

July/ August- Summer edition

With summer upon us, Lodge Line will be taking a short publication break to recharge and refocus. Please enjoy this summer edition of Lodge Line, and we look forward to reconnecting with you in September. Have a fun, safe and healthy summer!

JULY/ AUGUST BIRTHDAY PARTIES

July Romen Blinder Helen Crawford Anna Dukszto-Lemanczyk Anna Feldman Kareen Jackson Regina Koper Judith Kune Zelda Leibovitch Andee Fortune Dirk Partridge Gayle Peterson

August

Roger Barrow Elizabeth Dunbar Raezelle Goldmann Isadore Hoffman Jack Lazarus Donald Moore Gary Price Estera Pulvermacher Theresa Rowan Eileen Tanner

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What is happening this summer at the Lodge? * Virtual programs unless otherwise noted

Weekly

- Connecting Creativity Art Therapy
- Lessons from the Parsha with Rabbi Teitlebaum (in person)
- Outdoor resident strolls (in person)

Oneg Shabbat with Rabbi Teitlebaum

Oneg Shabbat with Ranit Braun

Oneg Shabbat with Joel Yan and Marsha Black

Singalong with Joel Yan and Friends

Birthday parties with Evelyn Greenberg

Legendary Documentaries Michael Jackson Shirley Temple

Music Therapy with Rachel (in person individual visits)

MEET CHRISTINE NGANDU our new Program Administrative Clerk

Next time you visit the Lodge, you will notice a new face greeting you at reception and answering our phones:

Christine Ngandu. Christine joined the Lodge in September 2019 as a Personal Support Worker and has the ability to relate to everyone she encounters with warmth and compassion. During recent months, Christine has also undertaken an important assignment as a member of our COVID testing team, a responsibility that she has performed with sensitivity and diligence. Please join me in congratulating Christine on her accomplishment and wishing her well in her new role at the Lodge.

<u>Welcome New Residents</u>

John Jackson Paul Bertrand Thomas McCaffrey



We have transitioned to our summer/fall menu, which includes a selection of our residents' favourite meals and plenty of seasonal fruits and delicious desserts. Attached is a list of some of our new and returning menu items. Have questions? Please don't hesitate to contact Patty Haas, Director of Food Services, at <u>phaas@hillel-ltc.com</u> Welcome... to our new staff member

Raymund Paiste

Reaistered Nurse



Family Council - summer break

The Family Council will be taking a break to enjoy the beautiful summer weather. They look forward to resuming their meetings in October after the Chagim.

In the meantime, if you are entering the home to visit family, please check out the Family Council Bulletin Board located near the elevators on the main floor for more information, including how to join the Council.

RABBI BULKA KINDNESS PROJECT

Like the rest of our community, we are extremely saddened by the passing of Rabbi Bulka. He was a friend to the residents of the Lodge and known for being kind and inclusive to every person he met.

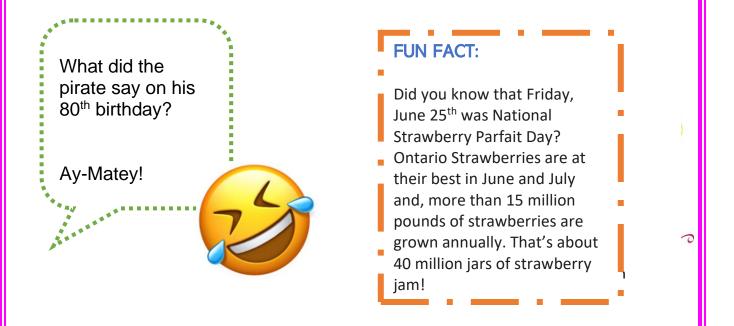
To honour the Rabbi's memory and his long-standing commitment to acts of kindness, and to promote his desire to see kindness "go viral", the Lodge is participating in the **Rabbi Bulka Kindness Project**. We are collecting stories from our residents and their families about Rabbi Bulka and the many ways in which he touched the lives of our residents. To participate and share a story or a memory, please email Marilyn Adler at <u>marilyn@hillel-ltc.com</u>

Resident BBQs return

We are happy to announce that resident BBQs have returned. Our first BBQ was held on Wednesday, June 23rd and it was a resounding success. A special thank you to Toby and Joel Yan, our musical guests. This was the second time since COVID started that Toby and Joel were able to perform for us in person – the live music was wonderful to hear. The sun was shining, residents were laughing and a good time was clearly had by all. We can't wait to host more!

Volunteers

Fully vaccinated volunteers are returning to the Lodge, and we can start resuming some of our normal wonderful programming! Bingo, with long-time volunteer Larry Weisz, has resumed, inperson birthday parties with Evelyn Greenberg will resume starting this month, and live entertainment will be returning soon. Volunteers are being integrated back into life at the Lodge slowly, safely, and cautiously – we are excited to reunite and have everyone back with us! If you are interested in volunteering, please email Marilyn Adler at <u>marilyn@hillel-ltc.com</u>



BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED IN JUNE

Lucille Chaplan, Mary Healey, Ilse Meere, Sheila Pollock, Faigie Resnick, Frank Rosen Dr. Truda Rosenberg, Elizabeth Sas, Sheldon Shaffer, Ronald Simkover, Sally Taller, Ruth Victor



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Mary Healey



Dr. Truda Rosenberg



Wishing you a Happy and Safe Summer!