 28-National Black Forest Cake Day-yummmm

TUESDAY BID EUCHRE SCORES submitted by Diana Struthers

JAN 2
1.CLAYTON KILBY 296
2.SHONDRA MCDONALD 291
3.MELVIN LOUGHEED 285
4.JORGE ARSENIO 263
CALL ONE: LARRY STRUTHERS
MOONSHOTS: SHARON MACNEIL, JOHN KLEIMANIS
JAN 9
1.JOHN KLEIMANIS 260
2.DIANA STRUTHERS 253
3.MAXINE DUKE 248
4.PIERCY HAMEL 247
CALL ONE: BELINDA ROSE
MOONSHOTS: MAXINE DUKE, TERRY WATT, PIERCY HAMEL, SHONDRA MCDONALD
JAN 16
1. RICKEY LEMIRE 276
2 PIERCY HAMEL 264
3 CLAUDETTE BELL 257
4 MICHELINE LAROCQUE 253
CALL ONE: GERRY HILLIER
MOONSHOTS: PHYLLIS HILLIARD, JORGE ARSENIO, PIERCY HAMEL, GREG LEMIRE
JAN 23
1.RICK DODD 315
2.GERRY HILLIER 287
3.LINDA GEORGE 284
4.JORGE ARSENIO 284
CALL ONE: JORGE ARSENIO
MOONSHOTS: EDITH ATKINSON

*“If you are
please don’t
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*feeling Sick-
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MONDAY NIGHT EUCHRE submitted by BRENDA WOOD

Mon. Jan. 29th
1ST PLACE: ALEX TREMBLETT 95 WITH 5 LONE HANDS
2ND PLACE: CATHY SHERMAN 84
3RD PLACE: JORGE ARSENIO 81 WITH 5 LONE HANDS
3rd place tie: EDITH ATKINSON 73 WITH 3 LONE HANDS
TIED FOR MOST LONE HANDS ARE ALEX AND JORGE

Mon FEB 5th
1 ST PLACE: PAT CARON 83
2 ND PLACE: NANCY KENNEDY 72
2ND PLACE TIE: GORDON CLARK 72 WITH 3 LONE HANDS
2ND PLACE 3-WAY TIE: GERRY HILLIER 72
GERRY HILLIER WITH MOST LONE HANDS AT 4

Mon. FEB. 12th
1 ST PLACE: LARRY STRUTHERS 84 WITH 4 LONE HANDS
2ND PLACE: JORGE ARENIO 79 WITH 2 LONE HANDS
3RD PLACE: NANCY KENNEDY 72 WITH 1 LONE HAND
4TH PLACE: LIBBY WITH 68
MOST LONE HANDS LARRY STRUTHERS WITH 4

Mon. FEB. 19th
1ST PLACE: DIANA STRUTHERS 78 WITH 2 LONE HANDS
2ND PLACE : BELINDA ROSE 76 WITH 1 LONE HAND
2ND PLACE TIE: DIANE GRAHAM 76 WITH 1 LONE HAND
3RD PLACE: ALEX TREMBLETT 73 WITH 1 LONE HAND
TIED FOR MOST LONE HANDS WITH 3 IS:
MARY WALLACE, GORDON CLARK, LIZ BIRDSALL

Hello Prime Time Club members and welcome to the first of what I envision to be a monthly bulletin of the top two items most needed at the Wasaga Beach Ministerial Food Bank. To understand how stretched they are in providing food support in our community, let me share some statistics.

The volume of hampers distributed per month grew 32% from an average 298 in 2022 to 392 in 2023 and the majority of new clients are families. What saddens me the most is the 60% increase in children served which now approaches 400 per month (up from 250).

My vision for this monthly update is simple – let’s try and top up food bank shelves each month with just the two most needed items. **The top two for March are everyday staples for most of us → peanut butter and jam.**

You can bring them to the PT Club and place in the existing food bank bin which I'll monitor or donate directly to the food bank during operating hours (Tuesdays from 10 am to 1 pm and Thursdays from 10 am to 1 pm and 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm).

SHUFFLEBOARD SCORES

submitted by Judy Bryans, and Eva England

Jan. 29-
Hi score winners: Mary Fritz, Lorraine Leborgne 136
3-game winners: None

Feb. 5-
Hi score winners: Barry Grant, Brian Bermingham 160
3-game winners: Wendy Caudle, Len Langman

Feb.13-
Hi score winners: Diane McDonough, Elliott Young 139
3-game winner: Lorraine Leborgne

Feb. 19-
Hi score winners: Elliott Young, Ruth Smith ... 162
3-game winners: Robert Ott, Wendy Caudle

Feb. 26-
Hi score winner: Elliott Young ...145
3-game winners: Wendy Caudle, Lorraine Leborgne

Condolences to the family of DOMENIC GALLO, he will be missed by us all.



BRIDGE SCORES

25 Jan

1. Ken Dawe 5940 2. Ted Tettmar 3820 3. Shirley Cook 3580

01 Feb

1. Jim Park 4670 2. Ken Dawe 4570 3. Shirley Cook 4310

08 Feb

1. Jim Park 6550 2. Jeannies Ibbotson 6120 3. Ted Tettmar 4650

15 Feb

1. Shirley Cook 4230 2. Ken Dawe 4000 3. Chuck Shepley 3870

22 Feb

1. Jeannies Ibbotson 4980 2. Gloria Thompson 4790 3. David Alexander 3660

29 Feb

1. Jim Park 5970 2. Ken Dawe 5960 3. Nick Petrokov 5150

It was great seeing David Alexander after quite a few years...97 yrs and he was skiing the prior day. Lucky guy.

I was called “pretty” at Bridge today...actually they said “pretty annoying”, but I focus on the positive.

Gloria

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CRIBBAGE SCORES

submitted Denise Spicehowicez

Jan 23/24

1st place Frank Spicehowicez 839

2nd place Alex Tremblett 838

3rd place Sheila Overall 816

Jan 30th

1st place Lorraine LeBorgne 847 (7 wins out of 7) congrats

2nd place Frank Spicehowicez 822

3rd place Micheline Larocque 811

24-hand Bob Hoc

Feb 6th

1st place George Catteau 832

2nd place Rick Dodd 831

3rd Bill Martin 817

24-hand George Catteau, Bill Martin, Sheila Overall and Suzy Jervis

Wow that's a record for the # of 24-hand.....congrats

Feb 13th

1st place Frank Spicehowicez 823

2nd place Lesley Willetts 821

3rd place Mary Fritz and Gerry Pickett 806

24-hand Lorraine LeBorgne, Sheila Overall

Feb 20th

1st place Rick Dodd 828

2nd place Chuck Shelley 824

3rd place Lorraine LeBorgne 822

24- hand Lorraine LeBorgne & Micheline Larocque

Feb 27th

1st place Frank Spicehowicez & Rick Dodd 847 (perfect 7 games)...wow that's a first

3rd place Hilde Henke 814

24-hand Pat Caron & Melvin Laugheed

So nice to see full tables today.....

KEEP FIT

It's COLD&FLU season! Please do not attend any Club activities if you any symptoms.

With the rise of COVID be extra cautious as well. If you come into contact with Covid, please follow guidelines from the County of Simcoe. If you get Covid, let the Convener know as soon as possible. Conveners, if you get a call regarding Covid please let Sharon or Verna know.



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Friday Bid Euchre Scores submitted by Terry Watt

Feb. 2

1. Phil Vienneau 325
2. Norma Vienneau 306
3. Jim Hill 306
4. Myrtle Manuel 300

Call 1. Diana Struthers

Moonshots Greg Lemire, Micheline Larocque, Phil Vienneau, George Catteau, Norma Vienneau, Jim Hill, Linda George, Terry Watt, Rick Dodd.

Feb. 9

1. Gerry Hillier 322
2. Larry Struthers 302
3. Lois Walker 278
4. Shirley Cook 270

Call 1. Jorge Arsenio

Moonshots Greg Lemire (2), Lionel Schneider, Lois Walker, Rickey Lemire, Phyllis Hillier.

Feb. 16

1. Ellen Kester 299
2. Brenda Wood 279
3. Diana Struthers 276
4. Phil Vienneau 267 Call 1.

Terry Watt Moonshots Myrtle Manuel, Phil Vienneau, Claude Richard, Terry Watt, Linda George

Feb. 23

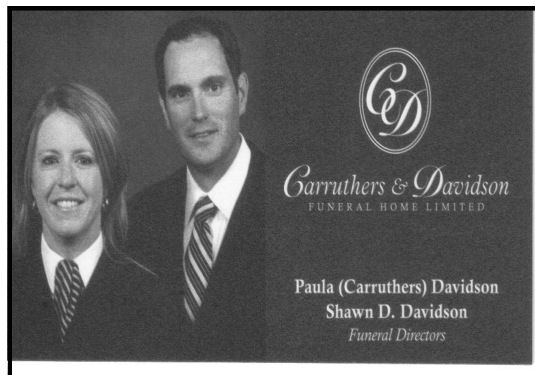
1. Mel Lougheed 311
2. Linda George 293
3. Jorge Arsenio 291
4. Les Richard 285 Call 1.

Linda George Moonshots
Greg Lemire, Terry Watt,

Some artists of the 50's are revising their hits with new lyrics to accomodate baby boomers. Here's a few:

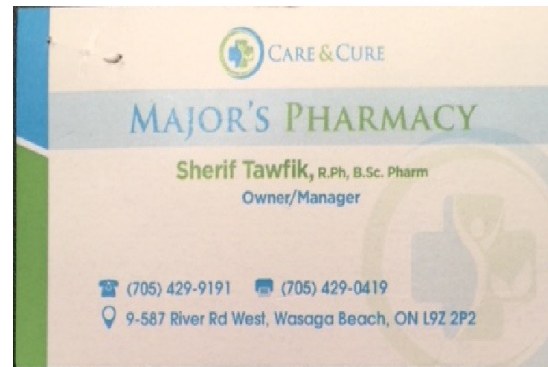
1. Herman's Hermits- Mrs. Brown you've got a lovely walker.
2. The Bee Gees- How can you mend a broken hip.
3. Bobby Darin- Splish Splash I was Having a flash.
4. Ringo Starr- I'll get by with the help from depends.
5. The Commodores- Once, twice, three times to the bathroom.
6. Marvin Gaye- Heard it from the Grape Nuts
7. Leo Sayer- You make me feel like napping.
8. Willie Nelson- On the commode again.
- 9- Procol Harem- A whiter shade of hair.
10. Johnny Nash- I can't see clearly now.
11. Helen Reddy- I am woman hear me snore.
12. Abba- Denture Queen.

Jorge Arsenio, Norm Pratt(2),
Myrtle Manuel



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