

# Lodge Line

November 2022

**11 NOVEMBER**  
*Remembrance Day*

*At the eleventh hour on the eleventh day of the eleventh month – we will remember them.*

*Lest we forget*



## Upcoming EVENTS



### Tuesday, November 8th:

10:30 a.m. - The Usuals Jazz Band

### Thursday, November 10th:

11:00 a.m. - Father Daryold Visit

2:00 p.m. - Keep on Singing with Al & Howard

### Monday, November 14th:

2:30 p.m. - An Hour with Guest Speaker  
Gerry Cammy

### Tuesday, November 15th:

11:00 a.m. - Zumba Gold Chair with Debbie

### Wednesday, November 16th:

2:30 p.m. - Music with Johnny Vegas

### Tuesday, November 22nd:

2:30 p.m. - Wheelchair Travel to Italy

### Wednesday, November 23rd:

2:30 p.m. - Supreme Court Virtual Tour

### Monday, November 28th:

2:30 p.m. - Music with Noel

### Wednesday, November 30th:

4:00 p.m. - Memorial Service with Rabbi T.

## Birthdays of the Month

The Birthday Party  
With Evelyn Greenberg

will be held on  
Thursday, November 24, 2022 at  
2:30 p.m.

### *The residents celebrating are:*

Pasqualina Adamo  
Maria Benguigui  
Maria Ferrante  
Lola Leclair  
Irene May  
Anastasi Papadolias  
Rochelle Schachnow  
Aileen Sullivan  
Elaine Whittemore

## Residents' Council



The next Resident Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 15th at 2:15 p.m.



*Just a friendly reminder...*

Art Therapy group sessions every Wednesday at 9:45 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Residents may attend one of the sessions each week, to a maximum of 8 participants per session. New participants are welcome to join any week. Participation is welcome at any level, no experience or materials needed.

*Please note!*

Heather Elliott-Davis is no longer providing hair dressing services at Hillel Lodge.

We are pleased to announce that we will be welcoming Theodora Rodriguez in her place within the next few weeks.



### FOOD COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Monday, November 28th  
11:00 a.m.

Tuesday, November 29th  
3:30 p.m.



## November is Fall Prevention Month

Falls are the leading cause of injury related hospitalizations among Canadian older adults. 20-30% of older adults fall each year.

Falls are the leading cause for hospital admissions from injuries for children ages 0 to 14.

Fall Prevention Month encourages organizations to coordinate their efforts for a larger impact. Canadian organizations participate by planning initiatives and sharing evidence-based information on fall prevention. Together we can raise the profile of fall prevention and encourage everyone to see their role in preventing falls and fall-related injuries across the lifespan.

## DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH

November is Diabetes Awareness Month across the globe. This is a time when individuals, community groups, organizations, and people around the world team up to bring awareness to diabetes.

This year marks the 100th anniversary of the revolutionary and life-saving discovery of insulin. This isn't a cure though. To honour the legacy of Dr. Banting, Dr. Best, Dr. Collip and Dr. Macleod, the discoverers of insulin, Diabetes Canada is urging Canadians to take action so we don't have to wait another 100 years to end diabetes.



## NEW RESIDENTS

*The Management & Staff of Hillel Lodge  
would like to give a warm welcome to*

Georges Ghossein  
Dyson "Randy" Pinhey  
Morris Schachnow

*welcome*  
TO THE TEAM  
*New Staff Members*

**Julie Mitchell**  
Resident Services Coordinator  
**Aarti Keshav**  
COVID Screener  
**Lateaminke Teweldw**  
PSW  
**Ken Nathalie Ndiforchu**  
RN  
**Luciana Silva**  
HR Coordinator



# Biking for Bubbies



## *Thank you!*

We want to thank all the bikers, sponsors, volunteers, supporters, donors and everyone who made this event so successful.

Your generosity and kindness are most appreciated.

Next year's Biking for Bubbies will be September 10, 2023!

*Sincere Condolences  
to the families of*



Lloyd Klein  
Lazarus Newman  
Kailash Malhorta  
Irene Waxman  
Sandra Zunder

*May their memory be a blessing always*



**Alicia Davis**, PSW  
**Mina Owusu**, Scheduling Coordinator  
**Gracilda Malaque Tadas**, Dietary Aide  
**Vijay Pandey**, Dietary Aide

*All the best!*

**Tracy Picken**, Manager  
Facilities & Environmental Services

Tracy joined the Lodge in January 2020, and in addition to supporting our teams through the challenges of the Pandemic, she has made notable improvements to several areas within our home, including Emergency Planning, Health & Safety, and Laundry to name a few. Her warm and engaging personality will be missed by everyone throughout the home. We wish her the very best as she moves on to her next opportunity.



**Hillel Lodge**  
LONG-TERM CARE FOUNDATION

## THERE IS STILL TIME FOR YOU TO CHANGE LIVES

Before 2022 ends, there is still time for you to change lives and receive a charitable receipt for this year! Consider making a special one-time or monthly gift or topping up your annual support to the Hillel Lodge Foundation. Your generous donation is needed and will change lives. Stop into the Hillel Lodge Foundation to learn more, or visit our website at [www.hillel-ltc.com/foundation/ways-to-give](http://www.hillel-ltc.com/foundation/ways-to-give) to make a gift online. Or call Cathie at 613-728-3900.

# Happy Anniversary!

to the following Staff Members  
Celebrating in November!

## 33 Years

Morag Burch, Director of Care

## 25 Years

Gloria Duran, PSW

## 22 Years

Isse Haile, PSW  
Christina Bryan, PSW  
Elaine Parsons, PSW  
Jill Bradley, PSW

## 18 Years

Emefa Kumapley, Assistant Cook

## 12 Years

Stephanie Durocher, Assistant Cook  
Edna Batema, RPN

## 10 Years

Elzbieta Przewlocka, Cook

## 9 Years

Jean-Victor Francois, RPN

## 5 Years

Francis Vidal, Environmental Service Worker

## 3 Years

Michaela Green, Unit Clerk  
Sharon Thomson, Dietary Aide

## 2 Years

Pratibha Singal, Receptionist

## 1 Year

Adaego Akor, PSW  
Brian Miklaucic, Director of Facility Operations  
Dennis Sito, PSW  
Curt Noel, PSW  
Nemsey Bellamour, PSW  
Sue Bumell-Jones, Assistant Director of Care

*Thank you for all the contributions you have made in making Hillel Lodge great!*

# Congratulations!

**Brian Miklaucic** has taken on a new role as Director of Facility Operations.

Brian joined Hillel Lodge as Project Manager - Organizational Project and Change Management in November of last year to support the delivery of various projects linked to Hillel Lodge's Mission and Vision, including the launch of our Person-Centred Care journey. He has made many meaningful advances to those projects, and additionally, has managed several important facility and equipment upgrades within a broadened portfolio of responsibility.

In his role as Director of Facility Operations, he will oversee the operations and maintenance of the Lodge's building, laundry, and housekeeping services, as well as resident and staff health and safety, security, and emergency management programs. He will also continue to serve as lead on key facility renovation and renewal projects.

**Shari Cooper** has taken on a new role as Human Resources Director.

Shari joined Hillel Lodge as Human Resources Manager in early 2019. She has worked diligently to establish a professional HR practice, introducing new formalized structure and process, and supporting Hillel Lodge through the height of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Based on the Lodge's expanding Human Resources needs, Shari's portfolio changed earlier this year and she has since taken on a key role in leadership development and organization design.

In her new role, Shari will build on our established foundations in HR regulatory compliance and labour relations, and will have additional responsibilities in strategic planning, employer branding, leadership and talent development, and total rewards.

*Wishing both Brian and Shari success in this new chapter in their career with Hillel Lodge!*