

CENTRE NEWS

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As we enter the final months of the year, the Caledon Seniors Centre is alive with activity, friendship, and celebration It's hard to believe how quickly this year has flown by — and what a wonderful year it has been! See Special Events and the Report from the Fundraising Committee, opposite, for special events coming up in November and December. Our 30th Anniversary Celebration on November 28! This will be a moment to honour our history, our members, and all who have helped make the Centre a place of warmth and belonging for three decades. We gather for our much-loved Christmas Luncheon on December 18 — always a joyful way to celebrate the season with good company, good food, and holiday cheer. On behalf of the Board of Directors and staff, I want to thank each of you for your continued enthusiasm, kindness, and support. Whether you attend programs, volunteer your time, or simply share a smile, you make our Centre the warm and welcoming place it is, your home away from home. Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy Holidays, and a healthy, happy New Year!

Nora Martin, President

SATELLITE LOCATIONS & CLASSIC CAFÉ: Satellite Events are happening all across Caledon!! You can find us in Caledon East, Caledon Village, Southfields, Valleywood, Inglewood & Alton! Programs offered at Satellites include Exercise, Zumba, South Asian Socials, Games, Lunches & Classic Café! Please call 905-586-6114 or email satelliteprogram@caledonseniors.ca if you have questions! Check out the attached flyer!

NOTES

As a courtesy to fellow participants, if you are participating in any program, please try to show up 15 minutes prior to the start of the program.

The Receptionist is on duty between the hours of 8:30 am and 3:30 pm. If you call or e-mail after 3:30 pm, we will endeavour to respond as soon as possible the next business day.

The minutes from the May 6, 2025 annual general meeting are posted on the bulletin board by the reception desk for your perusal. They are also available on our website: www.caledonseniors.ca

THE SENIORS CENTRE IS ACCESSIBLE TO ALL

At the Caledon Seniors Centre, we strive to ensure that our programs are accessible to everyone in our community. We understand that financial constraints can sometimes pose a barrier to participation, and we want to make sure that no one misses out on the opportunity to join us. If the drop-in fee of \$4, (includes a coffee and snack) presents a challenge for you or someone you know, please don't hesitate to reach out to us.

PROGRAMS

DAILY PROGRAMS: SCHEDULE ATTACHED

SPECIAL EVENTS AT ROTARY PLACE

Nov. 6: Lunch & Learn - Understanding Probate - Free

Nov. 12: Special Lunch - Grilled Cheese - Cost \$11

Nov. 15: Bid Euchre Tournament – Quiche – Cost \$20

Nov. 18: Men's Lunch - Lasagna - Cost \$11

Nov.30: 30TH Anniversary Gala – Royal Ambassador Greenhouse – Cost \$135

Dec. 18: Christmas Luncheon – Roast Beef Dinner & Entertainment – Cost \$40

Dec. 23 to Jan. 4 – **CENTRE CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS** – Reopening January 5

REPORT FROM THE FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE:

November is Full of Festive Fun at the Centre!

As the holiday season approaches, things are getting wonderfully busy at the Centre! We've planned a series of exciting events and fundraisers to help you celebrate, create memories, and support a great cause. Here's what's coming up:

<u>Capture the Magic – Holiday Portrait Sessions</u> Saturday, November 1st

Gather your loved ones and join us for a professional Holiday Portrait Session, a perfect way to preserve special memories. For just \$50, you'll receive a high-quality family photo plus a digital file with 5 beautiful images.

Annual Craft & Bake Sale + Silent Auction Saturday, November 8th

Don't miss this beloved annual event! Shop early for the holidays with unique handmade items, home-baked goodies, and amazing local vendors. Bid in our silent auction and enjoy a day of shopping, fun, and friendly competition. **Bonus!** Krispy Kreme Donuts will be available for pickup at the sale, pre-order yours for an extra sweet treat!

50/50 Draw – Tickets on Sale October 24th

Tickets for our 50/50 draw go on sale Friday, October 24th. One lucky winner will take home 50% of the total proceeds. The draw takes place on **Friday**, **December 19th at noon**, with both online and paper tickets available.

Purdy's Chocolate Fundraiser

Indulge your sweet tooth with Canada's favourite chocolatier! Order delicious Purdy's chocolates until **Monday, November 24**th, perfect for stockings, hostess gifts, or a treat just for you.

Poinsettia Fundraiser - New This Year!

We're partnering with **Bradford Greenhouses** for a festive poinsettia sale, including the adorable *Grinch Tree*! Add a touch of holiday magic to your home. Orders close on **Wednesday**, **November 19th**.

MacGregors Meat & Seafood Fundraiser

Stock your freezer for the season! Order premium meats and seafood by **Friday**, **Nov. 8**. Perfect for holiday meals or gifting.

Sip & Paint Night - Holiday Sleigh Edition Friday, November 14th

Unleash your creativity with a fun and relaxing evening of painting, sipping, and socializing. Create a charming holiday sleigh painting while enjoying beverages and snacks. **Cost: \$30 per person** — bring a friend or two!

Angel Tree - New This Year!

Honour the memory of a loved one with our new Angel Tree at the Centre. Purchase a beautiful wooden angel to personalize and hang on the tree. \$7 each or 2 for \$12