

LODGE LINE

JANUARY 2021



Lily Star Salon

Lily Star Salon has been open for just under a month and I want to say thank you to the staff, residents, and families for your warm welcome to Tatiana. It is important to her that each resident has an enjoyable experience. Now that Tatiana has adjusted to the Lodge, she will begin to manage her appointments. If you wish to schedule an appointment for your loved one or have any questions for Tatiana, please do not hesitate to contact her directly at 613.728.3900 ext. 110

The Hair Salon will be open Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.



Birthday Certificates - update

Starting January 2021, the birthday certificate sponsored by the generosity of the Hillel Lodge Auxiliary will now become a gift card. The gift card is valued at \$20 and can be applied to any hair or esthetic service.

These gift cards expire at the end of each year.

Two grandmothers were bragging about their precious darlings. One of them says to the other, "Mine are so good at social distancing, they won't even call me."

What is happening this month at the Lodge?

- Birthday Party with Evelyn Greenberg
- Connecting Creativity Art Therapy with Mina Iveson
- Mediterranean Delight Highlights of Greece (program collaboration - recreation and dietary departments)
- Oneg Shabbat with Toby and Joel Yan
- Oneg Shabbat with Rabbi Teitlebaum
- Oneg Shabbat with The Ganon Preschool
- Oneg Shabbat with the OJCS ADK and Morah Shira
- Singalong with Joel Yan and Karen Roth
- Frank Sinatra and the Jews Music Appreciation with Sheila Osterer
- Tu Bishvat arts and craft project

Curious about what is being served this Winter?

Winter/ Spring Menu 2020-2021

Chicken Marengo,
Rigatoni Primavera
Curry Vegetable soup
Sweet Citrus Chicken
Braised Beef Short Ribs
Italian Meat Loaf
Roasted Red pepper and Leek Quiche
Beef Pot Roast
Curry Apricot Chicken
General Tao Chicken
Old Fashioned Pineapple Squares
Pear Cream Cheese Coffee Cake
Berry Lemon Pudding Cake

A friendly reminder to all Essential Caregivers:

- To always wear your mask even when you are alone in your loved ones' room
- 2. To ensure your mask covers your mouth and your nose
- 3. To always wear your shield during your visit

Welcome New Residents

Sara Wurzel
Duncan Lunam
Keith MacLennan
Monty Silver
Michel Madore
Crystal Stoller
Yucel Erkilicoglu

Our Sincere Condolences to the Families of:

BARRY BAKER
THOMAS BEVERIDGE
PETER HALBROHR
ROSE LEIMOVICI
AGNES MILLER
MARION PHILLIPS
DAVID SILVERMAN
NAOMI WILANSKY



May their memories be a blessing always.



The Family Council invites you to their next Virtual Meeting (3rd Wednesday of each month) Wednesday, January 20th at 7:00 pm

With guest speaker: Tracy Picken, Manager of Facilities and Environmental Services

Interested in what is discussed at the meetings? Minutes from December's Family Council Meeting are attached.

For more information and to sign up please contact: Joe Silverman at joesilverman17@gmail.com

Hannukah Activity – Update

Last month, Hillel Lodge participated in a city-wide menorah building contest hosted by Jewish Education through Torah (JET). Collectively, our residents built a beautiful Menorah using BINGO balls. What better way to show the community how much fun we have at the Lodge? In total, 13 residents helped us build this beautiful Menorah which was on display during Hannukah.

"Hillel Lodge recreation staff chose a Menorah theme that encompassed the spirit and resilience of the residents and staff here at the lodge. One of our popular activities that many residents enjoy is bingo. Each week the residents look forward to gathering with friends to play a light-hearted game of bingo. The pandemic has been difficult on everyone, especially those in long term care homes but we have worked hard to keep spirits high by continuing our programming with special attention to social distancing and infection control. The residents of our home benefit so much from bingo that when we approached them with the idea of building a bingo Menorah, they were excited to participate in this JET community contest.

Veronica Benedek (a resident of Hillel Lodge) described Bingo as, "Bingo is 30 minutes of just having fun. I do not worry about anything else; it is not for the education or work; it is just to have a good time. I can just play the bingo and I will have fun and sometimes I will laugh. I also help my friend (Judith) to play so we can have fun together. The news is sometimes bad now so we play games and it helps us to not worry. Everybody who plays bingo can have a good time together."





















BIRTHDAYS

As with everything else at the Lodge, we have had to change how we celebrate residents' birthdays. Nonetheless, we make sure that each resident's birthday is special.

December Birthdays



January Birthdays

SHEILA BAHAR
LIUDMILA BELINSON
SUE CAPLAN MCLAUGHLAN
GLORIA DA SILVA
NANCY FRYER
MICHEL MADORE
LEO RATNER
FRANCES SILVERMAN
PATRIA SOOMER-TALBACK
CRYSTAL STOLLER